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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: CHARLES DAVID DEAS, BPR #002049
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Blount County)

No. M2022-00342-SC-BAR-BP BOPR No. 2022-3234-2-AW-27

ORDER TRANSFERRING ATTORNEY TO DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS

This matter is before the Court upon a petition to transfer Charles David Deas to disability inactive status filed by the Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.3.

Upon due consideration of the facts and circumstances demonstrated by the record, the Court concludes Mr. Deas is currently incapacitated from continuing the practice of law and unable to respond to or defend against any pending disciplinary matter.

- IT IS, THEREFORE, CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED BY THE COURT THAT:
- 1. The law license of Charles David Deas shall be transferred to disability inactive status for an indefinite period of time and until further order of the Supreme Court. In addition, any pending disciplinary matter shall be stayed until further order of this Court.
- 2. The Amended Order of Temporary Suspension entered October 12, 2020 (Case No. M2020-01376-SC-BPR-BP) is hereby dissolved.
- 3. Mr. Deas shall be allowed to petition for reinstatement to active status pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.7.
- 4. The Board shall publish notice of this transfer pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 27.5 and 28.11.
- 5. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 32.4, documents other than this Order relating to Mr. Deas' disability proceeding shall not be public records and shall be kept confidential.