

**October 29, 2002\***

**Joseph Dee Morrissey, Seven South Adams Street, Richmond, Virginia 23220-5601**

**VSJ Docket Number 03-000-1139**

On October 25, 2002, the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board summarily suspended Joseph Dee Morrissey's license. The suspension was based upon the decision of the United States District Court, Eastern District of Virginia, to disbar Mr. Morrissey from practice in the Eastern District of Virginia. The decision was affirmed by the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit. Mr. Morrissey is ordered to appear before the Virginia State Bar Disciplinary Board on November 22, 2002, to show cause why his license to practice law in the Commonwealth of Virginia should not be further suspended or revoked.

At the time of the board's action, Mr. Morrissey was already under a three year license suspension and was not eligible to practice law in Virginia.

**\*On November 4, 2002, Joseph Dee Morrissey demanded a three-judge court proceeding pursuant to Virginia Code Section 54.13935.**