IN THE MATTER OF THE

In the

CLIENT PROTECTION FUND

Court of Appeals

OF THE BAR OF MARYLAND

of Maryland

ORDER

The Court having passed an Order on March 20, 2014 prohibiting from the further

practice of law in the State of Maryland certain attorneys who were in default in the payment of

annual assessments to the Client Protection Fund of the Bar of Maryland, and

It appearing that the Client Protection Fund of the Bar of Maryland certified to the

Court the name of JAMES VERNON HITAFFER as an attorney who was purportedly in default

in payment of annual assessments, and documentation in the form of a death certificate, having

been received by the Fund subsequent to the certification of default indicating that Mr. Hitaffer

passed away on September 28, 2013; it is, therefore, this 16th day of April, 2014

ORDERED, by the Court of Appeals of Maryland, that the above mentioned

Order of March 20, 2014 be, and it is hereby, rescinded as to the attorney listed above, and it is

further

ORDERED that the Clerk of this Court shall forward a copy of this Order to the

clerks of the Court of Special Appeals, the several circuit courts of the counties and Baltimore

City and the Chief Clerk of the District Court.

/s/ Mary Ellen Barbera Mary Ellen Barbera, Chief Judge

Filed: April 16, 2014

/s/ Bessie M. Decker

Clerk, Court of Appeals of Maryland