

In the United States Court of Federal Claims

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U.S. COURT OF
FEDERAL CLAIMS

In the Matter of:

Patricia Joan Barry

No. 18-11221

FINAL ORDER

On May 17, 2017, the Supreme Court of California ordered that Patricia Joan Barry be disbarred from the practice of law in California. *See* California Supreme Court docket no. S238855; *see also In re Patricia Joan Barry*, Nos. 14-O-02579, 14-O-03165 (State Bar Court of CA filed Oct. 31, 2016).

On June 18, 2019, this Court issued an order directing Ms. Barry to show cause within thirty (30) days why the Court should not impose discipline equivalent to that imposed by the Supreme Court of California. To date, Ms. Barry has not responded to the Order to Show Cause.¹

Ms. Barry has been a member of this Court's bar since March 5, 1980. Under Rule 83.2(c)(2) of the Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims ("RCFC"), an attorney admitted to practice before this Court may be disciplined on the grounds of an act or omission that results in the disbarment of the attorney by another court.

Furthermore, Ms. Barry failed to promptly notify the Court of her disbarment. Her failure to notify this Court is a violation of RCFC 83.2(e)(1), which requires an attorney admitted to practice before this Court to notify the Clerk in writing within fourteen (14) days of the attorney's disbarment by another court. Failure to do so is grounds for discipline under RCFC 83.2(c)(4). For these reasons,

¹ The Court attempted to serve Ms. Barry with a copy of the Show Cause Order on June 18, 2019. The Order was returned to the Court in an envelope marked "Return to Sender . . . Attempted – Not Known . . . Unable to Forward."

IT IS ORDERED that Patricia Joan Barry be disbarred from practice before the United States Court of Federal Claims, effective, *nunc pro tunc*, May 17, 2017, the date of her disbarment in California. The filing of any petition for reinstatement will be governed by RCFC 83.2(k)(1).



NANCY B. FIRESTONE
Senior Judge



PATRICIA E. CAMPBELL-SMITH
Judge



RICHARD A. HERTLING
Judge