

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

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Clerk of the  
Appellate Courts

**IN RE: ARTHUR C. GRISHAM, Jr. BPR No. 001071**

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee  
(Hamilton County)

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**No. M2025-00636-SC-BAR-BP**  
BOPR No. 2023-3345-3-DB

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**ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT**

This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Discipline filed against Arthur C. Grisham, Jr. on August 4, 2023; upon Answer to Petition for Discipline filed by Mr. Grisham on October 16, 2023; upon entry of Judgment of the Hearing Panel January 9, 2025; upon service of the Judgment of the Hearing Panel on Mr. Grisham by the Executive Secretary of the Board on January 10, 2025; upon the Board of Professional Responsibility's Application for Assessment of Cost filed on January 16, 2025; upon Findings and Judgment for Assessment of Costs entered on February 10, 2025; upon service of the Findings and Judgment for Assessment of Costs on Mr. Grisham by the Executive Secretary of the Board on February 10, 2025; upon expiration of the appeal period with no appeal taken; and upon the entire record in this cause.

From all of which, the Court approves the Judgment of the Hearing Panel and adopts the Hearing Panel's Judgment as its own.

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

(1) Mr. Grisham is suspended from the practice of law for five (5) years pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.2.

(2) Following any successful reinstatement, Mr. Grisham, at his cost, shall engage the services of a Practice Monitor for one (1) year following reinstatement. The Practice Monitor, selected and approved in accordance with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.9(c), shall meet with Mr. Grisham monthly and assess his caseload, case management, timeliness of performing tasks, adequacy of communication with clients and accounting procedures. The Practice Monitor shall provide a monthly written report of Mr. Grisham's progress to

the Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility.

(3) As a condition precedent to seeking reinstatement, Mr. Grisham shall pay restitution to Complainants Carolyn Cothran or Del Cothran in the amount of \$46,059.01 and shall also pay restitution as ordered by the Anderson County Chancery Court to the Estate of Isiah Caldwell in the amount of \$27,150.00, with credit given for any partial payments previously made pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.7. In the event restitution is made by the Tennessee Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection (TLFCP), Mr. Grisham shall reimburse TLFCP in the same amount.

(4) Mr. Grisham, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.3, shall, within ninety (90) days of the entry of this Order, provide Special Notice to the Anderson County Chancery Court to initiate proceedings to determine the currently pending criminal attachment of Mr. Grisham.

(5) As a condition precedent to seeking reinstatement, Mr. Grisham must have met all CLE requirements; have remitted all outstanding registration fees and outstanding professional privilege taxes, including those due from the date of this suspension until the date of reinstatement; have remitted all court costs and Board costs in this matter; and be in compliance with the terms and conditions of this Order.

(6) Mr. Grisham shall comply in all aspects with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 28 and 30.4, regarding the obligations and responsibilities of suspended attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement.

(7) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 31.3(d), Mr. Grisham shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs incurred to date by the Board in this matter in the amount of \$4,822.00, which includes an assessment of \$100.00 for the cost of filing this matter and pay this filing fee to the Board, and shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the court costs incurred herein. All costs, fees, and expenses awarded or assessed herein shall be paid within ninety (90) days of the entry of this Order for which execution, if necessary, may issue.

(8) The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this discipline to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

(9) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.1, this Order shall be effective upon entry.

PER CURIAM