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IN DISCIPLINARY DISTRICT II OF THE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE

IN RE: ANDREW N. HALL, BPR NO. 13481

FILE NO. 32905-2-JV

Respondent, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee

(Morgan County)

PUBLIC CENSURE

The above complaint was filed against Andrew N. Hall, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, alleging certain acts of misconduct. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 9, the Board of Professional Responsibility considered these matters at its meeting on June 11, 2010.

Respondent was retained by the client on October 21, 2009, to file a Writ of Certiorari in Chancery Court. The Respondent's staff drafted the Petition. On October 29, 2009, Respondent reviewed and approved the Petition and forwarded same to the court for filing. Respondent failed to have his client sign the petition under oath, as required by statue law. On or about December 15, 2009, the adversary filed a motion to dismiss. The time for filing the Petition had lapsed. The Petition was dismissed on January 21, 2010.

By the aforementioned facts, Andrew N. Hall has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1 and 1.3 and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

FOR THE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY

Roger Mariess, Chair

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