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COOKEVILLE DISTRICT ATTORNEY TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED

On September 25, 2006, the Supreme Court of Tennessee issued an Order temporarily suspending William E. Gibson's license to practice law, upon finding Gibson posed a substantial threat of irreparable harm to the public. Disciplinary Counsel filed a Petition with the Supreme Court supported by affidavits of Judge Leon C. Burns, attorney John Phillip Parsons and Disciplinary Counsel.

The Order requires Gibson to comply with Section 18 of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9.

This suspension remains in effect until dissolution or modification by the Supreme Court. Gibson may request dissolution or modification of the suspension by petition to the Supreme Court.

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