

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
FOR ADMISSION OF ATTORNEY  
ALEXANDER J. BERRY-SANTORO.

Administrative Order  
No. 19- AD-087

**ORDER**

This matter comes before the Court on the application for admission (the "Application") and supporting documentation thereof filed by Alexander J. Berry-Santoro (P41099). In his Application, Attorney Berry-Santoro requests that the court allow him admission to practice law in this District. See W.D. Mich. LGenR 2.1(a). Chief Judge Robert J. Jonker assigned this matter to the undersigned three-judge panel (the "Panel") for hearing and decision. See Administrative Order No. 19-AD-078.

The court conducted a hearing on October 10, 2019, at which time Attorney Berry-Santoro appeared.

Having considered Attorney Berry-Santoro's written and oral submissions, the Panel unanimously agrees that the Application should be granted, subject to conditions. Accordingly,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Application is **GRANTED, subject to the following conditions:**

1. Applicant shall attend the November 2019 State Bar of Michigan Tips and Tools seminar, as required by the Attorney Grievance Commission.
2. Applicant shall attend not less than 7 hours of bankruptcy-specific education (calculated on a 60-minute hour), including not less than 1.5 hours of ethics-related education. Such education shall include, but is not limited to, the

American Bankruptcy Institute Consumer Bankruptcy Conference to be held in Troy, Michigan, on November 11, 2019.

3. Applicant shall seek and receive not less than two hours of personal, on-site training, from the Clerk of the Bankruptcy Court, concerning e-filing and electronic case filing administrative procedures. Said training may be provided telephonically if approved by the Clerk.
4. Applicant continues to meet the requirements for Applicant eligibility under W.D. Mich. LGenR 2.1(a).

Upon the completion and satisfaction of the requirements set forth in paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 above, but not earlier than December 4, 2019, nor later than January 31, 2020, Applicant shall file an affidavit or unsworn declaration pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746 attesting to the completion and satisfaction of those requirements, at which time Applicant's admission shall become effective.

Dated: October 16, 2019

*Janet T. Neff, with permission  
James W. Boyd*

JANET T. NEFF  
United States District Judge

Dated: October 16, 2019

*Maarten Vermaat, with permission  
James W. Boyd*

MAARTEN VERMAAT  
United States Magistrate Judge

Dated: October 16, 2019

*James W. Boyd*

JAMES W. BOYD  
United States Bankruptcy Judge