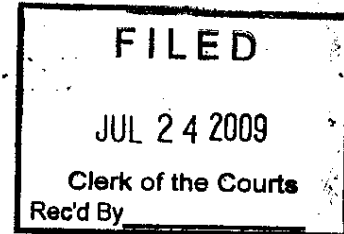


IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: BRUCE H. GUTHRIE, BPR #13553
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Hamilton County)



NO. M2009-01546-SC-BPO-BP
BOPR No. 2008-1731-3(C)-RS

ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT

This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Discipline filed by Disciplinary Counsel against Respondent, Bruce H. Guthrie, on March 4, 2008; upon the entering of a Conditional Guilty Plea by the Respondent on May 29, 2009; upon the approval of the Conditional Guilty Plea by the Board of Professional Responsibility; and upon the entire record in this cause.

From all of which the Court approves and accepts the Conditional Guilty Plea.

It is, therefore, **ORDERED, ADJUDGED** and **DECREED** by the Court,

1. The Respondent, Bruce H. Guthrie, shall be suspended for twenty-six (26) months retroactive to the date of his temporary suspension from the practice of law on May 18, 2007.

2. Upon completion of the twenty-six (26) month suspension, the Respondent must petition the Supreme Court to reinstate his law license pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, section 19, before he may resume the practice of law.

3. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 9, Section 24.3, the Respondent shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$474.00, and in addition, shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, within ninety (90) days from the entry of this order, for all of which execution may issue if necessary.

3. That the Respondent shall comply in all aspects with Rule 9, §18 of the Rules of the Supreme Court regarding the obligations and responsibilities of disbarred attorneys.

4. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this discipline to be published as required by Supreme Court Rule 9, Section 18.10.

FOR THE COURT:

Cornelia A. Clark
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JUSTICE