

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

IN RE: JAMES GREGORY KING, BPR NO.17439  
Respondent, an attorney licensed  
to practice law in Tennessee  
(Davidson County)

FILE NO. 37527-5-BG

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PUBLIC CENSURE

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The above complaint was filed against James Gregory King, #17439, 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 these matters at its meeting on June 12, 2015.

Rule of Professional Conduct 1.15 requires that funds belonging to the client be placed in a trust account and held separately from the lawyer's funds. Mr. King failed to deposit and/or maintain client funds which were paid for a court reporter in his IOLTA account. Additionally, Mr. King kept personal and operational funds in his IOLTA account and paid personal bills from his IOLTA account.

By these acts, James Gregory King has violated Rule of Professional Conduct 1.15 (safekeeping funds) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

FOR THE BOARD OF  
PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY

  
Michael King, Chair

7-16-2015  
Date