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**RELEASE OF INFORMATION**  
**RE: CARL MARK WARREN, BPR# 13992**  
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October 31, 2011

**HAMILTON COUNTY LAWYER CENSURED**

On October 31, 2011, Carl Mark Warren, an attorney licensed to practice law in Tennessee, received a Public Censure from the Board of Professional Responsibility of the Tennessee Supreme Court.

Mr. Warren represented a client in a personal injury claim, but did not obtain a written fee agreement for the contingency fee. Mr. Warren accepted a settlement without his client's authorization and endorsed the settlement check.

By the aforementioned acts, Carl Mark Warren has violated Rules of Professional Conduct 1.2(a) (scope of representation), 1.4 (communication), 1.5(c) (fees) and 1.15(b) (safekeeping of property) and is hereby Publicly Censured for these violations.

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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