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**BEFORE THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING COMMISSION
IN AND FOR THE STATE OF WASHINGTON**

In re the Certification of

NO. 21-002

SETH JONES

STATEMENT OF CHARGES

Respondent.

On August 1, 2020, SETH JONES, a certified peace officer with the Washington State Patrol (WSP), was discharged for disqualifying misconduct pursuant to former RCW 43.101.105(1)(d) (2011) and RCW 43.101.010(8)(a)(i)(B) and (b) (2020). The disqualifying misconduct included conduct that would constitute a crime involving dishonesty or false statement within the meaning of ER 609(a), to wit: Making a false or misleading statement to a public servant. RCW 9A.76.175. The disqualifying misconduct is as follows:

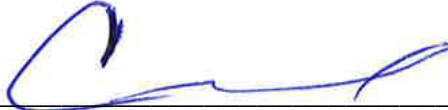
Count I – False Statement

On October 23, 2018, JONES gave false and/or misleading material statements to WSP Detective Garden and Sergeant Detective Rodriguez during a criminal investigation. These false and/or misleading statements were reasonably likely to be relied upon by the detectives in the discharge of their official powers or duties. RCW 9A.76.175.

1 The discharge is final and some or all of the acts or omissions forming the basis
2 for the discharge proceedings occurred on or after January 1, 2002.
3 Former RCW 43.101.105(1)(d) (2011).

4 DATED this 22nd day of February 2023.

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