

STATE OF NEBRASKA EX REL. NEBRASKA STATE BAR ASSOCIATION,
RELATOR, v. FORREST E. EBERSOLD, RESPONDENT.

567 N.W.2d 307

Filed August 15, 1997. No. S-97-763.

Original action. Judgment of disbarment.

WHITE, C.J., CAPORALE, CONNOLLY, GERRARD, STEPHAN, and
McCORMACK, JJ.

PER CURIAM.

Forrest E. Ebersold was admitted to the practice of law in the
State of Nebraska on September 13, 1988.

On July 22, 1997, Ebersold voluntarily surrendered his
license to practice law in the State of Nebraska, stating that in
the course of representing a client in an adoption proceeding, he
falsely indicated that a decree had been signed by a judge when
in fact it had not. In so doing, Ebersold specifically admitted that
he misled his client, in violation of Canon 1, DR 1-102(A)(4), of
the Code of Professional Responsibility, as adopted by the
Nebraska Supreme Court, and engaged in conduct that was prej-
udicial to the administration of justice, in violation of Canon 1,
DR 1-102(A)(5). Ebersold waived his right to notice, appear-
ance, or hearing prior to entry of this order.

We accept Ebersold's surrender of his license to practice law
in the State of Nebraska and order him disbarred from the prac-
tice of law in the State of Nebraska, effective immediately.

Ebersold is directed to comply with Neb. Ct. R. of Discipline 16
(rev. 1996).

JUDGMENT OF DISBARMENT.

WRIGHT, J., not participating.
