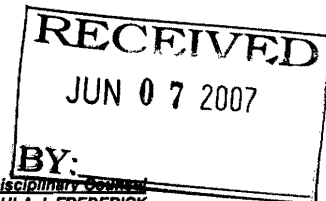


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June 4, 2007

Ms. Faith Allen
314 Bradley Street
Carrollton, GA 30117

Re: Grievance filed [REDACTED]

Dear Ms. Allen:

I have reviewed the correspondence provided regarding your grievance against [REDACTED]. You state that you retained [REDACTED] and her partner to represent you. You state that during the representation, [REDACTED] and her partner interfered with your parental rights, used confidential information against you, have refused to cease communicating with your daughter, have made false accusations about you, and have refused to release your file and other papers concerning your daughter to you. You state that [REDACTED] and her partner were never retained to represent your daughter.

[REDACTED] states that she was retained to provide services concerning your daughter. At some point during the representation, she and her partner became concerned about your daughter's well-being and began taking steps to protect her interests. [REDACTED] believes that your daughter is her client. [REDACTED] states that her firm sent your complete file to you in November 2006. She has retained the information relating to your daughter due to her growing concerns. [REDACTED] denies the other allegations you have raised against her.

Although you and your former attorney Diane Sternlieb dispute whether [REDACTED] and her partner represent your daughter, this office cannot resolve this dispute. I believe the best course of action would be to have a guardian appointed for your daughter and [REDACTED] firm was investigating that procedure prior to learning that you and your daughter have moved to an undisclosed location.

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I do not find that [REDACTED] acted unethically in this matter. I am, therefore, dismissing this grievance and no further action will be taken.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kellyn O. McGee', with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

Kellyn O. McGee
Assistant General Counsel

cc: [REDACTED]