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

In re the Certification of

NO. C22-131

ERIN WILLEY

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Respondent.

STATEMENT OF CHARGES

On or about December 22, 2022, the Washington State Criminal Justice Training
 Commission (the Commission), received a complaint alleging that ERIN WILLEY, a
 certified peace officer currently employed by the Lewis County Sheriff's Office (LCSO),
 engaged in conduct subjecting her peace officer certification to discipline under
 RCW 43.101.105(3). The circumstances are as follows:

<u>COUNT I</u>

Between November 2016 and October 2017, WILLEY affiliated with one or more
extremist organizations. Specifically, WILLEY knowingly or publicly wore items,
symbols, costumes, insignias, and/or slogans associated with an affiliate group of the
Proud Boys, an extremist organization as defined by WAC 139-01-310(14). Such
misconduct subjects WILLEY'S peace officer certification to discipline under
RCW 43.101.105(3)(i).
AND/OR

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1	COUNT II
2	Between November 2016 and July 2018, WILLEY engaged in conduct that failed
3	to meet the ethical and professional standards required of a peace officer and disrupted,
4	diminished, or otherwise jeopardized public trust or confidence in the law enforcement
5	profession when she: (1) modeled, advertised, and sold apparel associated with the
6	Proud Boys Girls, a Proud Boys affiliate group; and/or (2) filmed a Proud Boys initiation
7	ritual involving the physical beating of her domestic partner at the time; and/or (3) failed
8	to disclose her former affiliation with the Proud Boys and/or Proud Boys Girls to the
9	Clark County Sheriff's Office, her employer from June 2017 to July 2018. Such
10	misconduct subjects WILLEY'S peace officer certification to discipline under
11	RCW 43.101.105(3)(j)(iv).
12	DATED this <u>13</u> day of November 2024.
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14	By:
15	KIMBERLY A. BLISS
16	Assistant Director, Certification Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission
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