SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-103 September Term 2010 068180

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IN THE MATTER OF

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WAYNE POWELL,

ORDER

AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

(Attorney No. 030841984)

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 10-412, concluding that WAYNE POWELL of CHERRY HILL, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1985, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months for violating RPC 1.3 (lack of diligence), RPC 1.4 (b) (failure to keep client reasonably informed about the status of the matter), and RPC 5.3 (a) and (b) (failure to supervise nonlawyer assistants), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **WAYNE POWELL** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months and until the further Order of the Court, effective July 29, 2011; and it is further

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

ORDERED that pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:20-20(c), respondent's failure to comply with the Affidavit of Compliance requirement of <u>Rule</u> 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(c); 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 <u>Rule</u> 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 28th day of June, 2011.

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