

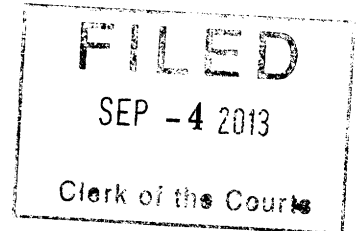
IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE  
AT NASHVILLE

IN RE: THE ADOPTION OF AMENDMENT TO TENNESSEE SUPREME  
COURT RULE 13

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No. ADM2013-01994

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**ORDER**

The Board of Professional Responsibility and the Administrative Office of the Courts have advised the Court that certain attorneys making claims for fees associated with the representation of indigent litigants pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. 13 owe unpaid costs assessed as the result of disciplinary proceedings against the attorneys pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9. The Court has determined that revision is necessary to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 13 in order to permit the Administrative Office of the Courts to reduce fee claims which become due and payable under Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 13 by the amount of any unpaid costs owed by claimant attorneys under Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9.

After due consideration, the Court hereby amends Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 13 as set out in the attached Appendix to this Order. The effective date of this amendment is January 1, 2014.

The Clerk shall provide a copy of this Order to LexisNexis and to Thomson Reuters. This Order, including the Appendix, shall be posted on the Court's website.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

PER CURIAM

*APPENDIX*

**[Adopt the attached revision of Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 13, effective January 1,  
2014:]**

**AMENDMENT TO TENN. SUP. CT. R. 13**  
**(effective January 1, 2014)**

[Amend Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 13, Section 6 to add new paragraph (a)(8) as indicated below. Paragraphs (a)(1)-(7) remain unchanged:]

Section. 6. \*\*\* (a)(1) \*\*\*

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(8) As a part of its examination and audit of claims for compensation and reimbursement under this Rule 13, the AOC shall determine from information provided by the Board of Professional Responsibility whether there are unpaid costs assessed against counsel submitting the claim pursuant to Tenn. Sup. Ct. R. 9, Section 31.3. Claims for compensation and reimbursement under this Rule 13 shall be subject to reduction for any such unpaid costs.