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**RELEASE OF INFORMATION**  
**RE: LARRY JOE HINSON, JR., BPR #023286**  
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**LEWIS COUNTY LAWYER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED**

On October 18, 2018, the Supreme Court of Tennessee temporarily suspended Larry Joe Hinson, Jr. from the practice of law upon finding Mr. Hinson misappropriated funds and poses a threat of substantial harm to the public. Section 12.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9 provides for the immediate summary suspension of an attorney's license to practice law in cases of an attorney's misconduct.

Mr. Hinson is immediately precluded from accepting any new cases, and he must cease representing existing clients by November 18, 2018. After November 18, 2018, Mr. Hinson shall not use any indicia of lawyer, legal assistant, or law clerk or maintain a presence where the practice of law is conducted.

Mr. Hinson must notify all clients being represented in pending matters, as well as co-counsel and opposing counsel of the Supreme Court's Order suspending his law license. Mr. Hinson is required to deliver to all clients any papers or property to which they are entitled.

Mr. Hinson must comply with the requirements of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Sections 28 and 12.3(d), regarding the obligations and responsibilities of temporarily suspended attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement.

This suspension remains in effect until dissolution or modification by the Supreme Court. Mr. Hinson may for good cause request dissolution or modification of the suspension by petition to the Supreme Court.