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HAMILTON COUNTY LAWYER PLACED ON DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS

By Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court entered March 1, 2013, the law license of Jeffrey A. Stinnett, was transferred to disability inactive status pursuant to Section 21 of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9.

Mr. Stinnett cannot practice law while on disability inactive status. He may return to the practice of law after reinstatement by the Tennessee Supreme Court upon showing of clear and convincing evidence that the disability has been removed and he is fit to resume the practice of law.

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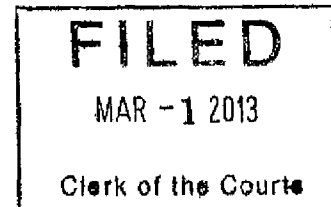
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

IN RE JEFFREY A. STINNETT, BPR #12814
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Hamilton County)

No. M2012-02325-SC-BPR-BP
BOPR No. 2012-2172-3-KB(21)



ORDER TRANSFERRING TO DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS

This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Order of Voluntary Disability Inactive Status filed by Jeffrey A. Stinnett on November 2, 2012; upon the Board of Professional Responsibility's Response to Petition filed November 7, 2012; upon this Court's Order filed November 13, 2012, referring the matter to a Hearing Panel; upon a Consent Order Transferring the Law License of Jeffrey A. Stinnett to Disability Inactive Status filed with the Board on February 25, 2013; and upon the entire record in this cause.

From all of which the Court approves the recommendation of the Hearing Panel and accepts the Consent Order Transferring the Law License of Jeffrey A. Stinnett to Disability Inactive Status.

It is, therefore, ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court that:

1. Jeffrey A. Stinnett is transferred to disability inactive status for an indefinite period and until further order of this Court.
2. All disciplinary proceedings against Mr. Stinnett are hereby suspended pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 21.3.
3. The Board shall cause notice of this transfer to disability inactive status to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 18.10.

4. Costs are taxed to Jeffrey A. Stinnett for which execution may issue if necessary.

FOR THE COURT:

Cornelia A. Clark
CORNELIA A. CLARK, JUSTICE