## IN THE MATTER OF PART 3 OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION ACT, RSA 2000, C. L-8

## AND

## IN THE MATTER OF A HEARING REGARDING THE CONDUCT OF NORMAN KELLY A MEMBER OF THE LAW SOCIETY OF ALBERTA

## **DISPOSITION SUMMARY – HE20170077**

Norman Kelly admitted guilt to 13 citations relating to two complaints.

With respect to the first complaint, Mr. Kelly admitted that he failed to:

- comply with an undertaking of the Court,
- respond promptly and completely (to the court, opposing counsel and the LSA),
- appear in court and meet court deadlines,
- comply with LSA's trust accounting rules,
- keep the LSA apprised of his contact information,
- be candid with the LSA, and
- comply with a condition imposed by the Benchers.

With respect to the second complaint, Mr. Kelly admitted that he failed to comply with the LSA's trust accounting rules, accepted trust funds when not authorized to do so, failed to be candid with the LSA, misled or failed to be candid with the custodian of his practice, and failed to respond promptly and completely to the LSA.

The Hearing Committee accepted the two Statements of Admitted Facts and Admissions of Guilt pursuant to section 60(2) of the *Legal Profession Act*.

The hearing was held in private as sensitive personal medical records were being discussed.

The Hearing Committee ordered that Mr. Kelly be suspended for four months, report to Practice Management within one month of reinstatement and abide by their direction, and pay costs of \$18,000.00.

This Disposition Summary will be replaced by the written Hearing Committee Report once the report is published.