IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

IN RE SHELLEY ROTHMAN-BRANNING, BPR #10830

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee (Shelby County)

No. M2012-01828-SC-BPR-BP BOPR No. 2011-2054-9-RW FILED
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Clerk of the Courts

ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT

This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Discipline filed June 15, 2011 in Docket No. 2011-2054-9-RW by the Board of Professional Responsibility ("Board") against Shelley Rothman-Branning; upon Ms. Rothman-Branning's Answer to the Petition for Discipline filed July 8, 2011; upon Ms. Rothman-Branning's Amended Answer to the Petition for Discipline filed October 13, 2011; upon entry of a Conditional Guilty Plea filed by Ms. Rothman-Branning on June 20, 2012; upon an Order Recommending Approval of Conditional Guilty Plea entered on June 27, 2012; upon consideration and approval by the Board on August 14, 2012; and upon the entire record in this cause.

From all of which the Court approves the recommendation of the Hearing Panel and accepts the Conditional Guilty Plea.

It is therefore, ordered, adjudged, and decreed by the Court that:

- 1. Shelley Rothman-Branning shall be and is hereby suspended from the practice of law for eleven (11) months, twenty-nine (29) days, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 4.2. Ms. Rothman-Branning's suspension shall consist of sixty (60) days active suspension and the remainder on probation.
- 2. The eleven (11) month, twenty-nine (29) day suspension is subject to the following condition:

During the probationary period, Ms. Rothman-Branning shall perform forty (40) hours of *pro bono* work at a provider of her choice, and then provide proof of such to Disciplinary Counsel.

- 3. The suspension shall become effective ten (10) days after the filing of this Order.
- 4. Ms. Rothman-Branning shall comply in all aspects with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 18 regarding the obligations and responsibilities of suspended attorneys.
- 5. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 24.3, Ms. Rothman-Branning shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$563.99 and, in addition, shall pay to the Clerk of this Court the costs incurred herein, within ninety (90) days of the entry of this Order, for all of which execution may issue if necessary.
- 6. The Board shall cause notice of this discipline to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 18.10.

FOR THE COURT:

WILLIAM C. KOCH. IR., JUSTICE