SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-42 September Term 1989

IN THE MATTER OF	•	
STEPHEN J. HALPERN,	•	ORDER
AN ATTORNEY AT LAW	•	

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This matter having been submitted to the Court on the report of the Disciplinary Review Board recommending that STEPHEN J. HALPERN of RED BANK, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1983, be publicly reprimanded for his gross negligence and lack of due diligence in his failure to remit real estate proceeds in a timely manner, in violation of <u>RPC</u> 1.1(a) and <u>RPC</u> 1.3, and for deficient record and bookkeeping practices, in violation of <u>R</u>. 1:21-6 and <u>RPC</u> 1:15(d), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that the findings of the Disciplinary Review Board are hereby adopted and STEPHEN J. HALPERN is publicly reprimanded; and it is further

ORDERED that the Decision and Recommendation of the Disciplinary Review Board, together with this order and the full record of the matter, be added as a permanent part of the file of said STEPHEN J. HALPERN, as an attorney-at-law of the State of New Jersey; and it is further ORDERED that STEPHEN J. HALPERN reimburse the Ethics Financial Committee for appropriate administrative costs.

WITNESS, the Honorable Robert N. Wilentz, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 19th day of September, 1989.

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