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SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

THE FLORIDA BAR,  
Petitioner,  
v.  
JAMES E. SNAPP,  
Respondent.

CASE NO. 63,403

THE HONORABLE JACK H.  
COOK, Referee

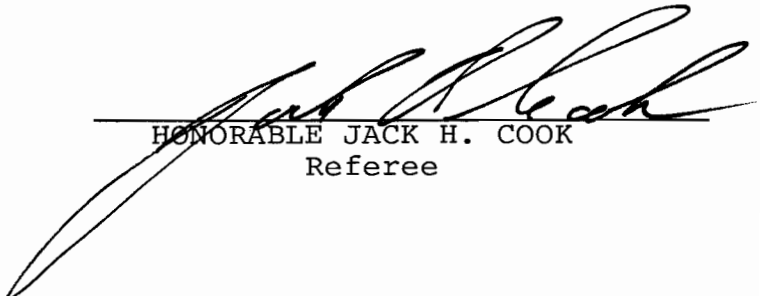
REFEREE'S REPORT

THIS MATTER was first presented to me, as Referee, on Petitioner's Rule to Show Cause and Order Appointing Referee, which Rule was entered by the Florida Supreme Court on April 7, 1983. On October 5, 1983, I entered an Order Setting Preliminary Hearing on November 2, 1983, in order to determine the length of time required for Final Hearing and to hear any evidentiary motions or stipulations.

Respondent answered the Petition on November 2, 1983. Thereafter, on November 22, 1983, counsel for Respondent and local Bar Counsel signed the Joint Stipulation portion of a "Joint Stipulation and Order Approving Stipulation" which included a proposed Order and Injunction to be entered by the Florida Supreme Court. The Order and Injunction provides that Respondent does not contest the allegations of the Petition against Unauthorized Practice of Law filed in this matter, and that Respondent shall cease engaging in the Unauthorized Practice of Law. On November 23, 1983, I signed the Order Approving Stipulation portion of the "Joint Stipulation and Order Approving Stipulation" and thereby recommended that the Florida Supreme Court enter the proposed Order and Injunction, which Order and Injunction has been agreed to by Petitioner's and Respondent's counsel, as I stated above.

I have again reviewed this matter and I believe that it is appropriate and I recommend that the Florida Supreme Court enter the Order and Injunction attached to the "Joint Stipulation and Order Approving Stipulation" as Exhibit "A".

DATED this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1985.

  
HONORABLE JACK H. COOK  
Referee