SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-34 September Term 2007

F. 1 IN THE MATTER OF EC JAMES D. NICHOLS, JAN 1 8 2008 ORDÉ AN ATTORNEY AT LAW appen utoursend ORIGINAL (Attorney No. 261921971) DISCIPLINARY REVIEW BOARD

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 07-164, concluding that **JAMES D. NICHOLS** of **NORTH BRUNSWICK**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1971, should be reprimanded for violating <u>RPC</u> 5.5(a) (practicing law while ineligible), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **JAMES D. NICHOLS** 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 15th day of January, 2008.

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

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