

THE SUPREME COURT OF WASHINGTON

IN RE)
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 MICHAEL RAY KARBER,)
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 ATTORNEY AT LAW.)
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BAR NO. 24044
 Supreme Court No.
 201,091-1
 ORDER
 PURSUANT TO
 ELC 9.2(e)

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On November 7, 2011, the Supreme Court of the State of Arizona entered an Order suspending Michael Ray Karber from the practice of law in Arizona for six months based upon the following: Michael Ray Karber's work as a paralegal during a previously imposed suspension largely constituted the practice of law and Michael Ray Karber was not supervised by a licensed Arizona attorney nor was he a licensed Certified Legal Document Preparer. ELC 9.2(e) provides that a final adjudication of lawyer misconduct in another jurisdiction conclusively establishes the misconduct for purposes of a disciplinary proceeding in this state. Upon notification of the action of the Supreme Court of the State of Arizona, this Court issued an order, pursuant to ELC 9.2(c), directing Michael Ray Karber to inform this Court of any claim that the imposition of identical discipline in the state would be unwarranted. On October 8, 2012, Michael Ray Karber filed a response and on October 11, 2012, the Washington State Bar Association filed a reply. The Court having reviewed the file in this matter has determined unanimously that the following order should be entered. Now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED:

The Washington State Supreme Court does hereby reciprocate discipline in the State of Washington and orders that Michael Ray Karber is suspended from the practice of law for six (6) months and that the suspension be retroactive to November 7, 2011.

DATED at Olympia, Washington this 14th day of November, 2012.

For the Court

Madsen, C. J.
 CHIEF JUSTICE

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Re: Bar No. 24044 – In re Michael Ray Karber, Attorney at Law
Supreme Court No. 201,091-1

Counsel & Mr. Karber:

Enclosed please find the Order signed by the Supreme Court Chief Justice on November 14, 2012.

Sincerely,

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DRC:drc

Enclosure as stated

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