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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
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PUTNAM COUNTY LAWYER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED

On November 26, 2014, the Supreme Court of Tennessee entered an order temporarily suspending the law license of Gary N. Lovellette, of Putnam County, upon finding that Mr. Lovellette failed to respond to the Board of Professional Responsibility concerning a complaint of misconduct. Section 4.3 of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9 provides for the immediate summary suspension of an attorney's license to practice law in matters where an attorney fails to respond to the Board. The temporary suspension is effective on the date of entry.

Effective November 26 2014, Mr. Lovellette is precluded from accepting any new cases and he must cease representing existing clients by December 26, 2014. After December 26, 2014, Mr. Lovellette shall not use any indicia of lawyer, legal assistant, or law clerk nor maintain a presence where the practice of law is conducted.

Mr. Lovellette must notify all clients being represented in pending matters, as well as co-counsel and opposing counsel of the Supreme Court's Order suspending his law license. Section 18 of Supreme Court Rule 9 requires Mr. Lovellette to deliver to all clients any papers or property to which they are entitled.

This suspension remains in effect until dissolution or modification by the Supreme Court. Mr. Lovellette may for good cause request dissolution or modification of the suspension by petition to the Supreme Court.