

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

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**IN RE: DOUGLAS RALPH BEIER, BPR #005777**  
(Hamblen County)

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**No. M2023-00356-SC-BAR-BP**  
BOPR No. 2022-3280-1-AW-30.4(d)

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**ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT**

This matter is before the Court, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 30.4(d), upon a Petition for Reinstatement filed on September 20, 2022, by the Petitioner, Douglas Ralph Beier. Mr. Beier was suspended from the practice of law by Order of this Court on October 2, 2020. On January 23, 2023, the Hearing Panel's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law were entered, recommending the reinstatement of Mr. Beier with conditions. On February 23, 2023, the Hearing Panel entered its Findings and Judgment for Assessment of Costs. Mr. Beier waived his right to appeal by Notice filed February 10, 2023. The Board considered and approved both decisions of the Hearing Panel on February 28, 2023.

From all of which, the Court approves the Hearing Panel's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and the Findings and Judgment for Assessment of Costs and adopts the same as this Court's Order.

IT IS, THEREFORE, CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED BY THE COURT:

1. The Petitioner, Douglas Ralph Beier, is hereby reinstated to the practice of law in the State of Tennessee pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 30.4(d), subject to the following conditions:

- a. Mr. Beier shall engage a practice monitor for a period of six (6) months. Mr. Beier shall meet weekly, by phone, or in person with his practice monitor to review his office practice and client case management to ensure adherence to best practices and ethical rules. Mr. Beier shall ensure the practice monitor provides a monthly written report to the Board regarding Mr. Beier's client case

management and compliance with his professional obligations; and

- b. Mr. Beier shall complete yearly a minimum of fifteen (15) hours of Continuing Legal Education, including at least three (3) hours of legal ethics, as long as he remains licensed.

2. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 24.3, Mr. Beier shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$965.00 and shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, within ninety (90) days of the entry of this Order, for all of which execution may issue if necessary.

3. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this reinstatement to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM