



NOTICE

Suspension

On October 4, 2022, a Hearing Committee of the Law Society of Alberta found the conduct of **Geoffrey Green**, a member of the Law Society who lives and practices in Edmonton, Alberta, to be deserving of sanction, in that he:

1. knowingly assisted a disbarred lawyer to practice law; and
2. breached solicitor-client privilege when he shared client information with a third party without consent.

Conduct deserving of sanction is defined in the *Legal Profession Act*, RSA 2000, c L-8 (the “*Act*”) as conduct that is incompatible with the best interests of the public (including members of the Law Society) or conduct that tends to harm the standing of the legal profession generally.

Pursuant to Section 72(1)(b) of the *Act*, the Hearing Committee ordered that Mr. Green be suspended for one year, commencing May 1, 2023, and pay costs in the amount of \$10,395.63 prior to making any application for reinstatement.

As Mr. Green has no active files, a custodian for his law practice is not necessary.

The full written decision of the Hearing Committee has been posted to the Law Society of Alberta website.

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Chief Executive Officer & Executive Director
Law Society of Alberta

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All Inactive Lawyers,
All Executive Directors of other Law Societies in Canada,
All Justices of the Court of Appeal and Court of King’s Bench,
All Judges of the Provincial Court of Alberta,
All Applications Judges,
All Clerks of the Court.