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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA COURT OF APPEALS

No. 11-BG-517

IN RE: JOHN VENUTI,
Respondent.

Bar Registration No. 963256

BDN: 325-10

BEFORE: Blackburne-Rigsby, Associate Judge, Nebeker and King, Senior Judges.

ORDER

(FILED - June 23, 2011)

On consideration of the certified order from the Maryland Court of Appeal suspending respondent for six months, *see Attorney Grievance Com'n of Maryland v. Venuti*, 17 A.3d 143 (Md. 2011), this court's May 13, 2011, order suspending respondent pending further action of the court and directing him to show cause why identical reciprocal discipline should not be imposed, the statement of Bar Counsel regarding reciprocal discipline, and it appearing that respondent filed his affidavit as required by D.C. Bar R. XI, §14 (g) on May 19, 2011, it is

ORDERED that John Venuti, Esquire is hereby suspended from the practice of law in the District of Columbia for a period of six months, *nunc pro tunc* to May 19, 2011. *See In re Fuller*, 930 A.2d 194, 198 (D.C. 2007) and *In re Willingham*, 900 A.2d 165 (D.C. 2006) (rebuttable presumption of identical reciprocal discipline applies to all cases in which the respondent does not participate, including those involving disbarment).

PER CURIAM