IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: CHERYL J. SKIDMORE, BPR #16294

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee

(Sumner County)

No. M2011-00252-SC-BPR-BP BOPR No. 2011-2010-6-KH(4.3) FILED

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Clerk of the Courts 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 Cheryl J. Skidmore from the practice of law, pursuant to Section 4.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9. The Petition has been authorized by the Chair of the Board of Professional Responsibility and is supported by the affidavit of Elizabeth C. Garber, Disciplinary Counsel, and Judge James M. Hunter, Jr.

Based upon the Petition, Order of the Honorable Dee David Gay, and the supporting Affidavits, the Court finds that Cheryl J. Skidmore poses a threat of substantial harm to the public.

It is therefore, ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED by the Court that:

- 1. Cheryl J. Skidmore is hereby temporarily suspended from the practice of law as provided in Section 4.3 of Supreme Court Rule 9.
- 2. Cheryl J. Skidmore shall comply with Supreme Court Rule 9 in all respects, and particularly as provided in Section 18.
- 3. Cheryl J. Skidmore may make application for dissolution or modification of this Order as provided in Supreme Court Rule 9.
- 4. The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this suspension of Cheryl J. Skidmore to be published as required by Supreme Court Rule 9.

FOR THE COURT:

CORNELIA A. CLARK

CHIEF JUSTICE