SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-12 September Term 2017 080073

IN THE MATTER OF

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BENJAMIN MORTON,

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ORDER

AN ATTORNEY AT LAW

(Attorney No. 050681998)

This matter having been duly presented pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:20-10(b)(1), following a granting of a motion for discipline by consent in DRB 17-229 of **BENJAMIN MORTON** of **NEWARK**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1998;

And the Office of Attorney Ethics and respondent having signed a stipulation of discipline by consent in which it was agreed that respondent violated <u>RPC</u> 1.15(d)(failure to comply with the recordkeeping requirements of Rule 1:21-6);

And the parties having agreed that respondent's conduct violated RPC 1.15(d)(failure to comply with the recordkeeping requirements of Rule 1:21-6), and that said conduct warrants a censure or such lesser discipline as the Board may deem appropriate;

And the Disciplinary Review Board having determined that a reprimand is the appropriate discipline for respondent's unethical conduct and having granted the motion for discipline by consent in VA-2016-0004E and good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **BENJAMIN MORTON** is hereby reprimanded; 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 $27^{\rm th}$ day of October, 2017.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT-