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**RELEASE OF INFORMATION**  
**RE: TIMOTHY ALAN TULL, BPR #028113**  
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January 3, 2019

**WILLIAMSON COUNTY LAWYER CENSURED**

On January 2, 2019, Timothy Alan Tull, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, received a Public Censure from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court conditioned upon payment of restitution of \$2,000.00 and engagement of a practice monitor.

Mr. Tull, prior to the client's execution of a written waiver, failed to advise the client of potential conflicts of interest or the desirability of seeking independent legal advice, and further failed to provide the client with the opportunity to seek independent legal advice. Mr. Tull also failed to reasonably communicate with another client regarding the resolution of a discovery motion and the imposition of sanctions against the client.

Mr. Tull executed a conditional guilty plea in which he acknowledged his misconduct violated Tennessee Rules of Professional Conduct 1.4 (communication) and 1.8(a)(2) (conflict of interest).

A Public Censure is a rebuke and warning to the attorney, but it does not affect the attorney's ability to practice law.

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