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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: JENNIFER ELIZABETH JONES, BPR #31850
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August 2, 2017

DAVIDSON COUNTY LAWYER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED

On July 31, 2017, the Supreme Court of Tennessee temporarily suspended Jennifer Elizabeth Jones from the practice of law for failing to respond to the Board regarding complaints of misconduct. Section 12.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9 provides for the immediate temporary suspension of an attorney's license to practice law in cases of an attorney's failure to respond to the Board regarding a complaint of misconduct.

Ms. Jones is immediately precluded from accepting any new cases and must cease representing existing clients before August 31, 2017. Thereafter, Ms. Jones shall not use any indicia of lawyer, legal assistant, or law clerk nor maintain a presence where the practice of law is conducted.

Ms. Jones 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. Ms. Jones is required to deliver to all clients any papers or property to which they are entitled.

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

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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IN RE: JENNIFER ELIZABETH JONES, BPR #031850
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Davidson County)

No. M2017-01524-SC-BAR-BP
BOPR No. 2017-2752-5-AW-12.3

ORDER OF TEMPORARY SUSPENSION

This matter is before the Court on a Petition of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, by and through Disciplinary Counsel, for the temporary suspension of Jennifer Elizabeth Jones from the practice of law, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3. The Petition has been authorized by the Chair of the Board of Professional Responsibility and is supported by the Affidavit of Kevin D. Balkwill, Disciplinary Counsel.

Based upon the Petition and the supporting Affidavit, the Court finds that Jennifer Elizabeth Jones, Respondent, failed to respond to the Board of Professional Responsibility concerning a complaint of misconduct.

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

1. Jennifer Elizabeth Jones is hereby temporarily suspended from the practice of law as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.
2. Jennifer Elizabeth Jones shall comply with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 in all respects and particularly as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28, regarding the responsibilities of suspended attorneys.
3. Jennifer Elizabeth Jones may make application for dissolution or modification of this Order as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.
4. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this suspension of Jennifer Jones to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM