

*State of New York  
Supreme Court, Appellate Division  
Third Judicial Department*

Decided and Entered: September 11, 2025

PM-200-25

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In the Matter of CHRISTOPHER LEE  
ASHLEY, an Attorney.

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER  
ON MOTION

(Attorney Registration No. 5331947)

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Calendar Date: August 27, 2025

Before: Garry, P.J., Arons, Fisher, McShan and Mackey, JJ.

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*Christopher Lee Ashley, Middleton, Wisconsin, pro se.*

*Monica A. Duffy, Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial  
Department, Albany (Alison M. Coan of counsel), for Attorney Grievance Committee for  
the Third Judicial Department.*

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Per Curiam.

Christopher Lee Ashley was admitted to practice by this Court in 2015 and lists a business address in Albany, New York with the Office of Court Administration. Ashley now seeks leave to resign from the New York bar for nondisciplinary reasons (*see* Rules for Atty Disciplinary Matters [22 NYCRR] § 1240.22 [a]). The Attorney Grievance Committee for the Third Judicial Department (hereinafter AGC) advises that it does not oppose Ashley's application.

Upon reading Ashley's affidavit sworn to June 24, 2025, and filed August 4, 2025, and upon reading the August 27, 2025 correspondence in response by the Deputy Chief Attorney for AGC, and having determined that Ashley is eligible to resign for nondisciplinary reasons, we grant his application and accept his resignation.

Garry, P.J., Aarons, Fisher, McShan and Mackey, JJ., concur.

ORDERED that Christopher Lee Ashley's application for permission to resign is granted and his nondisciplinary resignation is accepted; and it is further

ORDERED that Christopher Lee Ashley's name is hereby stricken from the roll of attorneys and counselors-at-law of the State of New York, effective immediately, and until further order of this Court (*see generally* Rules for Atty Disciplinary Matters [22 NYCRR] § 1240.22 [b]); and it is further

ORDERED that Christopher Lee Ashley is commanded to desist and refrain from the practice of law in any form in the State of New York, either as principal or as agent, clerk or employee of another; and Ashley is hereby forbidden to appear as an attorney or counselor-at-law before any court, judge, justice, board, commission or other public authority, or to give to another an opinion as to the law or its application, or any advice in relation thereto, or to hold himself out in any way as an attorney and counselor-at-law in this State; and it is further

ORDERED that Christopher Lee Ashley shall, within 30 days of the date of this decision, surrender to the Office of Court Administration any Attorney Secure Pass issued to him.

ENTER:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Robert D. Mayberger". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, stylized "R" and "M".

Robert D. Mayberger  
Clerk of the Court