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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: TIMOTHY ALLEN PRICE, BPR #21652
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MEMPHIS LAWYER SUSPENDED

On July 18, 2011, the Tennessee Supreme Court suspended Timothy Allen Price for two years, retroactively applied to April 8, 2010, the date of Mr. Price's temporary suspension from the practice of law. Mr. Price must pay restitution to two former clients and pay the costs of the disciplinary proceeding.

The Board of Professional Responsibility filed a Petition for Discipline against Mr. Price pursuant to Rule 9 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Tennessee containing two complaints of misconduct. In the first, an immigration client complained about Mr. Price's lack of communication. In the course of investigating this complaint, the Board determined that Mr. Price had abandoned his practice. The Board received a letter from concerned attorneys in Memphis who were trying to assist other clients of Mr. Price. A Supplemental Petition was filed containing another complaint of failure to communicate and lack of diligence. Mr. Price entered into a Conditional Guilty Plea admitting to his misconduct.

Mr. Price's actions violate Rules of Professional Conduct 1.1, Competence; 1.3, Diligence; 1.4, Communication; 1.5(a), Fees; 1.15(a), Safekeeping Property; 1.16(d), Declining and Terminating Representation; and 8.4(a)(c) and (d), Misconduct.

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