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SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

NO. 09-B-0213

IN RE: LEONARD E. YOKUM, JR.

ORDER

Considering the Petition for Interim Suspension for Threat of Harm filed by the Office of Disciplinary Counsel,

IT IS ORDERED that respondent, Leonard E. Yokum, Jr., Louisiana Bar Roll number 13745, be and he hereby is suspended from the practice of law on an interim basis pursuant to Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 19.2, pending further orders of this court. Pursuant to Supreme Court Rule XIX, § 26(E), this order is effective immediately.

NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, this _____ day of February, 2009.

FOR THE COURT:

JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA