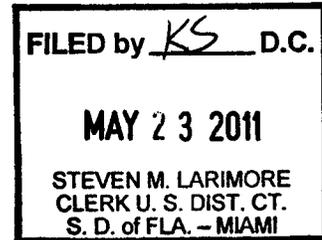


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

Administrative Order 2011-40

IN RE: MARK ENRIQUE ROUSSO
Florida Bar # 894583



ORDER OF SUSPENSION

This Court is in receipt of Mark Enrique Rousso's Response to Order to Show Cause filed by his counsel on April 6, 2011. Rousso represents that he has no pending matters in the Southern District of Florida, that he is accepting no new cases in compliance with the Florida Supreme Court's Order, and that a final hearing on his Florida Bar suspension was scheduled for April 20 and 21, 2011. He therefore urges that this Court withhold further action pending conclusion of the state proceedings.

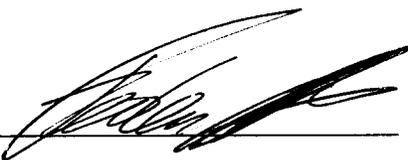
The Court notes, however, that Rousso raises no grounds that would support failing to act upon the Florida Supreme Court's presumptively valid suspension. Instead he argues only for delay. While Rousso's argument for delay might have merit if the state proceedings were stayed, *see* Rule 5(c), Rules Governing Attorney Discipline, Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, Rousso's motion for dissolution of the state suspension pending further proceedings has already been denied by the Florida Supreme Court. Therefore, the fact remains that Rousso is suspended during the pendency of any additional state disciplinary proceedings. Given that posture, reciprocal suspension is appropriate here as well. An attorney cannot practice before this Court if that attorney is not currently an active attorney in good standing with the Florida Bar. *See* Rule 3, Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorney. If suspension is lifted at some point in the future, he would be free to also seek to have this reciprocal suspension lifted as well. 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 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 20th day of May, 2011.



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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