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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: WENDELL J. O'REILLY, BPR #22217
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WILLIAMSON COUNTY LAWYER CENSURED

On January 9, 2015, Wendell J. O'Reilly, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, received a Public Censure from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court.

Mr. O'Reilly failed to act diligently or adequately communicate with a client during his representation. Mr. O'Reilly neglected the client's civil matters causing the dismissals of the proceedings which were prejudicial to his client.

By these acts, Wendell J. O'Reilly has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 1.3 (diligence), 1.4 (communication), 3.2 (expediting litigation), and 8.4(a) and (d) (misconduct) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

A Public Censure is a rebuke and warning to the attorney, but it does not affect the attorney's ability to practice law.

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