

BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT COMMITTEE ON PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT  
PANEL B

**FILED**

IN RE: **GREGORY D. JONES**, Respondent  
Arkansas Bar ID #87095  
CPC Docket No. 2011-092

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**LESLIE W. STEEN**  
**CLERK**

**ORDER OF INTERIM SUSPENSION**

Stark Ligon, Executive Director of the Supreme Court Office of Professional Conduct, has presented to the Committee his verified Petition for Interim Suspension, pursuant to Section 16.A(3) of the Supreme Court Procedures Regulating Professional Conduct of Attorneys at Law (2011) (the "Procedures"), alleging Respondent **GREGORY D. JONES**, Arkansas Bar ID #87095, an attorney last practicing law primarily in Fayetteville, Washington County, Arkansas, presently poses a substantial threat of serious harm to the public and to his clients if he continues to practice law.

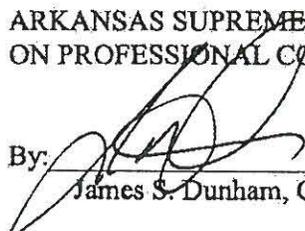
The Arkansas Supreme Court Committee on Professional Conduct (the "Committee"), pursuant to the mandate of Section 16 of the Procedures, finds the allegations of the petition are "serious misconduct," and involve alleged violations of the Arkansas Rules of Professional Conduct for abandonment of his law practice and clients in mid-2011, failure to return client files, being sued in state and federal court over alleged financial improprieties involving client funds and fees, and failing to appear for depositions in said litigation after being ordered to do so.

The Committee further finds that an interim suspension of Respondent's privilege to practice law under the authority of his Arkansas law license shall be imposed pursuant to Sections 7E(3)(c), and 8B(1)(c) of the Procedures (2011).

It is therefore ORDERED that Respondent **GREGORY D. JONES** be, and he hereby is, **SUSPENDED** from the practice of law within this jurisdiction immediately upon the filing of this Order with the Clerk of the Arkansas Supreme Court.

ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT COMMITTEE  
ON PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT, PANEL B

Date: 12-12-2011

By:   
James S. Dunham, Chair

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