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PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

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Re: File No: 25-2725

Complainant: Sarah Howery

Dear Mr. Gingras:

The State Bar recently received a bar charge against you from Ms. Howery. After our review of the charge, we have determined that no further investigation is warranted. We therefore consider this file closed.

The closing letter to Ms. Howery contained the following:

On October 16, 2025, I reviewed your October 15, 2025, written charge submission regarding Mr. Gingras.

As Mr. Gingras is admitted to practice law in the State of California, and since the pleading at issue in your charge was filed in Court in California, and since this is an issue of which our office is aware, jurisdiction and venue would be more appropriate with the State Bar of California. While we would have jurisdiction since Mr. Gingras is admitted to the practice of law here in the State of Arizona, it would be better to raise your charge with the State Bar of California since the action occurred there and all pertinent witnesses and evidence would be there.

You can contact the State Bar of California to file your complaint by visiting the following website:

https://www.calbar.ca.gov/Public/Complaints-Claims/How-to-File-a-Complaint

Under Arizona's Rules of the Supreme Court, should the California disciplinary authorities issue a disciplinary sanction against Mr. Gingras' license to practice in the State of California, Mr. Gingras is obliged to report that to

Arizona's jurisdiction as well, and we could initiate reciprocal disciplinary proceedings.

I have determined that further investigation is not warranted currently, and our file has been closed.

Although we are dismissing this matter, we remind you of your duty under the Arizona Rules of the Supreme Court to report any discipline that is issued by any other jurisdiction.

If you wish to receive a copy of the charge filed by Ms. Howery, please notify us at the number above and it will be provided. Pursuant to Rule 70(a)(3), Ariz. R. Sup. Ct., the record of this charge will be public for six months from the date of this letter. This charge has no adverse impact on your standing with the State Bar. The record shows a consumer charge that was dismissed. Pursuant to Rule 71, Ariz. R. Sup. Ct., the State Bar file may be expunged in three years.

Sincerely,

/s/ Matthew E. McGregor

Matthew E. McGregor Intake Bar Counsel

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