



December 17, 2013

NOTICE

Suspension

On November 28, 2013, a Hearing Committee found the conduct of **Harris Hanson**, an active member who lives and practices in Calgary, Alberta, to be deserving of sanction on 10 citations.

The matters in which his conduct was found deserving of sanction included: three citations for failing to serve his clients, two citations for acting for multiple parties in a conflict or potential conflict situation, two citations for improperly delegating his duties and responsibilities on real estate files to his staff, three citations for unwittingly assisting one or more clients in an improper purpose.

The Hearing Committee ordered, pursuant to Section 72(1)(b) of the *Legal Profession Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. L-8, that Mr. Hanson be suspended for 75 days, such suspension to begin December 10, 2013. The Hearing Committee also ordered Mr. Hanson to pay costs in the sum of \$8,000.00.

This Notice is issued pursuant to the requirements of Section 85 of the *Legal Profession Act*.

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