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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: JEWEL GUY BOOZER, BPR # 21848
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November 2, 2011

TIPTON COUNTY LAWYER CENSURED

On November 2, 2011, Jewel Guy Boozer, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, received a Public Censure from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court.

Mr. Boozer agreed to represent his client in seeking compensation for the client's hearing loss from his prior employer. Mr. Boozer failed to pursue the matter, failed to communicate with his client, and failed to return the client's documents. Additionally, Mr. Boozer failed to respond to the Board's correspondence concerning his client's allegations of misconduct.

By the aforementioned acts, Jewel Guy Boozer has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 1.3 (diligence), 1.4 (communication), 1.16 (terminating representation), and 8.1(b) (responding to disciplinary authority) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

A Public Censure is a rebuke and warning to the attorney, but it does not affect the attorney's ability to practice law.

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IN RE: JEWEL GUY BOOZER, BPR NO. 21848
Respondent, an attorney licensed
to practice law in Tennessee
(Tipton County)

FILE NO. 33907C-8-BG


PUBLIC CENSURE

The above complaint was filed against Jewel Guy Boozer, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, alleging certain acts of misconduct. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 9, the Board of Professional Responsibility considered these matters at its meeting on September 9, 2011.

The Respondent's Client alleges that in April 2008, the Respondent agreed to represent him in seeking compensation for his hearing loss. The Client met with the Respondent twice in April 2008, and returned to the Respondent's office in January and February of 2009. The Respondent told the Client that he was working on the case. The Client went back to the Respondent's office in late 2010, and was told that the Respondent no longer had a law license. The Client asserts that he needs his papers back, but has been unable to contact the Respondent. The Respondent has failed to respond to the Board.

By the aforementioned facts, Jewel Guy Boozer, has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 1.3 (diligence), 1.4 (communication), 1.16 (terminating representation), and 8.1(b) (responding to disciplinary authority) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

FOR THE BOARD OF
PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY



Lela Hollabaugh, Chair

10-25-11

Date