

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF DISCIPLINARY APPEALS  
APPOINTED BY  
THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS**

**IN THE MATTER OF** §  
**DREW RANDOLPH QUITSCHAU** §      **CAUSE NO. 61330**  
**STATE BAR CARD NO. 24068447** §

**AGREED JUDGMENT OF SUSPENSION**

On the 12th day of December 2018, the above-styled and numbered reciprocal disciplinary action was called for hearing before the Board of Disciplinary Appeals. Petitioner appeared by attorney and Respondent appeared pro se, as indicated by their respective signatures below, and announced that they agree to the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and orders set forth below. The Board of Disciplinary Appeals, having reviewed the file and in consideration of the agreement of the parties, is of the opinion that Petitioner is entitled to entry of the following findings and orders:

Findings of Fact. The Board of Disciplinary Appeals finds that:

- (1) Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau, whose Bar Card No. is 24068447, is an attorney licensed by the Supreme Court of Texas, but not currently authorized to practice law in the State of Texas.
- (2) On or about August 4, 2017, a Complaint was filed Before the Hearing Board of the Illinois Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission in a matter styled, *In the Matter of: Drew Randolph Quitschau, Attorney-Respondent*, No. 6278288, Commission No. 2017PR00084.
- (3) On or about June 6, 2018, the Report and Recommendation of the Hearing Board was filed Before the Hearing Board of the Illinois Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission in a matter styled, *In the Matter of: Drew Randolph Quitschau, Attorney-Respondent*, No. 6278288, Commission No. 2017PR00084, that states in pertinent part as follows:

**RECOMMENDATION**

...We recommend Respondent be suspended for six months and until further order of the Court.

- (4) On or about September 20, 2018, a Supreme Court Order and Mandate were entered in the Supreme Court of Illinois in a matter styled, *In re: Drew Randolph Quitschau, M.R. 029433*, that states in pertinent part as follows:  
  
... Respondent Drew Randolph Quitschau is suspended from the practice of law for six (6) months and until further order of this Court.
- (5) The Report and Recommendation of the Hearing Board found, and the Respondent admitted, that he engaged in acts of dishonesty, fraud, deceit, and misrepresentation as charged in each of the seven counts of the Complaint, when he registered another attorney on five websites, created a false Facebook account and wrote false reviews of the attorney legal abilities on three other websites, thereby violating Rule 8.4(c) of the Illinois Rules of Professional Conduct (2010) - it is professional misconduct for a lawyer to engage in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation.
- (6) Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau, is the same person as the Drew Randolph Quitschau, who is the subject of the Supreme Court Order entered in the Supreme Court of Illinois; and
- (7) The Order entered in the Supreme Court of Illinois is final.

Conclusions of Law. Based upon the foregoing findings of facts the Board of Disciplinary

Appeals makes the following conclusions of law:

- (1) This Board has jurisdiction to hear and determine this matter. Rule 7.08(H), Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure;
- (2) Reciprocal discipline identical to that imposed by the Supreme Court of Illinois is warranted in this case.

It is, accordingly, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau, State Bar Card No. 24068447, is hereby SUSPENDED from the practice of law in Texas for a period of six (6) months beginning December 13, 2018 and ending June 13, 2019.

It is further ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau, during said suspension is prohibited from practicing law in Texas, holding himself out as an attorney at law, performing any legal service for others, accepting any fee directly or

indirectly for legal services, appearing as counsel or in any representative capacity in any proceeding in any Texas court or before any Texas administrative body, or holding himself out to others or using his name, in any manner, in conjunction with the words "attorney," "counselor," or "lawyer."

It is further ORDERED that Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau, within thirty (30) days of the date of this judgment, shall notify in writing each and every justice of the peace, judge, magistrate, and chief justice of each and every court, if any, in which Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau, has any legal matter pending, if any, of his suspension, of the style and cause number of the pending matter(s), and of the name, address, and telephone number of the client(s) Respondent is representing in that court.

It is further ORDERED Respondent shall file with the State Bar of Texas, Statewide Compliance Monitor, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, TX 78711-2487 (1414 Colorado St., Austin, TX 78701), within thirty (30) days of the date of this judgment, an affidavit stating Respondent has notified in writing each and every justice of the peace, judge, magistrate, and chief justice of each and every court in which Respondent has any matter pending of the terms of this judgment, the style and cause number of the pending matter(s), and the name, address and telephone number of the client(s) Respondent is representing in Court.

It is further ORDERED that Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau, within thirty (30) days of the date of this judgment, shall notify each of his current clients and opposing counsel, if any, in writing, of his suspension. In addition to such notification, Respondent is ORDERED to return all files, papers, unearned fees paid in advance, and all other monies and properties which are in his possession but which belong to current or former clients, if any, to those respective clients or former clients within thirty (30) days of the date of this judgment.

It is further ORDERED Respondent shall file with the State Bar of Texas, Statewide

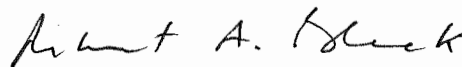
Compliance Monitor, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, TX 78711-2487 (1414 Colorado St., Austin, TX 78701), within thirty (30) days of the date of this judgment, an affidavit stating all current clients and opposing counsel have been notified of Respondent's suspension and that all files, papers, monies and other property belonging to all current clients have been returned as ordered herein. If Respondent should be unable to return any file, papers, money or other property to any client or former client, Respondent's affidavit shall state with particularity the efforts made by Respondent with respect to each particular client and the cause of his inability to return to said client any file, paper, money or other property.

It is further ORDERED that Respondent, Drew Randolph Quitschau within thirty (30) days of the date of this judgment, surrender his Texas law license and permanent State Bar Card to the Statewide Compliance Monitor, Office of the Chief Disciplinary Counsel, State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711, for transmittal to the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Texas.

It is further ORDERED that a certified copy of the Petition for Reciprocal Discipline on file herein, along with a copy of this Judgment, be sent to the Office of the Chief Disciplinary Counsel of the State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, Texas 78711.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Agreed Judgment of Suspension shall be made a matter of public record and be published in the Texas Bar Journal.

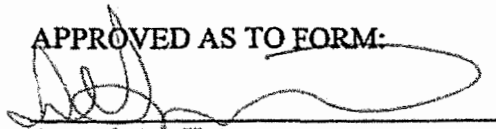
Signed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of December 2018.



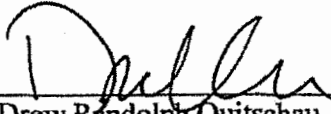
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Chair Presiding

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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Drew Randolph Quitschau  
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RESPONDENT