SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-98 September Term 1997

IN THE MATTER OF :

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RICHARD L. GRUBER,

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AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

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The Disciplinary Review Board on September 18, 1997, having filed with the Court its decision concluding that RICHARD L. GRUBER of NEWARK, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1977, should be reprimanded for violating RPC 1.1(a) (gross neglect), RPC 1.3 (lack of diligence), RPC 1.4(a) (failure to communicate), and RPC 8.1(b) (failure to cooperate with Office of Attorney Ethics), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that RICHARD L. GRUBER is hereby reprimanded; 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 24th day of February, 1998.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original on file in new office.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

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