

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

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Clerk of the
Appellate Courts

IN RE: KERI ELIZABETH RULE, BPR NO. 036921

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

No. M2025-01863-SC-BAR-BP

ORDER OF TEMPORARY SUSPENSION

This matter is before the Court on a Petition of the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Supreme Court of Tennessee (hereinafter “the Board”), by and through Disciplinary Counsel, for the temporary suspension of Keri Elizabeth Rule from the practice of law pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3. The Petition has been authorized by the Chair of the Board and is supported by the Affidavit of Maureen F. Hughes, Disciplinary Counsel.

Based upon the Petition and supporting Affidavit, the Court finds that Keri Elizabeth Rule, Respondent, failed to respond to the Board concerning a complaint of misconduct.

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

1. Keri Elizabeth Rule is hereby temporarily suspended from the practice of law as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.

2. Keri Elizabeth Rule shall comply with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 in all respects and particularly as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28, regarding the responsibilities of suspended attorneys.

3. Keri Elizabeth Rule may make application for dissolution or modification of this Order as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3.

4. The Board shall cause notice of this suspension of Keri Elizabeth Rule to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM