IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

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Appellate Courts

IN RE: PATRICK BRYANT HAWLEY, BPR #028264

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

No. M2024-01760-SC-BAR-BP BOPR No. 2024-3463-3-DB (12.3)

ORDER OF TEMPORARY SUSPENSION

This matter is before the Court on a Petition of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, by and through Disciplinary Counsel, for the temporary suspension of Patrick Bryant Hawley from the practice of law pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3. The Petition has been authorized by the Chair of the Board of Professional Responsibility and is supported by the Affidavit of Special Agent G. David Nalley of the Department of Homeland Security.

Based upon the Petition, supported by the U.S. District Court Criminal Complaint (*United States of America v. Patrick Bryant Hawley*, 1:24-mj-283-SKL), and the Affidavit of Special Agent G. David Nalley of the Department of Homeland Security, the Court finds that Patrick Bryant Hawley poses a threat of substantial harm to the public.

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

- 1. Patrick Bryant Hawley is hereby temporarily suspended from the practice of law as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.
- 2. Patrick Bryant Hawley shall comply with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 in all respects and particularly as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28, regarding the responsibilities of suspended attorneys.
- 3. Patrick Bryant Hawley may make application for dissolution or modification of this Order as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.
- 4. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this suspension of Patrick Bryant Hawley to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.