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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: YARBORO ANN SALLEE, BPR #16884
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February 6, 2015

KNOX COUNTY LAWYER TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED

On February 6, 2015, the Supreme Court of Tennessee temporarily suspended Yarboro Ann Sallee from the practice of law upon finding that Ms. Sallee failed to respond to the Board regarding a complaint of misconduct. Section 12.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9 provides for the immediate summary suspension of an attorney's license to practice law in cases of an attorney's failure to respond to the Board regarding a complaint of misconduct.

Ms. Sallee is precluded from accepting any new cases, and she must cease representing existing clients by March 8, 2015. After March 8, 2015, Ms. Sallee shall not use any indicia of lawyer, legal assistant, or law clerk nor maintain a presence where the practice of law is conducted.

Ms. Sallee must notify all clients being represented in pending matters, as well as co-counsel and opposing counsel of the Supreme Court's Order suspending her law license. Ms. Sallee is required to deliver to all clients any papers or property to which they are entitled.

This suspension remains in effect until dissolution or modification by the Supreme Court. Ms. Sallee may for good cause request dissolution or modification of the suspension by petition to the Supreme Court.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: YARBORO ANN SALLEE, BPR #16884

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

No. M2015-00218-SC-BAR-BP BOPR No. 2015- 2421-2-SG(12.3) FILED
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Rec'd By

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, by and through Disciplinary Counsel, for the temporary suspension of Yarboro Ann Sallee from the practice of law, pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3 (2014). The Petition has been authorized by the Chair of the Board of Professional Responsibility and is supported by the Affidavit of Preston Shipp, Disciplinary Counsel.

Based upon the Petition and the supporting Affidavit, the Court finds that Yarboro Ann Sallee, Respondent, has failed to respond to the Board of Professional Responsibility concerning a complaint of misconduct.

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

- 1. Yarboro Ann Sallee is hereby temporarily suspended from the practice of law as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, 12.3 (2014).
- 2. Yarboro Ann Sallee shall comply with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 in all respects and particularly as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28 (2014) regarding the responsibilities of suspended attorneys.
- 3. Yarboro Ann Sallee may make application for dissolution or modification of this Order as provided in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3 (2014).
- 4. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this suspension of Yarboro Ann Sallee to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM