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**RELEASE OF INFORMATION**  
**RE: JOHN LYNDON LOWERY, BPR #16195**  
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May 29, 2015

**NASHVILLE LAWYER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED**

On May 28, 2015, the Supreme Court of Tennessee issued an Order summarily and temporarily suspending John Lyndon Lowery from the practice of law upon finding that Mr. Lowery has misappropriated funds and poses a threat of substantial harm to the public. Section 12.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9 provides for the immediate summary 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.

Effective May 28, 2015, Mr. Lowery is precluded from accepting any new cases and he must cease representing existing clients by June 27, 2015. After June 27, 2015, Mr. Lowery shall not use any indicia of lawyer, legal assistant, or law clerk nor maintain a presence where the practice of law is conducted.

Mr. Lowery 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 28 of Supreme Court Rule 9 requires Mr. Lowery to deliver to all clients any papers or property to which they are entitled.

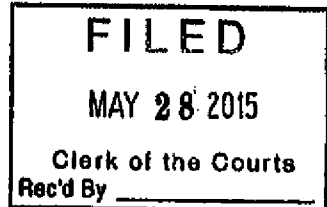
This suspension remains in effect until dissolution or modification by the Supreme Court. Mr. Lowery may for good cause request dissolution or modification of the suspension by petition to the Supreme Court.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

**IN RE: JOHN LYNDON LOWERY, BPR #16195**  
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee  
(Davidson County)

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No. M2015-00956-SC-BAR-BP  
BOPR No. 2015-2455-5-WM(12.3)  
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**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 John Lyndon Lowery from the practice of law, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3 (2014). The Petition has been authorized by the Chair of the Board of Professional Responsibility and is supported by the Declaration of Nancy Routh and the Affidavits of Nicole Short and William C. Moody, Disciplinary Counsel.

Based upon the Petition and the supporting Declaration and Affidavits, the Court finds that John Lyndon Lowery, Respondent, has misappropriated funds and poses a threat of substantial harm to the public as detailed by the Declaration of Nancy Routh and the Affidavits of Nicole Short and Disciplinary Counsel.

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

1. John Lyndon Lowery is hereby temporarily suspended from the practice of law as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3 (2014).
2. John Lyndon Lowery shall comply with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 in all respects and particularly as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28 (2014) regarding the responsibilities of suspended attorneys.
3. John Lyndon Lowery may make application for dissolution or modification of this Order as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3 (2014).
4. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this suspension of John Lyndon Lowery to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM