IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEBRASKA

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State of Nebraska ex rel. Counsel for Discipline	SEP 1 8 2002
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Relator,) No. S-02-0988. COURT OF APPEALS
V.) ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
_James M. Allen,)
Respondent.	, ,

On September 3, 2002, the Office of the Counsel for Discipline filed a motion for reciprocal discipline in regard to James M. Allen, respondent.

The court finds that respondent was admitted to the practice of law in the State of Nebraska on June 23, 1967.

On March 22, 2002, the Supreme Court of Illinois suspended the respondent for a period of 90 days and ordered him to complete the ethics program of the Illinois Professional Responsibility Institute.

Neb. Ct. R. of Discipline 21 (rev. 2001) provides in part that upon receipt of appropriate notice that a member of Nebraska's bar has been disciplined in another jurisdiction, the Nebraska Supreme Court may enter an order imposing the identical discipline, or greater or lesser discipline as the court deems appropriate.

Upon consideration, the court finds that respondent should show cause within 14 days after receipt of this order why this court should not enter an order suspending or disbarring him from the practice of law in the State of Nebraska until further order of this court.

The Clerk of the Nebraska Supreme Court is directed to cause a

copy of this order to be served on respondent by certified United States mail.

Dated this day of September, 2002.

BY THE COURT:

John V. Hendry Chief Justice