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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: QUENTON I. WHITE, BPR #15136
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October 20, 2016

DAVIDSON COUNTY LAWYER DISBARRED

On October 20, 2016, Quenton I. White of Nashville, Tennessee was disbarred by Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court. The Order disbaring Mr. White is effective as of the date of filing. Mr. White is required to pay restitution to former clients and the Board's costs in the disciplinary action.

A Petition for Discipline was filed on May 26, 2016, alleging misrepresentations to clients, misuse of client's monies and failing to protect client's property and funds. A Supplemental Petition for Discipline was filed against Mr. White on June 14, 2016, alleging misconduct, lack of competence, lack of communication, incompetent representation, misrepresentations to clients, misuse of client's monies and failing to protect client's property and funds.

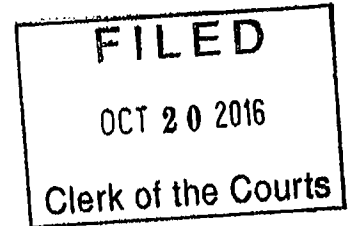
Mr. White's conduct violated RPC 1.1, (competence); 1.3 (diligence); 1.14 (communication); 1.5 (fees); 1.15 (safekeeping of property); 1.16 (declining and terminating representation); and 8.4 (misconduct). On September 27, 2016, Mr. White entered a Conditional Guilty Plea admitting his misconduct.

Mr. White must comply with Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9, Sections 28 and 30.4 regarding the obligations and responsibilities of suspended attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement. Mr. White must pay the Board's costs and expenses prior to reinstatement to the practice of law.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: QUENTON I. WHITE, BPR # 15136
An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee
(Davidson County)

No. M2016-02104-SC-BAR-BP
BOPR No. 2016-2588-5-AJ



ORDER OF ENFORCEMENT

This matter is before the Court upon a Petition for Discipline filed against Quenton I. White on May 26, 2016; upon Supplemental Petition for Discipline filed on June 14, 2016; upon the Board's Motion for Default Judgment and That Charges in the Petition be Deemed Admitted on July 27, 2016; upon the Hearing Panel's Order Granting Motion for Default on August 30, 2016; upon the Executive Secretary of the Board serving a copy of the Order Granting Motion for Default on Mr. White by email on September 27, 2016; upon Mr. White's Conditional Guilty Plea entered on September 27, 2016; upon the Hearing Panel's Order Recommending Approval of Conditional Guilty Plea on September 27, 2016; upon consideration and approval by the Board on September 30, 2016; and upon the entire record in this cause.

From all of which the Court approves the Order of the Hearing Panel and adopts the Hearing Panel's Order Recommending Approval of Conditional Guilty Plea as the Court's Order.

On February 9, 2016, Mr. White was temporarily suspended by this Court pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.3, Docket No. M2016-00271-SC-BAR-BP. To date, Mr. White has not requested, nor been granted reinstatement.

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

- (1) Mr. Quenton I. White is disbarred from the practice of law.

(2) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 12.7, and as a condition precedent to any reinstatement, Mr. White shall make restitution to the following individuals and shall furnish to the Board of Professional Responsibility proof of restitution. In the event restitution is made by the Tennessee Lawyer's Fund for Client Protection (TLFCP), Mr. White shall reimburse TLFCP in the same amount:

(a) Sam E. Christopher - \$16,666.67

(b) Bertha Ann Tiplett - \$16,666.67

(c) Samuel Mayo - \$16,666.67

(c) John Harris - \$50,000.00

(d) Arbedella Pedigrew - \$50,000.00

(3) Prior to seeking reinstatement, Mr. White 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 disbarment until the date of reinstatement; and have remitted all court costs and Board costs in this matter.

(4) Additionally, Mr. White shall comply in all aspects with Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9 §§28 and 30.4 regarding the obligations and responsibilities of disbarred attorneys and the procedure for reinstatement.

(5) Further, the Order of Temporary Suspension entered on February 9, 2016, in Docket No. M2016-00271-SC-BAR-BP, is hereby dissolved.

(6) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.1, this Order shall be effective upon entry.

(7) Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 31.3(d), Mr. White shall pay to the Board of Professional Responsibility the expenses and costs of this matter in the amount of \$188.63 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.

(8) The Board of Professional Responsibility shall cause notice of this discipline to be published as required by Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 28.11 (2014).

PER CURIAM