

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

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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: MARK ANTHONY LAMBERT, BPR #022509
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## SHELBY\_COUNTY LAWYER CENSURED

On November 26, 2025, Mark Anthony Lambert, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, received a Public Censure from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court.

A client hired Mr. Lambert's law firm for a personal injury matter. Mr. Lambert filed a complaint in federal court and included his law partner's name when his law partner was not admitted to practice in the court. Mr. Lambert failed to file a motion for *pro hac vice* admission for his law partner; he failed to attend the initial case management conference; and he failed to respond to an order to show cause on why the matter should not be dismissed.

By these acts, Mark Anthony Lambert has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 1.3 (diligence), 3.2 (expediting litigation), 3.4 (fairness to opposing party), and 8.4(d) (prejudice to the administration of justice) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

A Public Censure is a rebuke and warning to the attorney, but it does not affect the attorney's ability to practice law.

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