FORMAL ORDER OF THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL LEGAL COUNCIL

COMPLAINT NO: 136/2017
IN THE MATTER OF THE GENERAL LEGAL COUNCIL
(ALLAN WOOD Q.C.) VS ARNALDO BROWN

AND
IN THE MATTER OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION ACT
1971

PANEL:

MRS. PAMELA BENKA-COKER, Q.C.

MR. PETER CHAMPAGNIE MS. DELROSE CAMPBELL

DECISION DELIVERED 14TH APRIL, 2018

UPON THE APPLICATION made under section 12 (1) (a) of the Legal Profession Act and dated the 19th day of July, 2017 coming on for hearing before the Disciplinary Committee on the 3rd February, 2018, 14th April, 2018, 2nd June, 2018 and 13th September, 2018.

AND UPON the Respondent Attorney-at-law Arnaldo Brown appearing on 13th September, 2018 with Counsel Leonard Green but having not appeared on the 3rd February, 2018,14, April, 2018 but having Council Leonard Green appearing on the 2nd June, 2018

AND UPON the Complainant Allan Wood, Q.C. appearing with Counsel Candice Williams and having given evidence on oath

AND UPON the Respondent Attorney admitting through his Counsel Leonard Green to having committed breaches of the Legal Profession (Accounts and Records) Regulations for the years 2002, 2004, 2007, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2016 contrary to sections 16 (1) and 17 of the said Regulations.

AND UPON the Committee finding that such breaches by the Attorney Arnaldo Brown amounted to professional misconduct contrary to section 12(1) (a) of the Legal Profession Act.

PURSUANT TO THE FOREGOING FINDINGS THE COMMITTEE UNANIMOUSLY ORDERED THAT: -

The attorney at-law Arnaldo Brown should pay a fine of \$30,000.00 for each year that he was found to be in breach of the Legal Profession (Accounts and Records) Regulations 1999, plus costs of \$60,000.00 amounting to a sum of \$300,000.00 to the General Legal Council on or before 16th November, 2018.

CHAIRMAN OF PANEL

Dated the 30th April, 2018.