

**BEFORE THE DISTRICT 10 GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE
EVIDENTIARY PANEL 10-4
STATE BAR OF TEXAS**



**San Antonio Office
Chief Disciplinary Counsel**

Commission for Lawyer	§	
Discipline	§	
<i>Petitioner</i>	§	201606325
vs.	§	201700795
	§	<u>Consolidated</u>
Linda Irene Perez	§	
<i>Respondent</i>	§	

Respondent’s Docketing Statement

The Respondent has submitted a Notice of Appeal in the above-entitled and numbered cause. The notice has been filed with the Board of Disciplinary Appeals, P.O. Box 12426, Austin, Texas 78711, with a copy to counsel for the Commission for Lawyer Discipline, on December 26, 2017.

Respondent/Appellant now submits this Docketing Statement pursuant to Texas Rule of Appellate Procedure 32.1.

Respondent/Appellant seeks to appeal from a judgment of disbarment signed and entered in the above-entitled and numbered cause on November 13, 2017.

Respondent/Appellant filed an Objection to Entry of Judgment and Motion for Rehearing on **November 28, 2017** and filed a Motion for New Trial on **November 28, 2017**. These motions were heard and denied on December 15, 2017.

The Commission for Lawyer Discipline is the Appellee and is represented by Ms. Stephanie Strolle, Assistant Disciplinary Counsel, 711 Navarro, Suite 750, San Antonio, Texas, 78205, (210) 208-6645 (Direct), (210) 208-6625 (Fax), sstrolle@texasbar.com.

The case arises out of allegations of violations of the Disciplinary Rules and the determination of sanctions.

As the Commission obtained a judgment of disbarment, the Respondent/Appellant urges that this appeal be given a high priority.

The Respondent/Appellant has not yet requested the preparation of a record. The issues on appeal are whether the composition of the Hearing Panel renders the judgment voidable under *Commission for Lawyer Discipline v. Schaefer*, 364 S.W.3d 831 (Tex. 2012), and whether the judgment should be declared void. The only relevant exhibit is the Evidentiary Hearing Report, which can be attached to the briefs with authenticity stipulated by the parties. This exhibit confirms the composition of the Evidentiary Panel that heard the case.

A record was made of the proceeding. The court reporter was furnished through Kim Tindall & Associates in San Antonio, Texas.

The Respondent/Appellant has surrendered her license pursuant to the judgment, does not seek temporary or ancillary relief, and will file a Statement of

Inability to Afford Payment in the event that the BODA requires the submission of a reporter's record.

Respectfully submitted,

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