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RELEASE OF INFORMATION
RE: DUANE SIDNEY SNODGRASS, BPR #698
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BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY
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November 7, 2016

HAWKINS COUNTY LAWYER PLACED ON DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS

By Order of the Tennessee Supreme Court entered November 4, 2016, the law license of Duane Sidney Snodgrass was transferred to disability inactive status pursuant to Section 27.3 of Tennessee Supreme Court Rule 9.

Mr. Snodgrass 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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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: DUANE SIDNEY SNODGRASS, BPR #698

An Attorney Licensed to Practice Law in Tennessee (Hawkins County)

No. M2016-02226-SC-BAR-BP BOPR No. 2016-2650-1-KH(27)

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ORDER TRANSFERRING ATTORNEY TO DISABILITY INACTIVE STATUS

This matter is before the Court upon a petition to transfer Duane Sidney Snodgrass to disability inactive status filed by the Tennessee Board of Professional Responsibility pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.3.

Upon due consideration of documentation from Mr. Snodgrass' medical care provider, the Court concludes that Duane Sidney Snodgrass is currently incapacitated from continuing the practice of law.

- IT IS, THEREFORE, CONSIDERED, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED BY THE COURT THAT:
- 1. The law license of Duane Sidney Snodgrass shall be transferred to disability inactive status for an indefinite period of time and until further orders of the Supreme Court.
- 2. Mr. Snodgrass shall be allowed to petition for reinstatement pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 27.7.
- 3. The Board shall publish notice of this transfer pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, §§ 27.5 and 28.11.
- 4. Pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, § 32.4, documents other than this Order relating to Mr. Snodgrass' disability proceeding shall not be public records and shall be kept confidential.

PER CURIAM