

In the United States Court of Federal Claims

(Filed: September 22, 2025)

In re: Paul J. Harris

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Case No. 25-11280

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FINAL ORDER

On March 21, 2025, the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia entered an order suspending Paul J. Harris from the practice of law for two years. *Law. Disciplinary Bd. v. Paul J. Harris*, No. 23-419 (W. Va. 2025).¹ Mr. Harris notified this Court of his suspension, as is required by Rule 83.2(e)(1)(B) of the Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims (“RCFC”), on May 7, 2025.

Mr. Harris has been a member of this Court’s bar since March 18, 1997, and has no pending cases. Under RCFC 83.2(c)(2), an attorney admitted to practice before this Court may be disciplined for an act or omission that results in the attorney’s disbarment or suspension by another court.

On June 13, 2025, the Court issued an order directing Mr. Harris to show cause within 30 days why he should not be suspended from the practice of law before the United States Court of Federal Claims. ECF No. 4. The Order to Show Cause further stated that if no response was received, Mr. Harris would be suspended from practice. *Id.* On August 4, 2025, Mr. Harris responded to the Order to Show Cause and did not object to the imposition of reciprocal discipline. ECF No. 5. Therefore,

IT IS ORDERED that Paul J. Harris is suspended from practice before the United States Court of Federal Claims for two years, effective, *nunc pro tunc*, April 22, 2025, the date of his suspension by the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia. The filing of any petition for reinstatement will be governed by RCFC 83.2(k)(1).


THOMPSON M. DIETZ
Judge


PHILIP S. HADJI
Judge


ZACHARY N. SOMERS
Judge

¹ That order became final on April 22, 2025.