SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-47 September Term 2012 071937

IN THE MATTER OF	:		
WILLIAM E. GAHWYLER, JR.,	:		2
AN ATTORNEY AT LAW	:	ORDER	JYN 5 3 5013
(Attorney No. 018291990)	:		M. E.G.S.

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 12-191 concluding that WILLIAM E. GAHWYLER, JR., of MIDLAND PARK, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1990, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of one year for violating <u>RPC</u> 1.5(a) (charging an unreasonable fee), <u>RPC</u> 1.5(b) (failure to communicate the basis or rate of fee in writing), <u>RPC</u> 1.7(a) (1) and (2) (conflict of interest), <u>RPC</u> 1.15(b) (failure to promptly deliver funds to a client or third person), <u>RPC</u> 4.1(a) (false statement of material fact to a third person), <u>RPC</u> 8.4(b) (commission of a criminal act that reflects adversely on the attorney's honesty, trustworthiness or fitness as a lawyer), and <u>RPC</u> 8.4(c) (conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that WILLIAM E. GAHWYLER, JR., is suspended from the practice of law for a period of one year and until the further Order of the Court, effective February 22, 2013; 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 comply with <u>Rule</u> 1:20-20 dealing with suspended attorneys; and it is further

ORDERED that pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:20-20(c), respondent's failure to comply with the Affidavit of Compliance requirement of <u>Rule</u> 1:20-20(b)(15) may (1) preclude the Disciplinary Review Board from considering respondent's petition for reinstatement for a period of up to six months from the date respondent files proof of compliance; (2) be found to constitute a violation of <u>RPC</u> 8.1(b) and <u>RPC</u> 8.4(c); and (3) provide a basis for an action for contempt pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:10-2; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent reimburse the Disciplinary Oversight Committee for appropriate administrative costs and actual expenses incurred in the prosecution of this matter, as provided in Rule 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 22nd day of January, 2013.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

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