

September 20, 2017

Mr. Jorge Dopico
Chief Attorney
Attorney Grievance Committee
State of New York
Supreme Court Appellate Division
First Judicial Department
61 Broadway 2nd Floor
New York, NY 10006

Re: Martin H. Kaplan Docket No. 2017, 1558
Lawrence G. Nusbaum Docket No. 2017, 1557

Dear Mr. Dopico,

I want to thank you for your letter(s) dated September 7, 2017. As stated, you are deferring the investigation at this time, as there is pending litigation. You asked to be notified if anything came up to warrant the investigation.

Please note that the judicial claim I had filed is full of evidence that contradicts Martin H. Kaplan's initial response to the NY Bar and the allegations of the first NY Bar complaint filed by me were simply stealing my money, omitting me out of the settlement and representing one client against another using the attorney client confidential information. In writing, he denied I was ever a client.

I would like to request that the investigation be opened immediately as I have received a letter (Exh. A) copied to me by Martin H. Kaplan, to my Warden at Coleman Low. The letter is a desperate attempt by a liar who is licensed as an attorney in the State of New York in which you are the governing body, put in place to protect the public.

I would like to bring your attention to page two of the letter in which Martin H. Kaplan contradicts his sworn statement to the

New York Bar, denying I had ever been a client when he states, "...and attorneys that have previously represented the prisoner INCLUDING a partner of my law firm." (emphasis added).

Mr. Kaplan has lied to the New York Bar on the first investigation, omitting documents I have filed in the lawsuit, and now I present you with the evidence which clearly contradicts the basis of his original defense in this matter.

I have included a Cease and Desist Motion I filed in this case and I implore you as Chief Attorney to begin this investigation as he has been caught repeatedly lying to his own professional Governing Board.

Thank You In Advance,



John A. Mattera