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Grievance Committee for the
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Municipal Building
Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: George Sassower, Esq. Docket No. K-671-1984

Dear Mr. Straus:

. I enclose herewith a copy of a Summons with Notice by which Mr. Sassower has for the eighth time sued my firm, this time seeking \$100,000,000 in damages. This latest suit violates both the Order which permanently enjoined Mr. Sassower from filing suit against my firm and the other law firms and their clients also named in the Summons, and the separate Order which permanently enjoined Mr. Sassower from purporting to represent or to take any legal action on behalf of Puccini Clothes, Ltd. as he has once again done here. In my opinion, by his violation of the permanent injunction, Mr. Sassower has exceeded his own egregious conduct which prompted the Second Department to suggest that he should be subject to "strong disciplinary sanctions". Sassower v. Signorelli, 99 A.D.2d 358, 472 N.Y.S.2d 702, 704 (2d Dept't 1984). am enclosing for your convenience additional copies of these Orders which I previously transmitted to you.

I am also enclosing herewith a copy of Mr. Sassower's letter to Judge Gammerman in which Mr. Sassower states that he intends "to flood the courthouse with applications". Indeed, Mr. Sassower has made good on this threat, having filed eight separate motions and proceedings in the three days following that letter, each one of which is in violation of at least one Order of the New York State Supreme Court.

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Unquestionably, Mr. Sassower's manifest abuse of the judicial process to harass and torment the litigants, their attorneys and everyone else who dares to oppose him, has not been deterred by any of the Orders of the New York State Supreme Court which have enjoined or otherwise sanctioned such conduct. I find it unfathomable that an attorney who has conducted himself in this fashion for so many years, whose egregious and unethical conduct has been the subject of severe judicial rebuke, and who apparently has not denied and indeed cannot deny any of the serious charges that I have made in this grievance, is permitted to continue to avail himself of the privileges of practicing law in this State.

I should very much appreciate knowing what steps the Committee is taking in response to Mr. Sassower's documented misconduct.

Very truly yours,

Donald F. Schneider

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