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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: WILLIAM RAY GLASGOW, #022804
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SHELBY COUNTY LAWYER CENSURED

On April 3, 2024, William Ray Glasgow, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, received a Public Censure from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court.

Mr. Glasgow filed a lawsuit on behalf of a client against a sitting judge. The lawsuit was filed shortly before a judicial election for the sitting judge's position, where Mr. Glasgow was also a candidate. The lawsuit lacked any meritorious basis in fact or law and was filed solely to advance Mr. Glasgow's position in the upcoming judicial election. The lawsuit contained a false or reckless statement that the sitting judge had engaged in "constructive kidnapping" of a minor child with "willful and deliberate malice and intent" while presiding over a dependent and neglect proceeding.

By these acts, Mr. Glasgow has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1 (competence), 1.3 (diligence), 3.1 (meritorious claims), 4.4(a)(1) (respect for the rights of third persons), 8.2(a) (judicial and legal officials), and 8.4(d) (conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

A Public Censure is a rebuke and warning to the attorney, but it does not affect the attorney's ability to practice law.

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