UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2010-132

IN RE:

JOSEPH PAUL SINDACO Florida Bar #294731 NOV 1 6 2010

STEVEN M. LARIMORE CLERK U. S. DIST. CT. S. D. of FLA. – MIAMI

ORDER OF DISBARMENT

The Supreme Court of Florida has entered an Order of Disbarment dated August 26, 2010, disbarring this attorney from the practice of law for five (5) years. See The Florida Bar v. Sindaco, No. SC10-1629, 2010 WL 3385520 (Fla. Aug. 26, 2010). That Order of Disbarment was predicated upon the Stipulation as to Probable Cause and Guilty Plea and Consent to Immediate Five Year Disbarment entered between the attorney and The Florida Bar. Rule 6(b) of the Rules Governing Attorney Discipline, Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, provides that "[a]n attorney . . . who shall be disbarred on consent or resign from the bar of any other court . . . while an investigation into allegations of misconduct is pending shall . . . cease to be permitted to practice before this Court and be stricken from the roll of attorneys admitted to practice before this Court." Under these circumstances involving disbarment on consent, service of an Order to Show Cause is unnecessary and the attorney may be immediately disbarred. Pursuant to Rule 6(b) and the inherent authority of this Court to oversee officers admitted to membership in its bar, see Chambers v. NASCO, Inc., 501 U.S. 32, 43 (1991) ("[A] federal court has the power to control admission to its bar and to discipline attorneys who appear before it."), it is

ORDERED that the above named attorney be disbarred from practice in this Court for five (5) years, effective immediately.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of Court shall strike this attorney from the roll of attorneys for the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, and shall also

immediately revoke the attorney's CM/ECF password.

It is FURTHER ORDERED by this Court that said attorney advise the Clerk of Court of all pending cases before this Court in which he is counsel or co-counsel of record.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by this Court that the Clerk of Court shall attempt to serve by certified mail a copy of this Order of Disbarment upon the attorney at his Florida Bar address.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Miami-Dade County, Florida, this

day of November, 2010.

Joseph Paul Sindaco

FEDERICO A. MORENO CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

c: Honorable Joel F. Dubina, Chief Judge, Eleventh Circuit
All Miami Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals Judges
All Southern District Judges
All Southern District Magistrate Judges
United States Attorney
Circuit Executive
Federal Public Defender
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