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In the Matter of

Aileen Merrill Schlissel,

CORRECTED ORDER

An Attorney At Law

(Attorney No. 002741997)

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 18-266, concluding that as a matter of reciprocal discipline pursuant to Rule 1:20-14(a)(4), **Aileen Merrill Schlissel of Irvine, California**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1997, and who has been suspended from practice since March 7, 2017, pursuant to Orders of the Court filed March 7, 2017 and January 10, 2019, should be suspended from practice for a period of six months based on discipline imposed in the state of Nevada for unethical conduct that in New Jersey constitutes violations of RPC 1.15(a)(safekeeping property), RPC 1.3(lack of diligence), RPC 1.4(b)(failure to keep a client reasonably informed about the status of a matter and to promptly comply with reasonable requests for information), RPC 5.3 (responsibility regarding nonlawyer assistance), RPC 5.4(a)(professional independence of a lawyer),

RPC 5.5(a) and Rule 1:21-1B(a)(4)(unauthorized practice of law and failure to maintain liability insurance), and RPC 7.1 (communications concerning lawyer's service);

And the Disciplinary Review Board having further determined that the term of suspension should be consecutive to the three-month term of suspension pursuant to the Order of the Court filed January 10, 2019;

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **Aileen Merrill Schlissel** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of six months effective April 11, 2019, and until the further Order of the Court; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent shall not apply for reinstatement until she has complied with the conditions in the Court's Order filed January 10, 2019; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent continue to comply with Rule 1:20-20 dealing with suspended attorneys; and it is further

ORDERED that pursuant to Rule 1:20-20(c), respondent's failure to comply with the Affidavit of Compliance requirement of Rule 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 RPC 8.1(b) and RPC 8.4(d); and (3) provide a basis for an action for contempt pursuant to Rule 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 Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this
16th day of July, 2019.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Heather J. Baker". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "H".

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT