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THE SUPREME COURT OF WASHINGTON

IN RE: DEREK J. ASHTON, WSBA No. 40406	Supreme Court No. 202344-4 RECIPROCAL DISCIPLINE ORDER PURSUANT TO ELC 9.2(e)

On May 21, 2026, the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon entered an Order suspending Derek J. Ashton from the practice of law in Oregon for 30 days, effective July 20, 2026. Upon notification of the action of the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon, this court issued an order, pursuant to ELC 9.2(c), directing Derek J. Ashton to inform this court of any claim that the imposition of identical discipline in the state would be unwarranted. On June 11, 2026, Derek J. Ashton filed a response. On June 12, 2026, the WSBA filed a reply. The Court reviewed the file in this matter and determined that the following order should be entered.

IT IS ORDERED:

The Washington State Supreme Court does hereby reciprocate discipline in the State of Washington. Derek J. Ashton is suspended from the practice of law for 30 days, effective July 20, 2026.

DATED at Olympia, Washington this 30th day of June, 2026.

For the Court

Stephens, C. J.
CHIEF JUSTICE