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June 17, 2015

**PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL**

Sebastian Doggart  
398 8th Street  
Apt. 8  
Brooklyn, New York 11215

Re: File No. K-629-15

Dear Mr. Doggart:

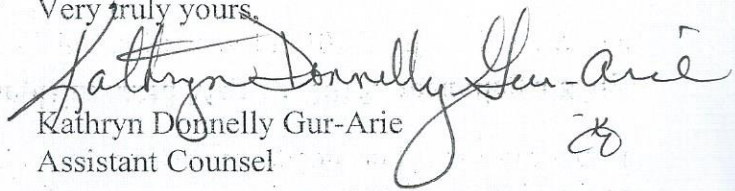
This will acknowledge receipt of your complaint dated May 19, 2015, regarding a Kings County attorney.

Please be advised that the function of this Committee is to investigate and prosecute acts of professional misconduct committed by attorneys. When a complaint is received, we review it to determine if it involves behavior which could constitute professional misconduct by the attorney. An attorney may be found guilty of professional misconduct if it can be proven that an ethical rule or law was violated. If there is a sufficient basis to conduct an investigation, the Committee will do so. Otherwise, no action will be taken.

After careful review, it has been determined that your complaint does not involve behavior constituting professional misconduct. Moreover, the issues you raise are more appropriate for resolution by a court of law or through other available legal remedies. If it is your feeling that your legal rights need protection, we recommend that you consult with an attorney of your own choosing. The Committee is not permitted to give you legal advice or act as your attorney.

Although we appreciate your efforts, we are unable to assist you.

Very truly yours,

  
Kathryn Donnelly Gur-Arie  
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February 13, 2014

**PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL**

Mark J. Sullivan  
2255 60<sup>th</sup> Street, Apt. # 2RB  
Brooklyn, New York 11204

**Re: File No: K- 147-14**

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

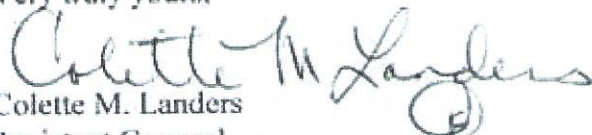
This will acknowledge receipt of your complaint dated February 5, 2014, regarding a Kings County attorney.

Please be advised that the function of this Committee is to investigate and prosecute acts of professional misconduct committed by attorneys. When a complaint is received, we review it to determine if it involves behavior which could constitute professional misconduct by the attorney. An attorney may be found guilty of professional misconduct if it can be proven that an ethical rule or law was violated. If there is a sufficient basis to conduct an investigation, the Committee will do so. However, there are instances where the Committee may decline to pursue an investigation due to other contributing factors.

After careful review, it has been determined that the issues you raise are more appropriate for consideration by the court in which your matter is pending. The Committee has no authority to remove a law guardian who has been appointed by the Court.

Therefore, although we appreciate your efforts, we regret that we are unable to assist you.

Very truly yours,

  
Colette M. Landers  
Assistant Counsel

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