

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
D-24 September Term 2007

IN THE MATTER OF  
PATRICK J. MOORE,  
AN ATTORNEY AT LAW  
(Attorney No. 013721989)

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ORDER

*Stephen W. Townsend*  
CLERK

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 07-205, concluding on the record certified to the Board pursuant to Rule 1:20-4(f) (default by respondent), that **PATRICK J. MOORE** of **RIDLEY PARK, PENNSYLVANIA**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1989, and who has been suspended from the practice of law since January 15, 2003, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months for violating RPC 1.1(a) (gross neglect), RPC 1.3 (lack of diligence), RPC 1.4(b) (failure to keep client reasonably informed about the status of matter) and RPC 8.4(c) (conduct involving fraud, dishonesty, deceit or misrepresentation);

And **PATRICK J. MOORE** having failed to appear on the Order to Show Cause issued in this matter;

And the Court having determined from its review of the matter that a one-year suspension from practice is the appropriate quantum of discipline for respondent's unethical conduct;

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **PATRICK J. MOORE** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of one year and until the further

Order of the Court, effective immediately; 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 11th day of March, 2008.

*Stephen J. Townsend*  
CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

The foregoing is a true copy of the  
original on file in my office.  
*Stephen J. Townsend*  
CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT  
OF NEW JERSEY

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