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OF THE
SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE**

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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: THOMAS ALLEN CRAWFORD, BPR #006427
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BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
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May 18, 2018

PENNSYLVANIA LAWYER DISBARRED

Effective November 14, 2017, Thomas Allen Crawford, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania was disbarred by Order of Reciprocal Discipline entered by the Supreme Court of Tennessee on May 18, 2018. Mr. Crawford was disbarred from the practice of law by Order of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania entered November 14, 2017. On April 3, 2018, this Court entered a Notice of Reciprocal Discipline directing Mr. Crawford to inform this Court, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the Notice, why the discipline imposed by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania should not be imposed by this Court. Mr. Crawford provided no response to this Court.

Mr. Crawford must comply with the requirements of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Sections 28 and 30.4, regarding the obligations and responsibilities of suspended attorneys. Mr. Crawford must pay the Board's costs and expenses and the court costs within ninety days of the entry of the order.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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IN RE: THOMAS ALLEN CRAWFORD, BPR #006427

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania)

No. M2018-00636-SC-BAR-BP

BOPR No. 2018-2847-0-AW-25

ORDER OF RECIPROCAL DISCIPLINE

This matter is before the Court pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25, upon a Notice of Submission filed by the Board of Professional Responsibility ("Board") consisting of a certified copy of an Order from the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania entered November 14, 2017, disbaring Thomas Allen Crawford from the practice of law.

On April 11, 2018, this Court entered a Notice of Reciprocal Discipline directing Mr. Crawford to inform this Court, within thirty (30) days of receipt of the Notice, why reciprocal discipline should not be imposed in Tennessee pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25.4 or, in the absence of a response demonstrating the grounds set forth in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25.4, the Supreme Court of Tennessee will impose a discipline with identical terms and conditions based upon the Order of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania. This Court received no response from Mr. Crawford.

After careful consideration of the record in this matter, the Court finds, based upon the particular facts of this case, that none of the elements in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25.4 exist, and it is appropriate to enter an Order of Reciprocal Discipline.

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

- (1) Thomas Allen Crawford shall be disbarred from the practice of law, as imposed by Order entered by the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, attached to this Order as Exhibit A, and the disbarment shall be effective as of November 14, 2017.
- (2) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 31.3, Mr. Crawford shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter

in the amount of \$20.00 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) Prior to seeking reinstatement, Mr. Crawford must have met all CLE requirements; have remitted all outstanding registration fees and outstanding professional privilege taxes, including those due from the date of this disbarment until the date of reinstatement; and have remitted all court costs and Board costs in this matter.
- (4) Mr. Crawford shall comply in all aspects with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 28 and 30.4, regarding the obligations and responsibilities of suspended attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement.
- (5) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.1, this Order shall be effective upon entry.
- (6) The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this discipline to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

OFFICE OF DISCIPLINARY COUNSEL, : No. 2138 Disciplinary Docket No. 3
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Petitioner : No. 160 DB 2014
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v. : Attorney Registration No. 30215
: :
THOMAS ALLEN CRAWFORD, JR. : (Allegheny County)
: :
Respondent :

ORDER

PER CURIAM

AND NOW, this 14th day of November, 2017, upon consideration of the Report and Recommendations of the Disciplinary Board, Thomas Allen Crawford, Jr. is disbarred from the Bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and he shall comply with provisions of Pa.R.D.E. 217. Respondent shall pay costs to the Disciplinary Board pursuant to Pa.R.D.E. 208(g).

A True Copy Patricia Nicola
As Of 11/14/2017

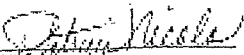
Attest: 
Chief Clerk
Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

Exhibit A