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ARNOLD, PEYTON WAYNE

BPR # 004639

August 13, 1984

County: Rutherford

District: 4

Suspended for five (5) years by order entered August 13, 1984 upon his guilty plea to a portion of the charges filed against him. He was convicted by a jury for obtaining money by false pretense. The conviction resulted from his advice to a client that it would take \$5,000 to \$6,000 to "pay off" some people to take care of the client's criminal charges. The client reported the matter to law enforcement authorities, who arranged the recorded payment of \$6,000 to Arnold. He denied there was a discussion of a bribe and contended the money was for his fees and the drug fund. His 3 year prison sentence was suspended and he was placed on probation for 5 years.



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