

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO**

**IN THE MATTER OF:
PAIGE JAMES MCMAHON
Ohio Atty. Reg. No. 0040755
RESPONDENT**

**Case No. 2:16-mc-006
Chief Judge Sarah D. Morrison**

ORDER

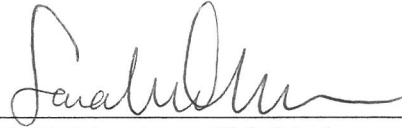
IT APPEARING TO THE COURT that on December 15, 2025, the Supreme Court of Ohio has entered an order accepting the resignation of Respondent from the practice of law in Ohio, with disciplinary action pending, pursuant to Gov. Bar R. VI(11)(C) of the Supreme Court Rules for the Government of the Bar of Ohio, and in accordance with Rule II of the Model Federal Rules of Disciplinary Enforcement, adopted by this court on February 1, 1979.

IT IS ORDERED that Respondent shall show cause, if any, has within thirty (30) days after service of this Order, of any claim under the grounds set forth in Section (D) of said Rule II, why this court should not assume that Respondent intends to resign from the bar of this Court as well. Said Respondent is admonished that his failure to show cause within 30 days by a pleading filed with the Clerk of this Court shall be deemed a waiver of Respondent's rights in the premises and constitute grounds for this Court to enter the order prescribed herein.

IT FURTHER APPEARING to the Court that Respondent has been forbidden by the Supreme Court of Ohio to appear on behalf of another before any court, judge, commission, board, administrative agency, or other public authority, the said Respondent, until final resolution of the matter in this court, shall not represent or continue to represent any person in this court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court shall cause a copy of this order to be served on said Respondent, by certified mail, return receipt requested, to Paige James McMahon, McMahon Law Offices, 196 William Drive, Chillicothe, OH 45601 and to be published to this Court's official website.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sarah D. Morrison", written over a horizontal line.

Sarah D. Morrison, Chief Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of Ohio

It is further ordered that respondent shall surrender respondent's certificate of admission to practice to the clerk of the court on or before 30 days from the date of this order and that respondent's name be stricken from the roll of attorneys maintained by this court.

It is further ordered by the court that within 90 days of the date of this order, respondent shall reimburse any amounts that have been awarded against respondent by the Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection pursuant to Gov.Bar R. VIII(7)(F). It is further ordered by the court that if after the date of this order the Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection awards any amount against respondent pursuant to Gov.Bar R. VIII(7)(F), respondent shall reimburse that amount to the Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection within 90 days of the notice of that award.

It is further ordered that on or before 30 days from the date of this order, respondent shall do the following:

1. Notify all clients being represented in pending matters and any co-counsel of respondent's resignation and consequent disqualification to act as an attorney after the effective date of this order and, in the absence of co-counsel, also notify the clients to seek legal services elsewhere, calling attention to any urgency in seeking the substitution of another attorney in respondent's place;
2. Regardless of any fees or expenses due, deliver to all clients being represented in pending matters any papers or other property pertaining to the client or notify the clients or co-counsel, if any, of a suitable time and place where the papers or other property may be obtained, calling attention to any urgency for obtaining such papers or other property;
3. Refund any part of any fees or expenses paid in advance that are unearned or not paid and account for any trust money or property in the possession or control of respondent;
4. Notify opposing counsel or, in the absence of counsel, the adverse parties in pending litigation of respondent's disqualification to act as an attorney after the effective date of this order and file a notice of disqualification of respondent with the court or agency before which the litigation is pending for inclusion in the respective file or files;
5. Send all notices required by this order by certified mail with a return address where communications may thereafter be directed to respondent;
6. File with the clerk of this court and disciplinary counsel of the Supreme Court an affidavit showing compliance with this order, showing proof of service of the notices required herein, and setting forth the address where respondent may receive communications; and
7. Retain and maintain a record of the various steps taken by respondent pursuant to this order.

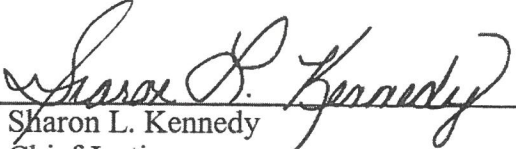
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It is further ordered that until such time as respondent fully complies with this order, respondent shall keep the clerk and disciplinary counsel advised of any change of address where respondent may receive communications.

It is further ordered that all documents filed with this court in this case shall meet the filing requirements set forth in the Rules of Practice of the Supreme Court of Ohio, including requirements as to form, number, and timeliness of filings. All case documents are subject to Sup.R. 44 through 47, which govern access to court records.

It is further ordered that service shall be deemed made on respondent by sending this order and all other orders in this case to respondent's last known address.

It is further ordered that the clerk of this court issue certified copies of this order as provided for in Gov.Bar R. V(17)(E)(1) and that publication be made as provided for in Gov.Bar R. V(17)(E)(2).


Sharon L. Kennedy
Chief Justice

I, CERTIFY that this document is a true and accurate copy of the judgement entry of the Supreme Court of Ohio filed on 12-15-2025 in Case No. 2025-1409 and constitutes the mandate of the Court pursuant to Rule 18.04.

In witness, I have subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the Supreme Court of Ohio on this 15th day of DEC, 2025

Clerk of Court

By  **, Deputy Clerk**

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