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SHELBY COUNTY LAWYER REINSTATED

On October 8, 2021, the Supreme Court of Tennessee reinstated Anthony Bernard Norris to the practice of law effective immediately. Mr. Norris had been suspended by the Supreme Court of Tennessee for five (5) years on October 8, 2012. Mr. Norris filed a Petition for Reinstatement to the practice of law pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Section 30.4.

A Hearing Panel found that Mr. Norris complied with the terms and conditions of his suspension, and further found that he had demonstrated the moral qualifications, competency and learning in the law required for the practice of law, and that his resumption of the practice of law will not be detrimental to the integrity or standing of the bar or administration of justice, or subversive to the public interest. Based upon the Hearing Panel's recommendation, the Supreme Court reinstated Mr. Norris's license to practice law. As conditions of his reinstatement, Mr. Norris must engage a practice monitor for one (1) year after he is reinstated to report back to the Board on a monthly basis. Mr. Norris must pay the costs of the reinstatement proceeding.