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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: CLAY M. MCCORMACK, BPR #015559
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SHELBY COUNTY LAWYER REINSTATED

On October 29, 2019, the Supreme Court of Tennessee reinstated Clay M. McCormack to the active practice of law subject to certain conditions. Mr. McCormack had been suspended by the Supreme Court of Tennessee on October 5, 2018, for a period of five (5) years, with one (1) year served on active suspension and the remaining four (4) years on probation, pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Section 12.2. Mr. McCormack filed a Petition for Reinstatement to the practice of law pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Section 30.4c. The Board found the Petition satisfactory and submitted an Order of Reinstatement to the Court.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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IN RE: CLAY M. MCCORMACK, BPR #015559
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Shelby County)

No. M2017-02457-SC-BAR-BP
BOPR No. 2019-3041-9-TL-30.4c

ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT

This matter is before the Court, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 30.4(c), upon a Petition for Reinstatement filed October 2, 2019, by the Petitioner, Clay M. McCormack. Mr. McCormack was suspended from the practice of law by Order of this Court on October 5, 2018, for a period of five (5) years with one (1) year served as an active suspension and the remaining four (4) years served on probation. A Notice of Submission was filed by the Chief Disciplinary Counsel indicating the petition is satisfactory to the Board and Mr. McCormack has satisfied all conditions set forth in the Order imposing discipline and is eligible for reinstatement.

From all of which the Court grants the Petition for Reinstatement.

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

1. The Petitioner, Clay M. McCormack, is hereby reinstated to the active practice of law in the State of Tennessee pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 30.4(c) and subject to certain conditions set forth in the Order of Enforcement (M2017-02457-SC-BAR-BP) entered October 5, 2018.

2. Mr. McCormack shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein within ninety (90) days of the entry of this Order, for which execution may issue if necessary.

3. Mr. McCormack, at his cost, shall engage the services of a Practice Monitor who shall be selected and approved in accordance with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.9(c) (2014). The Practice Monitor shall meet with Mr. McCormack quarterly for a period of two years to supervise Mr. McCormack's compliance with trust account rules and accounting procedures.

4. Mr. McCormack shall not, during the period of probation, incur any new complaints of misconduct that relate to conduct occurring during the period of probation and result in a recommendation by the Board that discipline be imposed. In the event that Mr. McCormack violates or otherwise fails to meet any condition of probation, Disciplinary Counsel, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 14.2 (2014), shall be authorized to file a petition to revoke Mr. McCormack's probation, and upon a finding that revocation is warranted, Mr. McCormack shall serve the previously deferred period of suspension.

5. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this reinstatement to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM