

THE SUPREME COURT OF WASHINGTON

IN RE)
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 ALLEN R. PETERS,)
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 ATTORNEY AT LAW.)
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BAR NO. 24988

 Supreme Court No.
 201,775-4

 ORDER
 PURSUANT TO
 ELC 9.2

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By order of the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon, filed May 3, 2018, Allen R. Peters stipulated to an eight-month suspension, with all but 30 days stayed subject to successful completion of two years of probation. Mr. Peters was disciplined because he: (1) prematurely removed \$1,015.50 in unearned client funds from his trust account, in violation of Oregon RPC (RPC) 1.15-1(a); (2) deposited \$1,015.50 of his own funds into trust, in violation of RPC 1.15-1(b); (3) failed to maintain client funds in trust until earned or costs incurred, in violation of RPC 1.15-1(c); (4) engaged in a course of neglectful conduct, in violation of RPC 1.3; and (5) caused prejudice to the administration of justice, in violation of RPC 8.4(a)(4). 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 Mr. Peters to inform this Court of any claim that the imposition of identical discipline in this state would be unwarranted. On June 4, 2018, Mr. Peters filed a response. On June 5, 2018, the WSBA notified the Court that they will not be filing a reply. The Court reviewed the file in this matter and has determined unanimously that the following order should be entered. Now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED:

The Washington State Supreme Court hereby imposes reciprocal discipline in the State of Washington. Allen R. Peters is suspended from the practice of law for eight

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months with all but 30 days of the suspension stayed, conditioned on his successful completion of a two-year term of probation. The effective date of suspension is May 21, 2018.

DATED at Olympia, Washington this 14th day of June, 2018.

For the Court

Fairhurst, C.J.
CHIEF JUSTICE