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FORMER NASHVILLE ATTORNEY DISBARRED

On March 4, 2002, the Supreme Court of Tennessee entered an order disbarring Attorney Almose A. Thompson.

On January 22, 2001, the Board of Professional Responsibility filed a Petition for Discipline against Thompson. On December 18, 2001, a Hearing Panel of the Board of Professional Responsibility recommended Thompson be disbarred for failing to fully comply with the Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court granting Thompson reinstatement with conditions; for neglecting clients' cases; misrepresenting facts to a client; failing to keep clients informed and failing to appear in court for a client.

In Tennessee, disbarred lawyers may after five years apply for reinstatement of their law licenses. However, to be reinstated, Thompson must show by clear and convincing evidence that his reinstatement will not be detrimental to the integrity and standing of the bar or administration of justice or subversive to the public interest.

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