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**VIA CERTIFIED, R.R.R AND REGULAR MAIL**

Robert Bradley Blackman  
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**Re: In the Matter of Robert B. Blackman**  
Docket No. DRB 10-137  
District Docket No. XIV-2009-0403E  
**LETTER OF ADMONITION**

Dear Mr. Blackman:

The Disciplinary Review Board reviewed the motion for discipline by consent (admonition), filed by the Office of Attorney Ethics ("OAE"), pursuant to R. 1:20-10(b)(1). Following a review of the record, the Board determined to grant the motion and to impose an admonition.

Specifically, between October 30, 2006 and September 11, 2009, you were administratively ineligible to practice law due to your failure to file the annual IOLTA registration statement for the years 2006, 2007, and 2008. Nevertheless, you continued to practice law during this three-year period. Your conduct was unethical and a violation of RPC 5.5(a)(1).

In imposing only an admonition, the Board took into account that you were unaware of your ineligibility and that nineteen years have elapsed since your public reprimand, in 1991.

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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,

*By*   
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