IN THE MATTER OF

ARNOLD M. ABRAMOWITZ,

AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

(Attorney No. 027231976)

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The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court

its decision in DRB 08-254, concluding on the record certified to

the Board pursuant to Rule 1:20-4(f)(default by respondent), that

ARNOLD M. ABRAMOWITZ of IRVINGTON, who was admitted to the bar of

this State in 1976, should be suspended from the practice of law

for a period of three months for violating RPC 1.1(a)(gross

neglect), RPC 8.4(c)(conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit

or misrepresentation), and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that ARNOLD M. ABRAMOWITZ is suspended from

the practice of law for a period of three months and until the

further Order of the Court, effective March 13, 2009; and it is

further

ORDERED that respondent comply with Rule 1:20-20 dealing

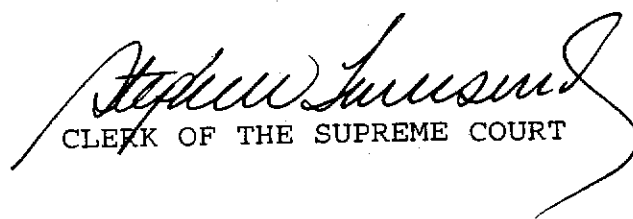with suspended attorneys; and it is further

ORDERED that pursuant to 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(c); and (3) provide a basis for an action for contempt pursuant to Rule 1:10-2; and it is further
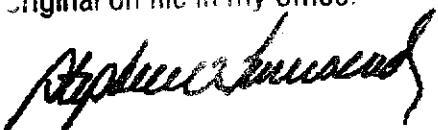
ORDERED that the entire record of this matter be made a permanent part of respondent's file as an attorney at law of this State; and it is further

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 Rule 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 10th day of February, 2009.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT