

IN THE MATTER OF

BASIL D. BECK, JR.,

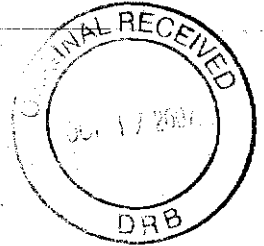
AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

(Attorney No. 208561963)

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ORDER



The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 07-121, concluding on the record certified to the Board pursuant to Rule 1:20-4(f) (default by respondent), that **BASIL D. BECK, JR.**, formerly of BRIDGETON, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1963, and who has been temporarily suspended from the practice of law since September 17, 2007, be disciplined for violating RPC 1.2(a lawyer shall abide by a client's decision whether to accept an offer of settlement of a matter) and RPC 8.1(failure to cooperate with disciplinary authorities);

And the Disciplinary Review Board having determined that because of respondent's lengthy history of serious ethical violations, his current misconduct and disregard for the disciplinary system, disbarment is warranted;

And **BASIL D. BECK, JR.**, having failed to appear on the Order of the Court directing him to show cause why he should not be disbarred or otherwise disciplined;

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **BASIL D. BECK, JR.**, be disbarred, effective immediately, and that his name be stricken from the roll of attorneys;

ORDERED that **BASIL D. BECK, JR.**, be and hereby is permanently restrained and enjoined from practicing law; and it is further

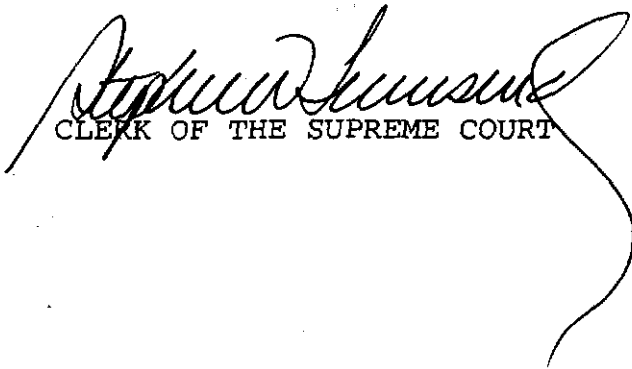
ORDERED that respondent comply with Rule 1:20-20 dealing with disbarred attorneys; and it is further

ORDERED that all funds, if any, currently existing in any New Jersey financial institution maintained by **BASIL D. BECK, JR.**, pursuant to Rule 1:21-6 be restrained from disbursement except on application to this Court, for good cause shown, and shall be transferred by the financial institution to the Clerk of the Superior Court, who is directed to deposit the funds in the Superior Court Trust Fund pending the further Order of this Court; and it is further

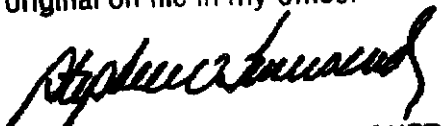
ORDERED that the entire record of this matter be made a permanent part of respondent's file as an attorney at law of this State; and it is further

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 10th day of October, 2007.


CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

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


CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT
OF NEW JERSEY

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY
D-161 September Term 2007

IN THE MATTER OF :
BASIL D. BECK, JR., : CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE
AN ATTORNEY AT LAW :

I, Denise McCollum, hereby certify:

1) I am employed by the State of New Jersey as an Administrative Specialist with the Supreme Court Clerk's Office.

2) All certified and regular mail sent by the Clerk's office and addressed to respondent at his last known address of 3859 LeFlore Drive, Rockledge, Florida 32955, has been returned by the post office with the notation, "Not deliverable as addressed, unable to forward."

3) Because respondent's whereabouts are unknown, no attempt was made to mail respondent a copy of the Court's Order filed on October 15, 2007. The Order will be published in the New Jersey Lawyer and the New Jersey Law Journal.

I hereby certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.


Denise McCollum
Administrative Specialist