Supreme Court of Texas

Misc. Docket No. 25-9037

In the Matter of Traci Leigh Bransford

- 1. The Court has received Traci Leigh Bransford's motion for resignation in lieu of discipline, the Chief Disciplinary Counsel's response, and Bransford's waiver of the ten-day period for withdrawing her motion.
- 2. The Court finds that the requirements of Part X, Texas Rules of Disciplinary Procedure, are met and that the allegations of Professional Misconduct in the response are conclusively established.
- 3. It is therefore ordered that the law license of Traci Leigh Bransford, State Bar No. 02897520, is canceled.
- 4. Effective immediately, Bransford is prohibited from practicing law in this State.
- 5. Bransford must:
 - immediately surrender her State Bar card and law license to the Clerk of this Court or file an affidavit stating why she cannot;
 - immediately notify each of her current clients and opposing counsel of her resignation in writing;
 - immediately return to current and former clients all property, including papers and files, and unearned compensation in her possession;
 - immediately notify each court in which Bransford has any matter pending of the terms of this order; the style and case number of pending matters; and the names, addresses, and phone numbers of her clients in those cases; and
 - within thirty days of the date of this order, file with the Statewide Compliance Monitor, State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, TX 78711, an affidavit stating that she has complied with each requirement in this paragraph.
- 6. Conditions precedent for Bransford's reinstatement include payment of \$1,000,000 in restitution to Harris and Patricia Ammerman. All payments must be made by certified or cashier's check or by money order. Payments must be mailed to the State Bar of Texas, Office of Chief Disciplinary Counsel, P.O. Box 12487, Austin, TX 78711 or delivered to 1414 Colorado Street, Austin, Texas 78701.

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