IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: WILLIAM M. MONROE, BPR #4761

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee (Shelby County)

No. M2015-01513-SC-BAR-BP BOPR No. 2015-2476-9-AW(27) FILED

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Clerk of the Courts

Rec'd By

ORDER TRANSFERRING ATTORNEY TO DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS

This matter is before the Court upon a Notice of Contention of Disability filed by William M. Monroe pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.4, and a Response filed by the Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility.

Upon due consideration of documentation from Mr. Monroe's medical care provider submitted by Mr. Monroe's counsel and the response of the Board, the Court concludes that William M. Monroe is currently incapacitated from continuing the practice of law or from defending himself against the disciplinary proceeding now pending before the Board of Professional Responsibility.

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

- 1. The law license of William M. Monroe shall be transferred to disability inactive status for an indefinite period of time and until further orders of the Supreme Court.
- 2. Mr. Monroe shall be allowed to petition for reinstatement to active status pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.7.
- 3. The Board shall publish notice of this transfer pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 27.5 and 28.11.
- 4. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 32.4, documents other than this Order relating to Mr. Monroe's disability proceeding shall not be public records and shall be kept confidential.

PER CURIAM