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BPR # 012432

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Disbarred by order entered April 5, 2000. She appeared in court under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol; failed to adequately communicate with clients; and neglected clients' cases. She was also engaged in a conflict of interest in representing her boyfriends/roommates. She was placed on diversion for the sale and purchase of illegal drugs. She had involved her clients in her drug use and transactions. Her diversion was revoked due to a subsequent shoplifting conviction. She did not appear at her disciplinary hearing and did not appeal the recommendation of the hearing panel that she be disbarred.



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