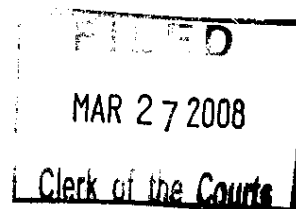


IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

**IN RE: GARY D. COPAS, BPR #003608**  
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee  
(Davidson County)



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B.O.P.R. Docket No. 2006-1607-5-SG

No. M2008-00629-5C-BPO-BP

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**ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT**

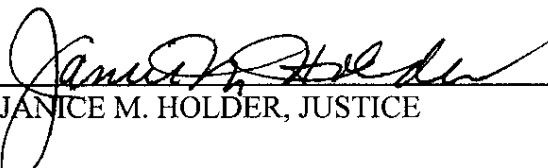
This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Discipline filed by the Board of Professional Responsibility against the Respondent, Gary D. Copas; upon the Answer of Respondent to Petition for Discipline; upon the Respondent's Conditional Guilty Plea and the entire record in this cause.

From all of which the Court accepts the Respondent's Conditional Guilty Plea and concludes that the Respondent's Conditional Guilty Plea for a Public Censure and a refund of \$2,500 to the Complainant is appropriate.

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

1. The Respondent, Gary D. Copas, is publicly censured and ordered to refund \$2,500 to the Complainant; and
2. Pursuant to Rule 9, § 24.3 of the Rules of the Supreme Court, the Respondent shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$708.00, and in addition, shall pay the clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, for all of which execution may issue if necessary; and
3. The Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee shall cause notice of this censure to be published as required by Rule 9, § 18.10 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Tennessee.

**FOR THE COURT:**

  
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JANICE M. HOLDER, JUSTICE