

## Bar Action on Ehrlichman

Seattle

John Ehrlichman's conviction on perjury and conspiracy charges will lead to his temporary suspension from the practice of law in Washington state where he makes his home, the state Bar Association president said yesterday.

Cleary S. Cone said that the association's disciplinary body will investigate the case and recommend whether Ehrlichman should be permanently disbarred.

Ehrlichman, a Seattle resident, was convicted Friday in U.S. District Court in Washington, D.C., in connection with the 1971 burglary of the office of the psychiatrist of Daniel Ellsberg. The former top presidential aide

has said he will appeal the verdict.

Cone said the Bar Association's nine-member disciplinary board will submit a certified copy of Ehrlichman's conviction judgment to the state Supreme Court, which will be asked to issue an order temporarily suspending Ehrlichman from practicing law in the state.

After the temporary suspension, a trial committee of several lawyers will review the case and make a recommendation to the Bar Association's disciplinary board for further review with the recommendation going to the state Supreme Court.

Final judgment will be made by the state high court.

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