

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINE OF
JACOB L. HAFTER, BAR NO. 9303.

No. 71744

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ELIZABETH A. BROWN
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
BY: *[Signature]*
DEPUTY CLERK

*ORDER GRANTING IN PART AND DENYING IN PART
EMERGENCY MOTION*

On November 17, 2017, this court suspended attorney Jacob L. Hafter from the practice of law for six months, commencing immediately. Under SCR 115(7), attorneys once suspended may not accept any new retainers or act as attorney for another in any new case or legal matter but may, for 15 days after the suspension order is entered, wind up and complete for existing clients all matters currently pending.

On November 20, 2017, Hafter filed an emergency motion for reconsideration, explaining how the suspension will affect his current practice and asking this court to reconsider or, at least, stay the suspension. Hafter pointed to imminent deadlines in many of his cases. Having considered Hafter's motion, we grant it in part and deny it in part. In particular, although this emergency motion was not filed under NRAP 40 and thus does not provide a basis on which to reconsider the discipline imposed, we conclude that Hafter has demonstrated that additional time is needed to avoid harm to existing clients. Therefore, we hereby extend the 15 days SCR 115(7) provides a suspended lawyer to wind up and complete current matters by 30 days. Hafter shall have 45 days

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from the entry date of our order of suspension, November 17, 2017, during which he may wind up and complete or make arrangements for substitute counsel in all currently pending matters for existing clients. The suspension remains in place, however, and this order does not permit Hafter to accept any new matters for new or existing clients.

It is so ORDERED.

Cherry, C.J.

Cherry

Douglas, J.

Douglas

Gibbons, J.

Gibbons

Pickering, J.

Pickering

Hardesty, J.

Hardesty

Parraguirre, J.

Parraguirre

Stiglich, J.

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