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TURNER, MELVIN G.

BPR # 004439

September 21, 2000

County: Shelby

District: 9

Suspended for one (1) year by order entered September 21, 2000, with all time being suspended except for thirty (30) days, and remainder of time being served on probation. He neglected his clients' legal matters, failed to adequately communicate with his clients; failed to release his clients' files upon request; failed to timely pay monies from a settlement that were due to a medical creditor of his client; and attempted to practice law in Mississippi without a Mississippi law license. The one (1) year suspension, less 30 days, was suspended pursuant to Mr. Turner fulfilling certain probationary requirements -- obtaining a monitor, attending the Board's Ethics School, closing an estate, etc.



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