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RE: ANEEL M. PANDEY, BPR #15611
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April 12, 2012

DAVIDSON COUNTY LAWYER CENSURED

On April 11, 2012, Aneel M. Pandey, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, received a Public Censure from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court.

Pandey self-reported to the Board that as a party to a divorce action, he lied under oath on three occasions about events that were material to the divorce. He responded to an interrogatory untruthfully, testified in his deposition that the answer to the interrogatory was truthful, and further untruthfully testified about the subject. When confronted with conclusive evidence later in the deposition, Pandey admitted that he had been untruthful in his prior testimony.

By the aforementioned acts, Aneel M. Pandey has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 3.3 (candor to a tribunal) and 8.4 (misconduct).

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: ANEEL M. PANDEY, BPR NO. 15611

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Respondent, an attorney licensed
to practice law in Tennessee
(Davidson County)

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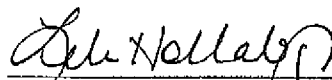
The above complaint was opened against Aneel M. Pandey, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, alleging certain acts of misconduct. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 9, the Board of Professional Responsibility considered these matters at its meeting on March 9, 2012.

During Respondent's own divorce, he responded to an interrogatory untruthfully and swore to the truthfulness of the answer. Respondent was deposed in the divorce action and testified that his answers to the interrogatories were truthful. He further untruthfully testified in response to detailed questions about the subject. When confronted with demonstrative evidence later in the deposition, Respondent admitted that he had been untruthful in his prior testimony. Respondent and his wife eventually reconciled, and the divorce action was dismissed.

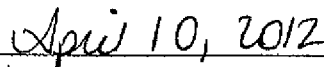
Respondent lied under oath on at least three occasions about events that were material to the divorce action. Respondent's conduct was prejudicial to the administration of justice, dishonest, and repetitive. Respondent self-reported his conduct.

By the aforementioned facts, Aneel M. Pandey, has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 3.3 (Candor to the Tribunal) and 8.4 (Misconduct) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

FOR THE BOARD OF
PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY



Lela Hollabaugh, Chair



Date