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IN THE MATTER OF
EMIL T. RESTAINO,
AN ATTORNEY AT LAW
(Attorney No. 017581983)

ORDER

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The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision DRB 08-403, concluding that **EMIL T. RESTAINO** of **BELLEVILLE**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1984, should be censured for violating RPC 1.3 (lack of diligence), RPC 1.4(b) (failure to communicate with the client), and RPC 1.5(b) (failure to set forth, in writing, the rate of basis of the fee) in two matters, and RPC 8.4(c) (misrepresentation) in one matter;

And **EMIL T. RESTAINO** having been ordered to show cause why he should not be disbarred or otherwise disciplined;

And the Court having determined from its review of the matter that a six-month suspension from practice is the appropriate quantum of discipline for respondent's unethical conduct and that respondent should be required to complete courses in professional responsibility and law office management and practice law under supervision following reinstatement to practice;

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **EMIL T. RESTAINO** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of six months and until the further Order of the Court, effective July 1, 2010; and it is further

ORDERED that prior to reinstatement to practice, respondent shall enroll in and successfully complete a course in the area of professional responsibility and a course in law office management, which courses shall be approved by the Office of Attorney Ethics; and it is further

ORDERED that on reinstatement to practice, respondent shall practice law under the supervision of a practicing attorney approved by the Office of Attorney Ethics for a period of two years and until the further Order of the Court; and it is further

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

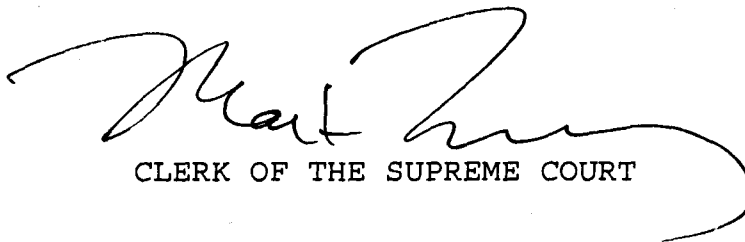
ORDERED that respondent comply with Rule 1:20-20(c), respondent's failure to comply with the Affidavit of Compliance requirement of Rule 1:20-20(b)(15) may (1) preclude the Disciplinary Review Board from considering respondent's petition for reinstatement for a period of up to six months from the date 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

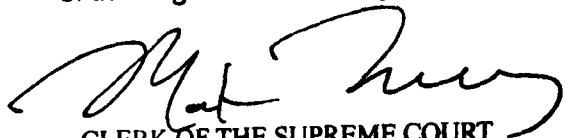
ORDERED that respondent reimburse the Disciplinary Oversight Committee for appropriate administrative costs and actual expenses incurred in the prosecution of this matter, as provided in Rule 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 1st day of June, 2010.



CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

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



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OF NEW JERSEY