



STATE OF CONNECTICUT  
JUDICIAL BRANCH

**STATEWIDE GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE**

Michael P. Bowler, *Statewide Bar Counsel*

287 Main Street  
Second Floor – Suite Two  
East Hartford, CT 06118-1885  
(860) 568-5157 Fax (860) 568-4953  
Judicial Branch Website: [www.jud.ct.gov](http://www.jud.ct.gov)

Attorney Patricia King  
First Assistant Disciplinary Counsel  
100 Washington Street  
Hartford, CT 06106

Attorney William T. Shea  
Shea & Cook, PC  
290 Pratt Street  
P.O. Box 1856  
Meriden, CT 06450

RE: Grievance Complaint #08-1049, Casciano v. Shea

Dear First Assistant Disciplinary Counsel and Respondent:

Pursuant to Practice Book §2-82(b), the undersigned, duly-appointed reviewing committee of the Statewide Grievance Committee, has reviewed the *Proposed Disposition Pursuant to Practice Book §2-82(b)* (hereinafter "*Proposed Disposition*") filed February 4, 2010 and submitted for approval in the above referenced matter. After careful consideration of the *Proposed Disposition*, the *Affidavit* of the Respondent submitted pursuant to Practice Book §2-82(d) and the entire record of the complaint, and after conducting a hearing pursuant to Practice Book §2-82(b) on February 4, 2010, the undersigned hereby APPROVE the *Proposed Disposition*, a copy of which is attached hereto together with the *Affidavit* of the Respondent. Reviewing committee member Attorney Noble F. Allen was not available for the February 4, 2010 hearing. The Disciplinary Counsel and the Respondent waived the participation of Attorney Allen in the decision. Accordingly, this matter was heard and decided by the undersigned. Accordingly, the disposition agreed to by the Disciplinary Counsel and the Respondent in the above referenced matter and set forth in the *Proposed Disposition* is hereby made an order of this reviewing committee. The Respondent is reprimanded.

So ordered.

cc: Tammy L. Casciano  
Attorney J. Adrian Rebollo

(9)  
asc

DECISION DATE: 4/9/10

Grievance Complaint #08-1049

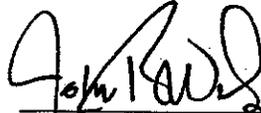
Decision

Page 2

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several stylized, overlapping loops and curves, positioned above a horizontal line.

Attorney David Channing

Grievance Complaint #08-1049  
Decision  
Page 3



---

Mr. John B. Walsh

**STATEWIDE GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE**

**TAMMY L. CASCIANO**  
Complainant

**GRIEVANCE COMPLAINT #**  
08-1049

v.

**WILLIAM T. SHEA**  
Respondent

**PROPOSED DISPOSITION PURSUANT TO PRACTICE BOOK § 2-82(b)**

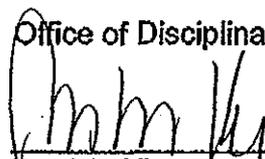
Pursuant to Practice Book § 2-82(b), and Practice Book § 2-82(a)(2), the undersigned Respondent and Disciplinary Counsel stipulate and agree as follows:

1. William T. Shea (hereinafter Respondent), juris number 056735, was admitted to the bar of the State of Connecticut on 07/26/1955 and has one reprimand received on 08/21/2003.
2. The Respondent has registered with the Statewide Grievance Committee for 2009 and is currently in good standing.
3. This matter was instituted by grievance complaint dated 10/22/08.
4. On 03/13/2009, the Grievance Panel for New Haven J.D. and for G.A. 7 and the towns of Branford, East Haven, Guilford, Madison and North Branford found probable cause that the Respondent violated Rules 1.3, 1.4(a)(1), 1.4(a)(2), 1.4(a)(3), 1.7(a)(2), 1.7(b)(4), 1.8(b), 3.4(3), and 8.4(4) of the Rules of Professional Conduct.
5. The Respondent has tendered an affidavit pursuant to Practice Book § 2-82(d) attached hereto, and admits that he represented Tammy Casciano in a prior matter and that he represented another party in a divorce proceeding against Tammy Casciano without obtaining a written waiver, and further that he facilitated a land transfer to avoid a possible unfavorable ruling in housing court and that this conduct violated Rules 1.7(a)(2), 1.7(b)(4), and 8.4(4) of the Rules of Professional Conduct.
6. The Respondent and Disciplinary Counsel agree that the Respondent will be reprimanded pursuant to Practice Book §2-37(a).

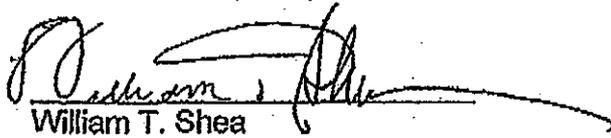
- 7. The Respondent and the Disciplinary Counsel agree that the Disciplinary Counsel will recommend that the Statewide Grievance Committee impose the sanction set forth in this agreement, and will recommend dismissal on the probable cause findings as they relate to Rules 1.3, 1.4(a)(1), 1.4(a)(2), 1.4(a)(3), 1.8(b), and 3.4(3) of the Rules of Professional Conduct. If this agreement is rejected by the Statewide Grievance Committee, the Disciplinary Counsel will pursue this matter at a contested hearing.

WHEREFORE, this matter is submitted to the Statewide Grievance Committee for its approval in accordance with Practice Book § 2-82(b).

2/5/10  
Date

Office of Disciplinary Counsel,  
  
 By: Patricia King  
 Assistant Disciplinary Counsel

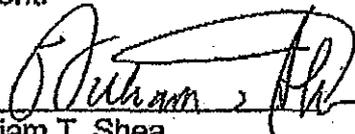
January 29, 2010  
Date

  
 William T. Shea  
 Respondent



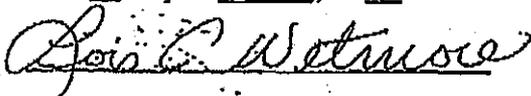
Fedoruk would be unsuccessful in an eviction action against Tammy Casciano due to a protective order related to a domestic violence complaint and that this conduct violated Rules 1.7(a)(2), 1.7(b)(4), and 8.4(4) Rules of Professional Conduct.

- 7. I agree to a reprimand pursuant to Practice Book § 2-37(a).
- 8. I understand that Disciplinary Counsel will recommend that this matter be resolved by the imposition of the sanction set forth in the Proposed Disposition. If this agreement is rejected by the Statewide Grievance Committee, the Disciplinary Counsel will pursue this matter at a contested hearing.
- 9. I further understand that my failure to comply with all the terms and conditions stated herein will result in a presentment.

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 William T. Shea

Subscribed and sworn to before me

This <sup>29<sup>th</sup></sup> day of January, 2010

  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public/~~Commissioner of the Superior Court~~

**LOIS A. WETMORE**  
**NOTARY PUBLIC**  
 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES OCT. 31, 2013