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

IN RE: KARLEMMANUEL PULLEY, BPR NO.12761

FILE NO. 46340c-5-PS

Respondent, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee

(Davidson County)

PUBLIC CENSURE

The above complaint was filed against Karl Emmanuel Pulley, #12761, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, alleging certain acts of misconduct. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, the Board of Professional Responsibility considered these matters at its meeting on December 9, 2016.

While representing a defendant in a criminal case, the Respondent met with and obtained a statement from a co-defendant in the case, who was represented by another attorney. The Respondent failed to notify or obtain permission from the attorney before communicating with the co-defendant.

By the aforementioned acts, Karl Emmanuel Pulley has violated Rule of Professional Conduct 4.2 (communication with a person represented by counsel) and is hereby Publicly Censured for this violation.

Michael King, Chair