

1 **Rule 15-606. Prior discipline orders.**

2 Absent aggravating or mitigating circumstances, upon application of the factors set out in
3 Rule 15-604 of this Article, the following principles generally apply in cases involving prior
4 discipline.

5 (a) The district court or Supreme Court may impose further sanctions upon a licensed
6 paralegal practitioner who violates the terms of a prior disciplinary order.

7 (b) When a licensed paralegal practitioner engages in misconduct similar to that for which
8 the licensed paralegal practitioner has previously been disciplined, the appropriate sanction will
9 generally be one level more severe than the sanction the licensed paralegal practitioner
10 previously received, provided that the harm requisite for the higher sanction is present.