IN DISCIPLINARY DISTRICT I
OF THE
BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
OF THE
SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE

IN RE: JEFFREY DENNIS JOHNSON, #029704

Respondent, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee

(Washington County)

FILE NO. 64942-1-ES

PUBLIC CENSURE

The above complaint was filed against Jeffrey Dennis Johnson, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, alleging certain acts of misconduct. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, the Board of Professional Responsibility considered this matter at its meeting on March 12, 2021.

Mr. Johnson received an on-line "google" review from a client who included his name in the review. Mr. Johnson then posted a response on-line which stated details about the former client, including health and medical conditions of the former client and the type of case in which Mr. Johnson represented the client. Mr. Johnson also stated that the former client asked him to make false representations to the court. Mr. Johnson's comments were not favorable to the former client and were posted on a publicly accessible website.

By these acts, Jeffrey Dennis Johnson has violated Rule of Professional Conduct 1.9(c) (duties to former clients) and is hereby publicly censured for these violations.

FOR THE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY

Floyd Flippin, Chair

4/8/21

Date