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IN THE MATTER OF

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CHRISTOPHER J. FAUCI,

April Telephone

ORDER

AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

(Attorney No. 048581996)

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 06-221, concluding as matter of reciprocal discipline pursuant to Rule 1:20-14 that CHRISTOPHER J. FAUCI of NEW YORK, NEW YORK, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1997, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of eighteen months based on discipline imposed in the State of New York for conduct that in New Jersey constitutes a violation of RPC 1.1(a) (gross neglect), RPC 1.3(lack of diligence), RPC 1.4(a) (failure to communicate with client), RPC 3.3(a) (false statement of material fact or law to a tribunal), RPC 8.4(c) (conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit or misrepresentation), and RPC 8.4(d) (conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that CHRISTOPHER J. FAUCI is suspended from the practice of law for a period of eighteen months, effective February 19, 2007, and until the further Order of the Court; 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 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 James R. Zazzali, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 23rd day of January, 2007.

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

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY CLERK OF THE SUPREME CHRILD

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