## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA

### ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2010-55

## IN RE: PHILIP DAVID IRISH FLORIDA BAR # 652245

# FILED by <u>D.C.</u> MAY 1 2 2010 STEVEN M. LARIMORE CLERK U. S. DIST. CT. S. D. of FLA. – MIAMI

#### **ORDER OF SUSPENSION**

The above named attorney plead guilty to six felony counts in a criminal case in the 17<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit, Broward County, and upon acceptance of that plea, he was found guilty, <u>State of Florida v. Irish</u>, 05019059CF10A. The Supreme Court of Florida then suspended him from practicing law in Florida, effective thirty (30) days, following an October 8, 2008 order. Thereafter, the Clerk of this Court attempted to serve the attorney at his court record address with an Order to Show Cause why this Court should not impose the same discipline, accompanied by the Supreme Court of Florida's October 8th Order of Suspension. The attorney is currently incarcerated and service at both his court record address and his Florida Bar address were signed for by other individuals, as was service at his current place of incarceration.

Assuming service was proper, suspension is appropriate under Rule 5(d). In addition, Rule 4(a) of the Southern District of Florida Attorney Discipline Rules provides in pertinent part: "Upon the filing with this court of a certified copy of a judgement of conviction demonstrating that any attorney admitted to practice . . . has been convicted...of any serious crime...the Court shall enter an order immediately suspending that attorney . . .. That suspension so ordered shall remain in effect until final disposition of the disciplinary proceedings to be commenced upon such conviction." Finally, Administrative Order 2005-38 imposes upon the members of this Bar an obligation to provide in writing updated contact information to the Clerk within five business days of any change, and orders that "the failure of counsel...to provide such information to the Clerk...shall not constitute grounds for relief from deadlines imposed by Rule or by the Court." This obligation to maintain current

contact information is reiterated in the Court's CM/ECF Administrative Procedures Manual, Section 3D, compliance with which is mandated by Local Rule 5.5. Given this background, pursuant to Rules 4(a) and 5(d) of the Rules Governing Attorney Discipline of the Southern District of Florida, Administrative Order 2005-38, and the Court's inherent power to regulate membership in its bar for the protection of the public interest,

IT IS ORDERED that said attorney be suspended from practice in this Court, effective immediately. The Clerk of Court shall strike this attorney from the roll of attorneys eligible to practice in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, and shall also immediately revoke his CM/ECF password.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED by this Court that the Clerk of Court shall serve a copy of this Order of Suspension upon the attorney at his court record address, Florida Bar address, and current place of incarceration.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Miami-Dade County, Florida, this day of May, 2010.

FEDERICO A. MOREN

CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

 c: Honorable Joel F. Dubina, Chief Judge, Eleventh Circuit All Miami Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals Judges All Southern District Judges All Southern District Magistrate Judges United States Attorney Circuit Executive Federal Public Defender Clerk of Court Clerk of Court, 11<sup>th</sup> Circuit National Lawyer Regulatory Data Bank Florida Bar Attorney Admissions Clerk Library Philip David Irish