



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2010-44

In re: DAVID J. SOCKOL  
FLORIDA BAR # 818607

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**ORDER OF SUSPENSION**

The Supreme Court of Florida has suspended the above-named attorney from practicing law in Florida, effective thirty (30) days, following a January 25, 2010, order. That suspension was predicated on a Notice of Determination or Judgment of Guilt. The Clerk attempted to serve the attorney 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. Service at both his court record address and his Florida Bar address were signed for by his "agent."

Rule 5(d) of the Southern District of Florida Attorney Discipline Rules 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." The attorney having failed to respond, pursuant to Rule 5(d) and the Court's inherent power to regulate membership in its bar for the protection of the public interest,

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 his CM/ECF password.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by this Court that said attorney advise the Clerk of the 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day  
of ~~April~~ <sup>May</sup>, 2010.

  
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  
Clerk of Court  
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