SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-84 September Term 2020 085599

In the Matter of	:	FILED	
Frank A. Tobias, Jr.,	•	NOV 17 2021 CHeather J Bake	
An Attorney At Law	:		ORDER
(Attorney No. 032191992)	:		

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The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 20-168, concluding that as a matter of final discipline pursuant to Rule 1:20-13(c) (2), **Frank A. Tobias, Jr.,** of **Perth Amboy**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1992, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of six months based on respondent's conviction in Superior Court pursuant to a plea of guilty to third-degree aggravated assault (N.J.S.A. 2C: 12-1b (12)), conduct that violates RPC 8.4(b)(commission of a criminal act that reflects adversely on the lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness as a lawyer);

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **Frank A. Tobias, Jr.**, is suspended from the practice of law for a period of six months, effective December 20, 2021, and until the further Order of the Court; and it is further

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

ORDERED that pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:20-20(c), respondent's failure to comply with the Affidavit of Compliance requirement of <u>Rule</u> 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 <u>RPC</u> 8.1(b) and <u>RPC</u> 8.4(d); and (3) provide a basis for an action for contempt pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 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 <u>Rule</u> 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 16th day of November, 2021.

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CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT