

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

IN RE: Archie Sanders, III #12784
Respondent, an attorney licensed
to practice law in Tennessee
(Shelby County)

FILE NO. 51516-9-PS

PUBLIC CENSURE


The above complaint was filed against Archie Sanders, III, BPR #12784, 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 September 8, 2017.

In this matter, Mr. Sanders allowed his client's case to needlessly languish. Mr. Sanders was hired in July of 2010 to represent his client in a labor dispute against his former employer. Mr. Sanders did not file a lawsuit until June of 2013. Court records reveal that Mr. Sanders failed to respond to discovery requests for two years, and during that time he took no action to move the case forward.

By the aforementioned acts, Archie Sanders, III has violated Rule of Professional Conduct 1.3 (diligence), 1.4 (communication) and 3.2 (expediting litigation) and is hereby Publicly

Censured for these violations.

FOR THE BOARD OF
PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY



Michael King, Chair

10/17/17
Date