

APPELLATE DIVISION OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, THIRD DEPARTMENT

Matter of Korobkin

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SUMMARY

The Appellate Division, Third Department granted Daniel Stewart Korobkin’s application to resign from the New York bar for nondisciplinary reasons. The court accepted his resignation, struck his name from the roll of attorneys, prohibited him from practicing law in New York, and ordered him to surrender his Attorney Secure Pass.

CASE DETAILS

COURT	Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Third Department
WRITING FOR THE COURT	Garry, P.J.; McCarthy, J.; Egan Jr., J.; Lynch, J.; Devine, J.
JURISDICTION	New York
DECIDED	February 8, 2018
DISPOSITION	approved
PROCEDURAL POSTURE	An attorney admitted to the New York bar applied for permission to resign for nondisciplinary reasons. The Attorney Grievance Committee did not oppose the application, and the Appellate Division granted it.
PRECEDENTIAL VALUE	published
PARTIES	Daniel Stewart Korobkin v. Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department

TOPICS

appellate procedure

PRACTICE AREAS

attorney discipline

professional responsibility

bar admission and resignation

QUESTIONS PRESENTED

1. Whether Korobkin was eligible to resign from the New York bar for nondisciplinary reasons.

2. What orders should accompany acceptance of an attorney's nondisciplinary resignation.

HOLDINGS

1. Korobkin was eligible to resign for nondisciplinary reasons, and the court granted his application and accepted his resignation.
2. Upon acceptance of the resignation, Korobkin's name was stricken from the roll of attorneys and counselors-at-law, he was prohibited from practicing law or holding himself out as an attorney in New York, and he was required to surrender any Attorney Secure Pass within 30 days.

KEY QUOTATIONS

“ORDERED that Daniel Stewart Korobkin's application for permission to resign is granted and his nondisciplinary resignation is accepted”

“ORDERED that Daniel Stewart Korobkin's name is hereby stricken from the roll of attorneys and counselors-at-law of the State of New York, effective immediately, and until further order of this Court”

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

Daniel Stewart Korobkin was admitted to practice in New York in 2007 and maintained a business address in Detroit, Michigan. He sought permission to resign from the New York bar for nondisciplinary reasons. The Attorney Grievance Committee did not oppose the application, and the court found him eligible to resign under the applicable attorney disciplinary rules.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

Korobkin was admitted to practice by the Third Department in 2007 and applied to resign from the New York bar for nondisciplinary reasons. He submitted an affidavit, and the Attorney Grievance Committee submitted correspondence stating that it did not oppose the application. After determining that he was eligible to resign, the court accepted his resignation and ordered that his name be stricken from the roll.

DISPOSITION

approved