

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

In the Matter of)
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Iman A. Abdallah) Proceeding No. D00-08
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Respondent)
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ORDER GRANTING DEFAULT JUDGMENT

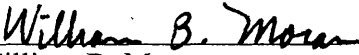
Upon consideration of the Complaint and Notice of Proceedings and the Director's Motion for Default Judgment, it is this 6th day of June, 2001, determined that the Respondent has failed to file an Answer to the Complaint and is found to be in **DEFAULT**.

Accordingly, it is hereby **ORDERED** that all the allegations set forth in the Complaint are deemed as admitted by Respondent, and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that Respondent is excluded from practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office for having engaged in professional misconduct as alleged in the Complaint filed on August 8, 2000, in violation of the following sections of 37 C.F.R.:

- a. Rule 10.23(b)(1), in that Respondent violated a Disciplinary Rule;
- b. Rule 10.23(b)(4), in that Respondent engaged in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation;
- c. Rule 10.23(b)(6), in that Respondent engaged in conduct that adversely reflects on his fitness to practice before the USPTO;

- d. Rule 10.23(c)(5), in that Respondent was disbarred from practice as an attorney on ethical grounds by a duly constituted authority of the State of Minnesota;
- e. Rule 10.23(c)(14), in that Respondent knowingly failed to advise the Director in writing of any change which would preclude his continued registration under 37 C.F.R. § 10.6;
- f. Rule 10.23(c)(2)(i), in that Respondent knowingly gave false or misleading information to a client in connection with an immediate, prospective, or pending business before the office;
- g. Rule 10.23(c)(16), in that Respondent willfully refused to reveal or report knowledge or evidence to the Director contrary to §§ 10.24 or 10.131(b);
- h. Rule 10.77(c), in that Respondent neglected a legal matter entrusted to him;
- i. Rule 10.84(a)(1), in that Respondent intentionally failed to seek the lawful objectives of his client through reasonable available means permitted by law and the Disciplinary Rules;
- j. Rule 10.84(a)(2), in that Respondent failed to carry out a contract of employment entered into with his client for professional services;
- k. Rule 10.84(a)(3), in that Respondent intentionally prejudiced or damaged his client during the course of Respondent's professional relationship;
- l. Rule 10.112(c)(4), in that Respondent failed to deliver to his client the funds in his possession which the client was entitled to receive; and
- m. Rule 10.131(b), in that Respondent failed to cooperate with the Director in connection with any disciplinary proceeding instituted under § 10.132(b).


William B. Moran
United States Administrative Law Judge

Dated: June 11, 2001
Washington, DC