

## BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE

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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: ANGELA JOY HOPSON, BPR #022500
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## MADISON COUNTY LAWYER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED

On July 28, 2021, the Supreme Court of Tennessee temporarily suspended Angela Joy Hopson from the practice of law for failing to respond to the Board concerning a complaint of misconduct. Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, Section 12. 3 provides for the immediate summary suspension of an attorney's license to practice law in cases of an attorney's failure to respond to the Board.

Ms. Hopson is immediately precluded from accepting any new cases, and she must cease representing existing clients by August 27, 2021. After August 27, 2021, Ms. Hopson shall not use any indicia of lawyer, legal assistant, or law clerk nor maintain a presence where the practice of law is conducted.

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

Ms. Hopson 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. Ms. Hopson may for good cause request dissolution or modification of the suspension by petition to the Supreme Court.

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