

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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IN RE: KERI ELIZABETH RULE, BPR #036921
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Knox County)

No. M2022-01440-SC-BAR-BP
BOPR No. 2022-3275-2-AW-27.7

**ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT TO INACTIVE STATUS FROM
DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS**

This matter is before the Court, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R, 9, § 27.7, upon a Petition for Reinstatement Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R, 9, Section 27.7 filed by Keri Elizabeth Rule (“Petitioner”) on October 7, 2022; the Answer to the Petition for Reinstatement Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R, 9, Section 27.7 filed November 3, 2022, recommending the petition be referred to a hearing panel for a hearing on the merits; the entry of the Order Referring Petition for Reinstatement to Hearing Panel by this Court on November 15, 2022; and the entry of the Agreed Final Order by the Hearing Panel recommending removal of Petitioner’s disability status and allow Petitioner to address any pending disciplinary matters.

From all of which, the Court approves the Agreed Final Order entered by the Hearing Panel and grants the Petition for Reinstatement Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R, 9, § 27.7.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED BY THE COURT THAT:

1. Petitioner Keri Elizabeth Rule is hereby removed from disability inactive status in the State of Tennessee pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R, 9, § 27.7(b).
2. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R, 9, § 27.7(c), Keri Elizabeth Rule shall remain on inactive status until further order of the Court.

PER CURIAM