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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: SEAN GARDNER SAXON, BPR #18880

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Arvada, Colorado)

No. M2017-01323-SC-BAR-BP
BOPR No. 2017-2734-0-AJ-25

ORDER OF RECIPROCAL DISCIPLINE

This matter is before the Court pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25, upon a Notice of Submission filed by the Board of Professional Responsibility (“Board”) consisting of a certified copy of an Order and Notice of Suspension from the Supreme Court of Colorado entered December 21, 2016, suspending Sean Gardner Saxon from the practice of law for three (3) years, effective December 28, 2016.

On June 30, 2017, this Court entered a Notice of Reciprocal Discipline requiring Mr. Saxon to inform this Court within thirty (30) days of receipt of the Notice why reciprocal discipline should not be imposed in Tennessee pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25.4 or, in the absence of a response demonstrating the grounds set forth in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25.4, the Supreme Court of Tennessee will impose a discipline with identical terms and conditions based upon the Order of the Supreme Court of Colorado. This Court has received no response from Mr. Saxon.

After careful consideration of the record in this matter, the Court finds, based upon the particular facts of this case, that none of the elements in Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 25.4 exist. As a result, it is appropriate to enter an Order of Reciprocal Discipline.

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

- (1) Sean Gardner Saxon shall be suspended from the practice of law for three (3) years, as imposed by Notice and Order of Suspension entered by the Supreme Court of Colorado, attached to this Order as Exhibit A. Further, the suspension shall be retroactive to December 28, 2016.

- (2) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 31.3, Mr. Saxon shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$50.00 and 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.
- (3) Prior to seeking reinstatement, Mr. Saxon must have met all CLE requirements; have remitted all outstanding registration fees and outstanding professional privilege taxes, including those due from the date of this suspension until the date of reinstatement; and have remitted all court costs and Board costs in this matter.
- (4) Mr. Saxon shall comply in all aspects with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 28 and 30.4, regarding the obligations and responsibilities of suspended attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement.
- (5) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.1, this Order shall be effective upon entry.
- (6) The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this discipline to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11.

PER CURIAM