

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE DEVELOPMENT
OF ALTERNATIVES TO TRADITIONAL
LITIGATION FOR RESOLVING LEGAL
DISPUTES.

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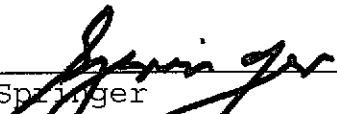
On April 10, 1998, pursuant to a certification from the State Bar of Nevada and an order of this court, Benjamin Zvenia was appointed as a non-attorney arbitrator. Subsequently, on May 14, 1998, this court dismissed an appeal by Zvenia from a judgment of conviction of one count of practicing medicine without a license. In its order dismissing the appeal, this court noted that appellant, who claims to be a naturopathic physician, engaged in conduct defined as the practice of medicine and, consequently, was sentenced to a six-year prison term and ordered to pay a fine.

Accordingly, it appears that Benjamin Zvenia is not qualified to be listed as an arbitrator in the State of Nevada. The State Bar of Nevada shall conduct an investigation into his qualifications and past record, and shall make a recommendation with respect to his fitness as an arbitrator. The State Bar


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shall file its report with this court within thirty (30) days
of the date of this order.


It is so ORDERED.


_____, C.J.
Springer


_____, J.
Shearing


_____, J.
Rose


_____, J.
Young


_____, J.
Maupin

cc: Thomas W. Biggar, Arbitration Commissioner
Wayne Blevins, Executive Director
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Benjamin Zvenia