SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-150 September Term 2002

IN THE MATTER OF

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EDWARD THOMAS BASAMAN,

ORDER

AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

(Attorney No. 025001990) :

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 02-464, concluding that EDWARD THOMAS BASAMAN of WEST NEW YORK, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1991, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months for violating RPC 1.1(a) (gross neglect), RPC 1.4(a) (failure to communicate with client), RPC 1.4(b) (failure to explain a matter to permit client to make informed decision), RPC 1.16(d) (failure to protect client's interests upon termination of representation), and RPC 8.4(c) (conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit or misrepresentation); and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **EDWARD THOMAS BASAMAN** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months and until the further Order of the Court, effective August 1, 2003; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent be restrained and enjoined from practicing law during the period of suspension and that respondent comply with Rule 1:20-20; and it is further

ORDERED that the entire record of this matter be made a permanent part of respondent's file as an attorney at law of this State; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent reimburse the Disciplinary Oversight

Committee for appropriate administrative costs incurred in the

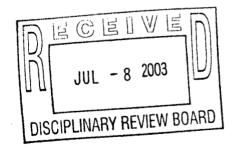
prosecution of this matter.

WITNESS, the Honorable Deborah T. Poritz, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 1st day of July, 2003.

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The foregoing is a true copy of the original on file in my office.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY



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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

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- I, Thomas J. Foden, hereby certify:
- 1) I am employed by the State of New Jersey as a Administrative Specialist II, in the Supreme Court.
- 2) On JULY 2, 2003, I personally mailed, regular mail and certified mail, 7000 1670 0009 2323 2976, to respondent EDWARD THOMAS BASAMAN, 5704 BROADWAY, WEST NEW YORK, NJ 07093, a copy of an Order filed JULY 2, 2003.

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Thomas J. Foden

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