

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEBRASKA

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NEBRASKA SUPREME COURT  
COURT OF APPEALS

State of Nebraska ex rel. )  
Counsel for Discipline of the )  
Nebraska Supreme Court, )  
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Relator, )  
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v. )  
 )  
Michael L. Cruise, )  
 )  
Respondent. )

No. S-02-1093

ORDER OF TEMPORARY SUSPENSION

On November 6, 2002, pursuant to an Application for Temporary Suspension made by the Chair of the District One Committee on Inquiry, Michael L. Cruise was ordered to show cause why this Court should not enter an order temporarily suspending his license to practice law in this state. Michael L. Cruise filed a response on November 12, 2002, in which he does not resist entry of an order temporarily suspending his license to practice law in the State of Nebraska.

Upon due consideration of the response, this court finds that Michael L. Cruise should be temporarily suspended from the practice of law until further order of this court.

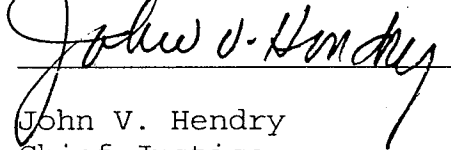
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Michael L. Cruise is suspended from the practice of law in the State of Nebraska until further order of this court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that Michael L. Cruise shall forthwith comply with Rule 16 of the Disciplinary Rules of this court, and upon his failure to do so, he shall be subject to punishment for contempt of this court.

The Clerk of the Nebraska Supreme Court is directed to cause a copy of this order to be served on Michael L. Cruise by certified United States mail.

Dated this 20 day of November 2002.

BY THE COURT:

  
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John V. Hendry  
Chief Justice