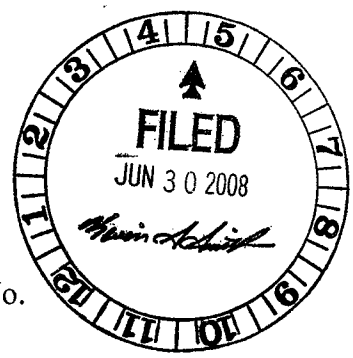
In the
Indiana Supreme Court



In the Matter of:	)	Supreme Court Cause No.
Michael G. STITES,	)	61S00-0802-DI-93
Respondent.	)	

ORDER APPOINTING HEARING OFFICER

The Indiana Supreme Court Disciplinary Commission has filed a "Verified Complaint for Disciplinary Action" against the above named attorney pursuant to Indiana Admission and Discipline Rule 23(12)(c). Pursuant to Admission and Discipline Rule 23(11)(b), this Court now appoints a hearing officer to hear this matter.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that **the Honorable Wayne S. Trockman** is appointed to hear this matter pursuant to Admission and Discipline Rule 23, and is directed to qualify and assume jurisdiction.

The hearing officer has the authority and affirmative duty to manage this case and to bring it to conclusion as expeditiously as practicable. A publication entitled "Attorney Disciplinary Cases: A Guide for Hearing Officers" may be found on the Court's website at www.in.gov/judiciary/admin/pubs.html.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to send a copy of this Order to the Honorable Wayne S. Trockman, Vanderburgh Superior Court, 825 Sycamore Street, #116, Evansville, Indiana 47708; and to the parties or their attorneys.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 30th day of June, 2008.

RT Shepard

Randall T. Shepard
Chief Justice of Indiana