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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

**IN RE: SCOTT ERIC CRAWFORD, BPR #17056**

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee  
(Olive Branch, Mississippi)

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**No. M2018-00829-SC-BAR-BP**  
BOPR No. 2016-2626-0-AJ

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**ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT**

This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Discipline filed against Scott Eric Crawford on August 30, 2016; upon Answer to Petition for Discipline filed by Mr. Crawford on September 9, 2016; upon the final hearing held on September 22, 2017; upon the entry of the Hearing Panel's Judgment on January 12, 2018; upon service of the Judgment of the Hearing Panel on Mr. Crawford by the Executive Secretary of the Board on January 16, 2018; upon consideration and approval by the Board on January 25, 2018; upon expiration of the appeal period with no appeal taken; and upon the entire record in this cause.<sup>1</sup>

From all of which the Court approves the Order of the Hearing Panel and adopts the Hearing Panel's Order as the Court's Order.

On February 28, 2008, Mr. Crawford was disbarred by this Court pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 4.3 (Case No. M2004-00657-SC-BPR-BP). To date, Mr. Crawford has not requested, nor been granted reinstatement.

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

- (1) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 4.1, Scott Eric Crawford is disbarred.
- (2) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 4.7, and as a condition precedent to any reinstatement, Mr. Crawford shall make restitution to Gloria J. Gifford in the amount of \$32,366.67, such payment being separate and apart from anything Mr. Crawford may

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<sup>1</sup>Because this cause was initiated prior to January 1, 2014, it is governed by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 (2006) except as otherwise noted.

owe Ms. Gifford as a result of separate civil litigation arising from his representation of her in an automobile case.

(3) Additionally, Mr. Crawford shall comply in all aspects with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 18 (2006) and § 30.4 (2014) regarding the obligations and responsibilities of disbarred attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement. Prior to seeking reinstatement, Mr. Crawford must meet all CLE requirements and pay any outstanding registration fees including those due from the date of suspension/disbarment until the date of reinstatement.

(4) Prior to seeking reinstatement, Mr. Crawford must complete a practice and professionalism enhancement program, in addition to the completion of all continuing legal education courses.

(5) Further, as a condition to reinstatement, Mr. Crawford must be assigned a practice monitor pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 § 12.9 (a)(b) (2014) (duties to be determined by a hearing panel upon a petition for reinstatement).

(6) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 18.5 (2006), this Order shall be effective ten (10) days after the date of entry.

(7) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 24.3 (2006), Mr. Crawford shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$1,783.28 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.

(8) The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this discipline to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 18.10 (2006).

PER CURIAM