



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

**IN THE MATTER OF
PETER JONATHAN CRESCI
State Bar of Texas Card No. 24005767**

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CAUSE NO. 65262

ORDER GRANTING RESPONDENT’S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

On this day, the Board of Disciplinary Appeals considered the Respondent Peter Jonathan Cresci’s Unopposed Motion for Continuance of Hearing Date. Respondent requests a continuance of the hearing currently set before the Board on January 27, 2023, and requests additional time to file a responsive pleading. The Petitioner, the Commission for Lawyer Discipline, does not oppose the motion. The Board **GRANTS** the motion.

The Board **ORDERS** that Respondent’s answer date to respond to the Third Amended Order to Show Cause on Petition for Reciprocal Discipline pursuant to Rule 9.02 of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure shall be extended in accordance with the agreed motion. Respondent’s answer date is therefore reset, and any responsive pleading under Rule 9.02 shall be filed no later than **5:00 p.m. on Monday, February 13, 2023**. BODA INTERNAL PROCEDURAL RULES R. 1.08. Respondent should consult Part IX of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure regarding the failure to file an answer. Failure to file a timely answer may waive Respondent’s right to raise the defenses set forth in Texas Rule of Disciplinary Procedure 9.04 and limit the scope of the hearing to exclude presentation of any such defenses. *See* TEX. RULES DISCIPLINARY P. R. 9.01–04; BODA INTERNAL PROCEDURAL RULES R. 7.03.

The Board further **ORDERS** that the hearing on the Third Amended Petition for Reciprocal Discipline be reset for Friday, April 28, 2023, at 9:00 am.

Any relief requested and not expressly granted is denied.

Further continuance requests from Respondent shall be disfavored.

SIGNED this 13th day of January 2023.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kevin", followed by a long horizontal line.

CHAIR PRESIDING