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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: GEORGIA A. FELNER, BPR #013167
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WILLIAMSON COUNTY LAWYER SUSPENDED

On June 28, 2019, the Supreme Court of Tennessee suspended Georgia A. Felner from the practice of law for a period of three (3) years with eighteen (18) months served on active suspension and the remainder on probation pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Sections 12.2 and 14.2. Ms. Felner is required to pay all costs in the disciplinary proceeding.

Ms. Felner sold cannabis (THC) to a confidential informant and was indicted for the sale and delivery of a Schedule VI controlled substance. Ms. Felner entered a plea of nolo contendere to both felony counts, received judicial diversion, was placed on two (2) years supervised probation beginning October 10, 2018, and prohibited from practicing law. Ms. Felner's conduct violated RPC 8.4 (b) (misconduct).

Ms. Felner must notify all clients being represented in pending matters, as well as co-counsel and opposing counsel, of the Supreme Court's Order suspending her law license and deliver to all clients any papers or property to which they are entitled.

Ms. Felner must comply with the requirements of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Sections 28 and 30.4, regarding the obligations and responsibilities of suspended attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement. Felner 2966-6 rel.doc