## Supreme Court of Texas

Misc. Docket No. 22-9043

## In The Matter of Jeffrey Richard Price

The Court has reviewed the Motion for Acceptance of Resignation as Attorney and Counselor at Law in Lieu of Disciplinary Action of Jeffrey Richard Price (the Motion) and the Response of the Office of the Chief Disciplinary Counsel for the Commission for Lawyer Discipline (the Response). The Court concludes each meets the requirements of Part X of the Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure. The Court finds that Jeffrey Richard Price has waived the right to withdraw the Motion. Therefore, the Court deems the professional misconduct detailed in the Response conclusively established for all purposes. The Court further concludes that Jeffrey Richard Price's resignation is in the best interest of the public and the profession.

Therefore, the law license of Jeffrey Richard Price of Smith County, Texas, State Bar Card Number 24093528, is canceled. Jeffrey Richard Price ("Resignee") must immediately surrender Resignee's State Bar Card and Texas law license to the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Texas or file with the Court an affidavit stating why Resignee cannot.

Jeffrey Richard Price is prohibited from practicing law in the State of Texas.

Jeffrey Richard Price is prohibited from holding themself out as an attorney at law,
performing legal services for others, giving legal advice to others, accepting any fee
directly or indirectly for legal services, appearing as counsel or in any representative
capacity in any proceeding in any Texas court or before any Texas administrative

body (whether state, county, municipal, or other), or holding themself out to others or using Resignee's name in any manner in conjunction with the word "Attorney at Law," "Counselor at Law," or "Lawyer."

Additionally, Jeffrey Richard Price must immediately notify in writing each of Resignee's current clients and opposing counsel of this resignation. Jeffrey Richard Price must also return any files, papers, unearned monies, and other property in Resignee's possession belonging to any client or former client to the respective client or former client or to another attorney at the client's or former client's request. Jeffrey Richard Price must file with the Statewide Compliance Monitor, State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, Texas 78711, within thirty days of the date of this Order an affidavit stating that all current clients and opposing counsel have been notified of this resignation and that all files, papers, monies, and other property belonging to all clients and former clients have been returned.

Finally, Jeffrey Richard Price must, within thirty days after the date of this Order, notify in writing each justice of the peace, judge, magistrate, and chief justice of each court in which Jeffrey Richard Price has any matter pending of the terms of this Order, the style and cause number of the pending matter(s), and the name, address, and telephone number of the client(s) that Jeffrey Richard Price is representing in court. Jeffrey Richard Price must file with the Statewide Compliance Monitor, State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, Texas 78711, within thirty days of the date of this Order an affidavit stating that Resignee has notified in writing each justice of the peace, judge, magistrate, and chief justice of each court in which Resignee has any matter pending of the terms of this Order, the style and cause

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number of the pending matter(s), and the name, address and telephone number of

the client(s) Jeffrey Richard Price is representing in Court.

CONDITIONS FOR REINSTATEMENT

As an absolute condition precedent for the reinstatement of Jeffrey Richard

Price, payment of restitution to Alma Noorda in the amount of \$116,515.36 should be

required. This amount represents money due to Noorda in the matter made the basis

of Price's resignation. All payments should be made by certified or cashier's check

and delivered to The State Bar of Texas, Office of the Chief Disciplinary Counsel, P.O.

Box 12487, Austin, Texas 78711-2487.

SO ORDERED this 14th day of June, 2022.

James D. Blacklock, Justice Rebeca A. Huddle, Justice