BEFORE THE BOARD OF DISCIPLINARY APPEALS Appointed By THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

JESUS ARMANDO MIRANDA	§	
State Bar of Texas Card No. 14199599	§	
v.	§	CAUSE NO. 51386
	§	
COMMISSION FOR	§	
LAWYER DISCIPLINE OF THE	§	
STATE BAR OF TEXAS	§	

ORDER DISMISSING APPEAL FOR WANT OF PROSECUTION

On this day came on to be heard the Board of Disciplinary Appeals' own motion to dismiss the appeal filed by Jesus Armando Miranda for want of prosecution. After reviewing the papers filed in the matter, the Board finds that the Appellant filed the notice of appeal of the judgment of active suspension signed on July 23, 2012 by the District 6-B2 evidentiary panel in case no. D0031142697 on November 5, 2012. The clerk's record and the reporter's record from the evidentiary hearing were due to be filed on or before November 20, 2012. The Office of the Chief Disciplinary Counsel of the State Bar of Texas ("CDC") filed the clerk's record with the Board on November 20, 2012. The reporter's record has not been filed. The Appellant's brief was due on December 19, 2012. The Appellant's brief was not filed, and Appellant has not requested an extension of time to file his brief.

On February 11, 2013 an Order to Show Cause was issued by the Board of Disciplinary Appeals wherein the Appellant was ordered to respond and show cause as to why the cause should not be dismissed. Appellant did not respond and no appellant's brief has been filed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that this appeal is hereby DISMISSED for want of prosecution with prejudice to refile.

SIGNED this 25th day of April 2013.

CHAIRMAN PRESIDING