SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-56 September Term 2018 082187

In the Matter of

Annette Patricia Alfano,

An Attorney At Law

(Attorney No. 005231986)

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The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 18-220, concluding that **Annette Patricia Alfano** of **Branchburg**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1984, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months for violating <u>RPC</u> 1.15(a)(failure to safeguard property belonging to a client or third party), <u>RPC</u> 1.15(b)(failure to promptly disburse funds), <u>RPC</u> 4.1(a)(1)(knowingly making a false statement of material fact or law to a third person), and <u>RPC</u> 8.4(c)(conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit or misrepresentation);

And the Court having determined from its review of the matter that a censure is the appropriate quantum of discipline for respondent's unethical conduct;

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that Annette Patricia Alfano is hereby censured; 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 <u>Rule</u> 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 11th day of June, 2019.

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CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT