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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: STEVEN CARL FRAZIER, BPR #007098
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January 17, 2020

SULLIVAN COUNTY LAWYER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED

On January 17, 2020, the Supreme Court of Tennessee temporarily suspended Steven Carl Frazier from the practice of law upon finding that Mr. Frazier failed to respond to the Board regarding a complaint of misconduct. Section 12.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9 provides for the immediate summary suspension of an attorney's license to practice law in cases of an attorney's failure to respond to the Board regarding a complaint of misconduct.

Mr. Frazier is immediately precluded from accepting any new cases, and he must cease representing existing clients by February 17, 2020. After February 17, 2020, Mr. Frazier shall not use any indicia of lawyer, legal assistant, or law clerk nor maintain a presence where the practice of law is conducted.

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

This suspension remains in effect until dissolution or modification by the Supreme Court. Mr. Frazier may for good cause request dissolution or modification of the suspension by petition to the Supreme Court.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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IN RE: STEVEN CARL FRAZIER, BPR #007098
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Sullivan County)

No. M2020-00096-SC-BAR-BP
BOPR No. 2020-3064- 1- BL-12.3

ORDER OF TEMPORARY SUSPENSION

This matter is before the Court on a Petition of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, by and through Disciplinary Counsel, for the temporary suspension of Steven Carl Frazier from the practice of law, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3. The Petition has been authorized by the Chair of the Board of Professional Responsibility and is supported by the Affidavit of Kevin Balkwill, Disciplinary Counsel.

Based upon the Petition and the supporting Affidavit, the Court finds that Steven Carl Frazier, Respondent, has failed to respond to the Board of Professional Responsibility concerning a complaint of misconduct.

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

1. Steven Carl Frazier is hereby temporarily suspended from the practice of law as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.
2. Steven Carl Frazier shall comply with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 in all respects and particularly as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28, regarding the responsibilities of suspended attorneys.
3. Steven Carl Frazier may make application for dissolution or modification of this Order as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.
4. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this suspension of Steven Carl Frazier to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM