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BEFORE THE  
DISCIPLINARY BOARD  
OF THE  
WASHINGTON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION

DISCIPLINARY BOARD

In re

**J. CRAIG BARRILE,**

Lawyer (WSBA No.22198)

Proceeding No. 12#00127

ORDER CONDITIONALLY APPROVING  
STIPULATION (ELC 9.1(d))

This matter came before the Disciplinary Board at its July 12, 2013 meeting.

On review of the Stipulation to Suspension, the Board approves the stipulation on the condition that the parties agree to increase the length of the suspension to 24 months. Respondent's conduct was knowing and the harm to some clients was serious. Additionally, the conduct in this matter is similar to *In re Shepard*, 169 Wn.2d 697, 239 P.3d 1066 92010). The Board recognizes that this is a stipulated result, but believes that the appropriate sanction should be consistent with *Shepard*. Allowing clients to believe they are represented by a lawyer, when the work is performed by a nonlawyer is a serious violation of the Rules of Professional Conduct.

IT IS ORDERED that the Stipulation is conditionally approved.<sup>1</sup> The stipulation, as conditioned, will be deemed approved, if, within 14 days of service of this order, both parties serve on the Clerk, written consent to the increased sanction noted in this order.

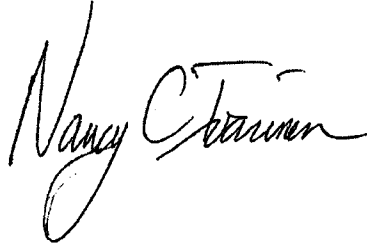
The parties may, within 14 days of service of this order, serve on the Clerk, a joint

<sup>1</sup>The vote on this matter was 7-4. Those voting in the majority Bray, Broom, Coy, Ivarinen, McInville, Neiland, and Ogura.

Those voting in the minority were: Butterworth, Carrington, Dremousis, and Evans. These members would have approved the stipulation as submitted to the Board. Although these members noted *In re Shepard*, 169 Wn.2d 697, 239 P.3d 1066 92010), they believe the stipulated sanction is appropriate given respondent's choice to take responsibility for his actions and enter into a stipulation.

1 motion for reconsideration and may ask to address the Board on the motion. A request to  
2 address the Board would be placed on the Board's September 2013 meeting agenda.

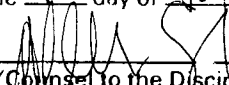
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4 Dated this 31st day of July, 2013.

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8 Nancy C. Ivarinen  
9 Disciplinary Board Chair

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12 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

13 I certify that I caused a copy of the Order Conditionally Approving Stipulation  
14 to be delivered to the Office of Disciplinary Counsel and to be mailed  
15 to DONALD CURRIE, Respondent/Respondent's Counsel  
16 at 601 W. Main Ave. #1112 Spokane, WA 99201, by Certified/first class mail  
17 postage prepaid on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July, 2013

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Clerk/Counsel to the Disciplinary Board