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COLUMBIA LAWYER CENSURED

On September 22, 2011, Rhonda D. Hooks of Columbia, Tennessee was publicly censured by the Tennessee Supreme Court.

The Board of Professional Responsibility filed a Petition for Discipline pursuant to Rule 9, Rules of the Supreme Court. Ms. Hooks submitted a Conditional Guilty Plea acknowledging violation of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 8, Rules of Professional Conduct 1.3 (diligence); 1.4 (communication); 3.2 (expediting litigation); and 8.4 (misconduct).

For these violations, the Tennessee Supreme Court publicly censured Rhonda Hooks. A public censure is a rebuke and warning to the attorney, but does not affect the attorney's ability to practice law.

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