

1 Hearing Date: June 22, 1:30pm
2 Presiding: Honorable John O. Cooney
3 Place: Department 9
4 Address: Spokane County Court House
1116 W. Broadway Avenue
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8 IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
9 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SPOKANE

10 EUGSTER, STEPHEN KERR,

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12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 WASHINGTON STATE BAR
15 ASSOCIATION *et al.* ,

16 Defendants.

No. 18-02-00542-1

DEFENDANTS' JOINT MOTION
TO DISMISS

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18 Defendants move to dismiss the Complaint of Stephen Kerr Eugster (“Eugster”) with
19 prejudice on four independent grounds. First, the statements that form the basis of all five of
20 Eugster’s claims are entitled to absolute immunity. Second, the doctrine of collateral estoppel
21 bars Eugster’s claims. Third, Eugster fails to state a valid claim for which relief can be granted.
22 Finally, Defendants the Washington State Bar Association and Paula Littlewood are immune
23 from suit under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. Eugster’s claims are fatally deficient and amendment would
24 be futile. Thus, the Complaint should be dismissed with prejudice.

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26 This motion is based on the records and file herein and Defendants’ Memorandum in
27 Support of Joint Motion to Dismiss.

1 DATED this 25th day of May, 2018.

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