

Louisiana State Bar Formal Complaint

Complainant Information

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Attorney Complained Of

Name: Amy Johnson
Status: Louisiana-licensed attorney
Relationship: Hired to represent me in inheritance/estate and property matters.

Nature of Complaint

Attorney Amy Johnson permitted the sale of **ten (10) acres of property** for less than the fair market value of a single acre, resulting in major financial harm.

She had prior personal and professional engagements with my brother, Mark Havens, creating a clear **conflict of interest**. Despite this, she allowed him to sign legal paperwork that I should have signed myself.

She **delayed the inheritance process** excessively, failing to resolve matters in a timely manner. These delays deprived me of access to my rightful inheritance.

As a direct result of Ms. Johnson's misconduct, I suffered devastating personal consequences, including the loss of my inheritance and property, and I was rendered **homeless**.

Rules Violated

- Rule 1.1 – Competence
- Rule 1.3 – Diligence
- Rule 1.4 – Communication
- Rule 1.7 – Conflict of Interest
- Rule 1.8 – Transactions with Clients
- Breach of Fiduciary Duty

Harm Suffered

- Severe financial loss
- Loss of rightful inheritance
- Loss of property
- Homelessness

Relief Requested

I respectfully request that the Louisiana State Bar investigate Attorney Amy Johnson's conduct and impose appropriate disciplinary action, up to and including suspension or disbarment.

Supporting Evidence (available upon request):

- Property records and deeds of the 10-acre sale
- Communications with Ms. Johnson
- Documentation of my brother's improper involvement in signing documents
- Records showing delays in finalizing the estate inheritance

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