

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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IN RE: ARTHUR SCOTT PRATT, BPR #19855
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Washington County)

BOPR No. 2006-1620-1-TH

NO. M2008-01997-SC-BPO-BP

ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT

This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Discipline filed by the Board of Professional Responsibility (hereafter the "Board") on July 20, 2006; a Motion for Default filed by the Board on October 30, 2007; a Motion to Compel filed by the Board on October 30, 2007; an Answer filed by Respondent on January 28, 2008; a Motion to Strike Answer and Deem Charges Admitted filed by the Board on March 5, 2008; a Conditional Guilty Plea filed by Respondent on March 18, 2008; an Order of Hearing Panel Recommending Conditional Guilty Plea filed on March 27, 2008; and upon the entire record in this cause.

From all of which the Court accepts the Conditional Guilty Plea and adopts the Order of the Hearing Panel recommending that Respondent be disbarred, retroactive to the date of the Order of Temporary Suspension entered on January 23, 2006. A copy of the Conditional Guilty Plea is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

It is therefore, **ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED** by the Court that

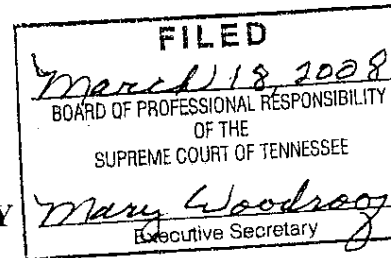
1. Respondent, Arthur Scott Pratt, be and is hereby disbarred. Disbarment shall be retroactive to the date of the Order of Temporary Suspension entered on January 23, 2006.
2. Respondent shall comply in all aspects with Rule 9, §18 of the Rules of the Supreme Court regarding the obligations and responsibilities of disbarred attorneys.
3. Respondent shall comply with the requirements of Rule 9, § 19 of the Rules of the Supreme Court should he seek reinstatement of his law license and he may not resume practice until reinstated by further order of this Court.
4. Pursuant to Rule 9, § 24.3 of the Rules of the Supreme Court, the Respondent shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$1,142.07, and in addition, shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, for all of which execution may issue if necessary.

5. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this disbarment to be published as required by Rule 9, §18.10 of the Rules of the Supreme Court.

FOR THE COURT:

Cornelia A. Clark
CORNELIA A. CLARK, JUSTICE

IN THE DISCIPLINARY DISTRICT 1
OF THE
BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
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SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE



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BPR #19855, Respondent
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Admitted to the Practice of
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DOCKET NO. 2006-1620-1-TH

CONDITIONAL GUILTY PLEA

Comes now the Respondent, Arthur Scott Pratt, and pursuant to Section 16.1 of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9 tenders this Conditional Guilty Plea showing the Court as follows:

1. Respondent was served with a Petition for Discipline embracing the following Board investigation files: 28303-1-TH; 28794-1-TH; 28799-1-TH; 28296-1-TH; 28792-1-TH; 28715-1-TH; 28722-1-TH; 28793-1-TH; 28870-1-TH; and 28878-1-TH.
2. Respondent has been advised by Counsel and is aware that he is entitled to a hearing to determine the extent of discipline based on the charges set forth in the Petition for Discipline before a Hearing Committee.
3. Respondent is aware that he is entitled to make appeals of the Hearing Committee's decision to the Chancery Court and to the Supreme Court of Tennessee if he is dissatisfied with the decision of the lower tribunal.
4. Respondent desires to specifically waive such hearing and appeals provided that



this conditional Guilty Plea is accepted by the Hearing Panel, the Board of Professional Responsibility and the Supreme Court of Tennessee.

5. Respondent is aware that, should he desire a hearing as to the extent of discipline based upon the charges set forth in the Petition for Discipline, he would have the right to testify and to present evidence in his behalf, including the right to subpoena witnesses in his favor, however, he desires to waive those rights and to submit this Conditional Guilty Plea.
6. Respondent enters this Conditional Guilty Plea freely and voluntarily, without being subjected to coercion or duress, and he is fully aware of the implications of submitting this Conditional Guilty Plea. The Conditional Guilty Plea is an admission of the factual allegations contained in the Petition for Discipline and is related to each of the Board files named within.
7. Respondent admits his guilt of violating the following Tennessee Rules of Professional Conduct: 1.1; 1.2(a) and (d); 1.3; 1.4; 1.5(a) and (d); 1.6(a); 1.7(b); 1.15(a) and (b); 1.16(a) and (d); 3.2; 3.3(a), (b), (c), (d), (g) and (h); 3.4(b) and (c); 3.5(e); 4.1(a); 4.4(a); 7.1(a) and (b); 8.2(a); 8.4(b), (c), and (d).
8. If approved, the discipline or stated form of punishment shall be disbarment, retroactive to the date of the Order of Temporary Suspension, entered on January 23, 2006.
9. Respondent agrees to reimburse the Board of Professional Responsibility the costs of the expenses of this proceeding in the amount of \$1,142.07.
10. In the event this Conditional Guilty Plea is not accepted and approved by the Board of Professional Responsibility and/or the Supreme Court of Tennessee it

shall be considered void and of no effect.

This Conditional Guilty Plea has been executed on this 16 day of March, 2008, by the Respondent.


ARTHUR SCOTT PRATT, BPR #19855

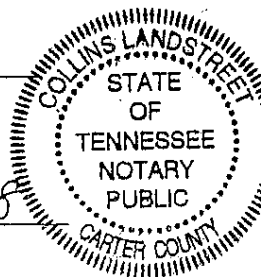
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COUNTY OF Carter

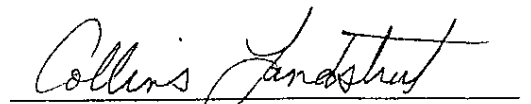
Subscribed and sworn to before me, a notary public, on this 16th day of March, 2008.


NOTARY PUBLIC

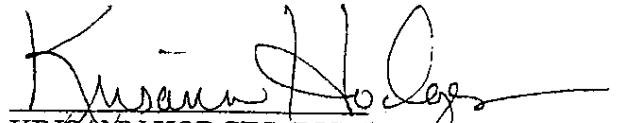
My Commission Expires: 11/10/08



This Conditional Guilty Plea is approved and concurred in by attorney for Respondent, COLLINS LANDSTREET, as evidenced by counsel=s signature below.


COLLINS LANDSTREET, BPR #13509
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This Conditional Guilty Plea is hereby submitted by Disciplinary Counsel, who has approved and recommends this discipline as evidenced by counsel=s signature below.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Krisann Hodges", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

KRISANN HODGES, BPR #17086
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