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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: VANESSA LYNN LEMONS, BPR# 23307
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BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
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September 17, 2010

KNOXVILLE LAWYER REINSTATED

Vanessa Lynn Lemons, a Knoxville attorney, has been reinstated to the practice of law by Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court entered on September 15, 2010. Ms. Lemons was temporarily suspended from the practice of law by Order of the Supreme Court on August 11, 2010, for failing to respond to a complaint of misconduct. On August 23, 2010, Ms. Lemons filed a Petition for Dissolution of Temporary Suspension. A hearing was conducted on September 10, 2010. On September 13, 2010, the Hearing Panel recommended that the temporary suspension be dissolved. The temporary suspension was dissolved pursuant to the Supreme Court's September 15, 2010 Order.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: VANESSA LYNN LEMONS, BPR NO. 023307
An Attorney Licensed To Practice Law In Tennessee
(Knox County)

No. M2010-01684-SC-BPR-BP
BOPR No. 2010-1954-2-RS(4.3)

FILED
SEP 15 2010
Clerk of the Courts

ORDER

On August 11, 2010, the Court entered an Order of Temporary Suspension suspending Vanessa Lynn Lemons pursuant to Section 4.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9 due to Ms. Lemons' failure to respond to the Board of Professional Responsibility concerning a request for specific information regarding a complaint of misconduct, File No. 32480c-2-JV. On August 23, 2010, Ms. Lemons filed a Petition for Dissolution of Temporary Suspension pursuant to Section 4.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9.

On September 10, 2010, a hearing was conducted before a three-member Hearing Panel of the Board of Professional Responsibility. On September 13, 2010, the Hearing Panel entered its Order Recommending Dissolution of Temporary Suspension, recommending that the temporary suspension imposed by the Order of Temporary Suspension be dissolved. A copy of the Order Recommending Dissolution of Temporary Suspension of the 4.3 Hearing Panel is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

It is, therefore, **ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED** that:

1. The temporary suspension imposed upon Vanessa Lynn Lemons by Order of Temporary Suspension filed August 11, 2010, is hereby dissolved and Vanessa Lynn Lemons is reinstated to the practice of law;
2. Ms. Lemons shall reimburse and pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the costs and expenses of this proceeding in the amount of \$268.34, and, in addition, shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, for all of which execution shall issue, if necessary.

FOR THE COURT:

Cornelia A. Clark
CORNELIA A. CLARK, CHIEF JUSTICE

I, Michael W. Catalano, Clerk, hereby certify that
this is a true and exact copy of the original

Filed in the cause.
This 15 day of Sept, 2010
CLERK OF COURT

By: Michael W. Catalano D.C.