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Re: In the Matter of Todd E. Schoenwetter
Docket No. DRB 07-348
District Docket No. IV-05-038E
LETTER OF ADMONITION

Dear Mr. Schoenwetter:

The Disciplinary Review Board has reviewed your conduct in the above matter and has concluded that it was improper. After a careful review of the record, the Board has determined to impose an admonition.

Specifically, in 2001, Brenda Joyce Jones retained you to represent her in an action for injuries sustained in an automobile accident. Although you settled the matter favorably for your client, you failed to advise her during the case that a medical provider, Regional Orthopedics, was sending her quarterly bills to your office. Those bills totaled \$4,000. So, too, when Regional billed Jones directly for the sum, you failed to reply to Jones' reasonable requests for information about the case for several months. Your conduct amounted to failure to communicate with the client, a violation of RPC 1.4(b).

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In addition, your failure to promptly heed the DEC's repeated requests for your file in this matter violated RPC 8.1(b).

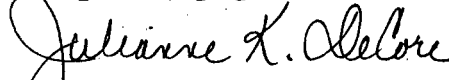
In imposing only an admonition, the Board considered that you have no prior final discipline.

Your conduct has adversely reflected not only upon you as an attorney but also upon all members of the bar. Accordingly, the Board has directed the issuance of this admonition to you. R. 1:20-15(f)(4).

A permanent record of this occurrence has been filed with the Clerk of the Supreme Court and the Board's office. Should you become the subject of any further discipline, it will be taken into consideration.

The Board has also directed that the costs of the disciplinary proceedings be assessed against you. An invoice of costs will be forwarded under separate cover.

Very truly yours,


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