

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY
D-109 September Term 2020
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In the Matter of
:
Barry J. Beran,
:
An Attorney At Law
:
(Attorney No. 019301980)
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The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 20-212, recommending in a matter submitted to it pursuant to Rule 1:20-4(f)(default by respondent), that **Barry J. Beran** of **Cherry Hill**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1981, and who has been suspended from the practice of law since April 10, 2020, be disbarred for violating RPC 1.3 (lack of diligence), RPC 1.4(b) (failure to keep client reasonably informed about the status of a matter), RPC 1.4(c) (failure to explain matter to the extent reasonably necessary to permit the client to make informed decisions regarding the representation), RPC 5.5(a)(1) (practicing law while administratively ineligible), and RPC 8.1(b) (failure to cooperate with disciplinary authorities);

And **Barry J. Beran** 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 the appropriate quantum of discipline for respondent's unethical conduct is a

three-year suspension from practice consecutive to the three-year suspension the Court imposed on September 23, 2020, in In re Beran, 244 N.J. 231 (2020);

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **Barry J. Beran** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of three years, effective September 24, 2023, and until the further Order of the Court; and it is further

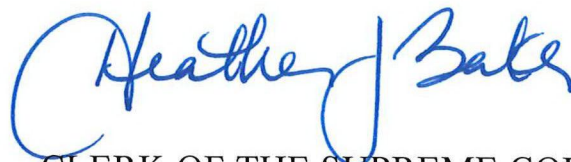
ORDERED that **Barry J. Beran** be and hereby is restrained from practicing law during the period of his suspension; and it is further

ORDERED that **Barry J. Beran** comply with Rule 1:20-20 dealing with suspended attorneys; 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 October, 2021.



CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT