UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2011-36

IN RE:

GREGORY A. MARTIN Florida Bar # 334464 FILED by S D.C.

MAY 2 0 2011

STEVEN M. LARIMORE

ORDER OF SUSPENSION

The Supreme Court of Florida has suspended the above-named attorney from practicing law in Florida, following a December 13, 2010, order. *See The Florida Bar v. Martin*, 51 So. 3d 466 (Fla. 2010). That suspension was predicated on The Florida Bar's Petition for Emergency Suspension. The Clerk served attorney Martin by certified mail with an Order to Show Cause why this Court should not impose the same discipline, accompanied by the Supreme Court of Florida's Order of Suspension.

Rule 5(a) of the Rules Governing Attorney Discipline, Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, requires that "[a]n attorney admitted to practice before this Court shall, upon being subjected to suspension or disbarment . . . promptly inform the Clerk of the Court of such action." Rule 5(d) provides in pertinent part that after expiration of the time for submitting a response to an Order to Show Cause, "the Court may impose the identical discipline or may impose any other sanction the Court may deem appropriate." Given this background, pursuant to Rule 5(a) and (d), and the Court's inherent power to regulate membership in its bar for the protection of the public interest, *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 said attorney be suspended from practice in this Court effective immediately. The Clerk of Court shall strike this attorney from the roll of attorneys eligible to practice in 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 attempt to serve by certified mail a copy of this Order of Suspension upon the attorney at his court record address.

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

day of May, 2011.

FEDERICO A. MORENO

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies furnished as follows:

c: Honorable Joel F. Dubina, Chief Judge, Eleventh Circuit

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