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**RELEASE OF INFORMATION**  
**RE: DALE WILLIAM PETERSON, BPR# 13383**  
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**BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY**  
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December 23, 2014

**CANNON COUNTY LAWYER DISBARRED**

On December 23, 2014, Dale William Peterson, of Woodbury, Tennessee, was disbarred by Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court. Pursuant to Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Section 28.1, Mr. Peterson's disbarment is effective immediately. Mr. Peterson consented to disbarment because he could not successfully defend himself on charges filed against him with the Board of Professional Responsibility alleging that he committed theft of client funds in the amount of \$20,551.00.

Mr. Peterson must comply with the requirements of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Sections 28 and 30 regarding the obligations and responsibilities of disbarred attorneys and the procedures for reinstatement.

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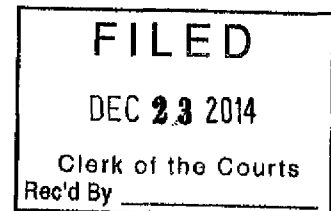
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

**IN RE: DALE WILLIAM PETERSON, BPR #13383**  
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee  
(Cannon County)

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No. M2014-02480-SC-BAR-BP  
BOPR No. 2014-2407-4-KH(23)

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**ORDER OF DISBARMENT**

This cause is before the Court upon the Affidavit of Dale William Peterson, of Woodbury, Tennessee, an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Tennessee. Dale William Peterson is subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 8.1.

It appears to the Court that Dale William Peterson has delivered to the Board of Professional Responsibility an Affidavit in compliance with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 23.1. Dale William Peterson has consented to disbarment because he cannot successfully defend himself of the charges alleged in File No. 37508-4-KB filed against him.

IT IS, THEREFORE, CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT:

1. Dale William Peterson is hereby disbarred from the practice of law in Tennessee.
2. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 23.3, this Order of Disbarment shall be a matter of public record. However, the affidavit filed by Dale William Peterson shall not be publicly disclosed or made available for use in any other proceeding except upon further Order of this Court.
3. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.1, this Order of Disbarment shall be effective upon entry.
4. Dale William Peterson shall comply in all aspects with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 28 and 30 regarding the obligations and responsibilities of disbarred attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement. Mr. Peterson must meet all CLE requirements and pay all accrued annual registration fees prior to petitioning for reinstatement.

5. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 31, the Respondent shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$157.34 within ninety (90) days of the date of the entry of this Order, and in addition, shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, for all of which execution may issue if necessary.
6. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this disbarment to be published in accordance with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM