



NOTICE

Section 84(3) – Direct Disbarment

On October 11, 2023, a Special Meeting of the Benchers of the Law Society of Alberta was held to consider an application to disbar Gavin McNeill Grant pursuant to section 84(3) of the Legal Profession Act. The Benchers ordered that Mr. Grant be disbarred, effective immediately.

On November 30, 2021, Mr. Grant was disbarred by the Law Society of Ontario ("LSO") for professional misconduct including: propositioning a potential client as she tried to retain his legal services; sexually harassing an employee; purchasing cocaine from a client and subsequently consuming it with the same employee who had been subject to harassing; hosting parties at his office outside of business hours during which he provided alcohol and drugs to minors; engaging in sexual acts with a former client and her friend who were both minors, drinking in his car with a former client and her friend who were both minors; and assaulting his domestic partner.

Mr. Grant resides in Thailand and practised in Alberta and Ontario. At the time of his disbarment, Mr. Grant was a suspended member of the Law Society of Alberta.

Elizabeth J. Osler. KC

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 Justices of the Court of Justice of Alberta,

All Applications Judges, All Clerks of the Court.