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**RELEASE OF INFORMATION**  
**RE: KEITH LAMONTE DOBBS, BPR #26271**  
**CONTACT: WILLIAM C. MOODY**  
**BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY**  
**615-361-7500**

July 22, 2016

**SHELBY COUNTY LAWYER DISBARRED**

On July 21, 2016, Keith Lamonte Dobbs, of Memphis, Tennessee, was disbarred by Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court. The disbarment begins July 21, 2016. Mr. Dobbs must pay the Board's costs and expenses and the court costs within ninety days of the entry of the Order of Enforcement.

Mr. Dobbs consented to disbarment because he could not successfully defend himself on charges made against him with the Board of Professional Responsibility alleging that he violated Tennessee Rules of Professional Conduct. Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Section 23, requires that Mr. Dobbs' consent to disbarment be maintained under seal.

Mr. Dobbs must comply with the requirements of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Sections 28 and 30, regarding the obligations and responsibilities of disbarred attorneys and the procedures for reinstatement.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

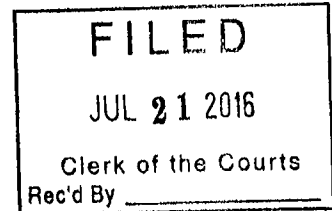
**IN RE: KEITH LAMONTE DOBBS, BPR #26271**

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee  
(Shelby County)

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No. M2016-01446-SC-BAR-BP  
BOPR No. 2016-2607-9-WM(23)

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**ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT**

This cause is before the Court upon a Notice of Submission filed by the Board of Professional Responsibility providing notice pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 23, of the affidavit of Keith Lamonte Dobbs, consenting to disbarment. Mr. Dobbs is an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Tennessee and is subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, pursuant to Rule 9 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Tennessee.

It appears to the Court that Keith Lamonte Dobbs has delivered to the Board of Professional Responsibility an affidavit in compliance with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 23.1. Mr. Dobbs has consented to disbarment because he cannot successfully defend himself against the charges alleged in Board File No. 45915-9-KB, which is pending against him.

On February 29, 2016, Mr. Dobbs was temporarily suspended by this Court pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3, for posing a threat of substantial harm to the public (Case No. M2014-00401-SC-BAR-BP). Mr. Dobbs has not requested, nor been granted, reinstatement.

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

- (1) Keith Lamonte Dobbs is hereby disbarred from the practice of law in Tennessee.
- (2) This Order of Enforcement shall be a matter of public record.
- (3) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 23.3, the affidavit filed by Keith Lamonte Dobbs shall not be publicly disclosed or made available for use in any other proceeding except upon further Order of this Court.
- (4) The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this disbarment to be published in accordance with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

(5) Upon entry of this Order, the Order of Temporary Suspension entered February 29, 2016, is hereby dissolved.

(6) Keith Lamonte Dobbs, shall comply with the requirements and obligations of disbarred attorneys as established in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.

(7) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.1, this Order shall be effective upon entry.

(8) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 31, Mr. Dobbs shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$1,106.65 within ninety (90) days of the date of the entry of this Order, and in addition, shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, for all of which execution may issue if necessary.

PER CURIAM