SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-32 September Term 2009 065078

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IN THE MATTER OF

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JOSEPH A. CARMEN,

ORDER

AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

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(Attorney No. 264391971)

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 09-121, concluding that **JOSEPH A. CARMEN** of **MARLTON**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1971, should be reprimanded for violating  $\underline{RPC}$  1.3(lack of diligence) and  $\underline{RPC}$  1.4(b)(failure to communicate with client), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **JOSEPH A. CARMEN** 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 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 26th day of January, 2010.

Mark herry

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CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT