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

In re the Certification of
JEROD GAVIN
Respondent.

NO. 21-068
STATEMENT OF CHARGES

On or about December 3, 2021, JEROD GAVIN, while employed as a certified peace officer with the Omak Police Department, engaged in disqualifying misconduct pursuant to RCW 43.101.105(3)(j)(iii) and (iv). Additionally, GAVIN resigned in lieu of discharge after the misconduct occurred. RCW 43.101.105(3)(k). The misconduct is as follows:

Count I

On or about December 3, 2021, while on-duty as a peace officer, GAVIN engaged in unsafe practices involving firearms, weapons, or vehicles, which indicate either a willful or wanton disregard for the safety of persons or property. These unsafe practices included driving his department-issued vehicle to work while intoxicated, possessing his department-issued firearm while intoxicated, having a personal firearm in his department-issued vehicle while intoxicated, and performing his duties as a police officer while intoxicated. RCW 43.101.105(3)(j)(iii).

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1 **Count II**

2 On or about December 3, 2021, while on-duty as a peace officer, GAVIN
3 engaged in conduct that failed to meet the ethical and professional standards required
4 of a peace officer; engaged in conduct that diminished or otherwise jeopardized public
5 trust and confidence in Omak Police Department; and engaged in conduct
6 demonstrating an inability to uphold his sworn oath. This conduct included being
7 intoxicated while on-duty as a peace officer and associated bad acts, as described in
8 Count I. This conduct also included making false or misleading statements
9 about his intoxicated status to Omak Chief of Police Daniel Christensen.
10 RCW 43.101.105(3)(j)(iv).

11 **Count III**

12 On or about December 27, 2021, GAVIN resigned in lieu of discharge for the
13 misconduct alleged in Counts I and II of this Statement of Charges.
14 RCW 43.101.105(3)(k).

15 DATED this 28 of July, 2022.

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