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TEMPORARY SUSPENSION VACATED

The June 28, 2001 temporary suspension of James Lee Phelan, a lawyer of Memphis, Tennessee, has been vacated by the Supreme Court of Tennessee by Order filed November 20, 2001.

Phelan's temporary suspension resulted from the Board of Professional Responsibility filing a petition under the provisions of Section 4.3 of the Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9 based upon failure to respond to the Board following notification of a complaint filed against him. Phelan petitioned to have the temporary suspension lifted and a panel of the Board convened in a hearing and recommended that the suspension be dissolved. The Tennessee Supreme Court acted upon the Board's recommendation and reinstated James Lee Phelan to the practice of law.

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