IN DISCIPLINARY DISTRICT II OF THE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBIL

OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE

IN RE:

KRISTIN A. GODSEY

DOCKET NO. 2010-1942-2-RS

OF THE PREME COURT OF TENNESSEE

BPR No. 23076

Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee

(Knox County)

## HEARING PANEL ORDER OF RECOMMENDATION

This cause came to be heard by the hearing panel on November 2, 2010, for the panel to determine and recommend the appropriate discipline. In light of the respondent's failure to communicate with the Board regarding the Complaint, the respondent's forgery and other fraudulent acts and her continued practice of law while suspended this panel heard argument on November 2, 2010, from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee for appropriate sanctions to be placed against the respondent pursuant to the Order of Default Judgment with Findings of Fact previously entered by this panel on September 3, 2010, and filed with the Board on September 7, 2010. The respondent appeared for the November 2, 2010 hearing and admitted to this Panel that all of the facts contained in the Complaint and the Order of Default Judgment with Findings of Fact are true, that respondent continues in treatment for her problems, that she knows she did these acts but is working on herself and desires a second chance to rehabilitate her law practice.

Pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, the Findings of Fact as admitted and contained in the Order of Default Judgment, Section 5.11 of the American Bar Association's Center for Professional Responsibility Standards for Imposing Lawyers Sanctions (ABA Standards), as well as sections 6.11, 6.21, 7.1, 7.2 and 8.1 of the ABA Standards this Hearing Panel recommends respondent be DISBARRED.

ENTER this the 4 day of Novemby 2010.

Wayne A. Kline Chair

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The Hearing Panel certifies that a true and exact copy of this Order has been mailed to the above named Respondent at 224 Dogwood Glen Lane, Powell, Tennessee 37849-5807 by regular mail and also by certified mail, return receipt requested, and has been also mailed to Petitioner, the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, by and through disciplinary counsel by mailing the original of this Order to Rita Webb, Executive Secretary, at the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee.

Wayne A. Kline, Chair