

LEGAL PRACTITIONERS ORDINANCE (Chapter 159)

ORDER THAT A SOLICITOR BE STRUCK OFF FROM PRACTISING
DAVID MICHAEL LAYARD HORSFALL

In accordance with section 12(2) of the Legal Practitioners Ordinance (Chapter 159), I hereby give notice that on 6 September 2016 a Solicitors Disciplinary Tribunal ('the Tribunal') found a complaint against David Michael Layard Horsfall ('Mr. Horsfall') proved. The complaint was that Mr. Horsfall acted in breach of Rule 2(a) and (d) of the Solicitors' Practice Rules and in breach of Principle 1.02 of the Hong Kong Solicitors' Guide to Professional Conduct (Volume 1-2nd Edition).

The Tribunal ordered that:—

- (a) Mr. Horsfall be struck off from the roll of solicitors; and
- (b) the costs of the disciplinary proceedings, including the costs of the Clerk to the Tribunal, the costs of the Law Society of Hong Kong in the investigation of this matter and reserved costs be paid by Mr. Horsfall; such costs to be taxed if not agreed on a party and party basis.

The Order of the Tribunal dated 6 September 2016 was filed by the Clerk to the Tribunal with the Registrar on 13 September 2016.

14 September 2016

K. W. LUNG *Registrar, High Court*