IN THE MATTER OF

JAMES S. DeBOSH,

AN ATTORNEY AT LAW



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The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 00-378 and DRB 00-379, concluding that JAMES S. DeBOSH of PHILLIPSBURG, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1992, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months for violating RPC 1.1(a) (gross neglect), RPC 1.3 (lack of diligence), RPC 1.4(a) (failure to communicate), RPC 1.15(c) (failure to safekeep property), RPC 1.16(d) (failure to release client files) and RPC 8.1(b) (failure to cooperate); and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that JAMES S. DeBOSH is suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months and until the further Order of the Court, effective January 2, 2002; 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 be restrained and enjoined from practicing law during the period of suspension and that respondent comply with <u>Rule 1:20-20;</u> and it is further

ORDERED that respondent reimburse the Disciplinary Oversight

Committee for appropriate administrative costs incurred in the

prosecution of this matter.

WITNESS, the Honorable Deborah T. Poritz, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 4th day of December, 2001.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

i hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original on file in my office.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

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