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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: WILLIS B. JACKSON, JR., BPR #601
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March 8, 2018

KNOX COUNTY LAWYER PLACED ON DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS

By Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court entered March 8, 2018, the law license of Willis B. Jackson, Jr., was transferred to disability inactive status pursuant to Section 27.3 of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9.

Mr. Jackson is prohibited from practicing law while on disability inactive status. Mr. Jackson may return to the practice of law after reinstatement by the Tennessee Supreme Court upon showing of clear and convincing evidence that the disability has been removed and he is fit to resume the practice of law.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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IN RE: WILLIS B. JACKSON, JR., BPR #00601
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Knox County)

No. M2018-00245-SC-BAR-BP

**ORDER TRANSFERRING ATTORNEY TO
DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS**

This matter is before the Court upon a petition filed by attorney Willis B. Jackson, Jr., to transfer to disability inactive status pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.4.

Upon due consideration of documentation from Mr. Jackson's medical care provider, the Court concludes that Willis B. Jackson, Jr., is currently incapacitated from continuing the practice of law and defending against disciplinary proceedings.

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

1. The law license of Willis B. Jackson, Jr., shall be transferred to disability inactive status for an indefinite period of time and until further orders of the Supreme Court.
2. The Petition for Discipline proceedings, Docket No. 2015-2512-2-AW, are suspended indefinitely until such time as Mr. Jackson is removed from disability inactive status.
3. Mr. Jackson shall be allowed to petition for reinstatement to active status pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.7.
4. The Board shall publish notice of this transfer pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 27.5 and 28.11.
5. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 32.4, documents other than this Order relating to Mr. Jackson's disability proceeding shall not be public records and shall be kept confidential.

PER CURIAM