

## **NOTICE**

### **Suspension**

On November 2, 2021, a Hearing Committee of the Law Society of Alberta found the conduct of **Warren W.C. Woo**, an active member of the Law Society who lives and practices in Calgary, Alberta, to be deserving of sanction on ten citations. Pursuant to section 72(1)(b) of the *Legal Profession Act*, RSA 2000, c. L-8, the Hearing Committee ordered that Mr. Woo be suspended for eight months, commencing December 1, 2021.

Of the ten citations, two related to Mr. Woo's failure to supervise his staff and five related to his failure to comply with the Accounting Rules of the Law Society of Alberta. These failures created the conditions that allowed his legal assistant to misappropriate a large sum of money held in trust. The three remaining citations related to his inability to fulfill undertakings to other lawyers following the theft.

The Hearing Committee also ordered that Mr. Woo pay costs of \$15,000.00 within one year of the date of reinstatement.

The following lawyer will assume carriage of Mr. Woo's practice during the period of suspension:

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The full written decision of the Hearing Committee will be posted to the Law Society of Alberta website when it is issued.

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