## SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-38 September Term 2022 087816

In the Matter of : Christopher Raymond Fritz, : An Attorney At Law : (Attorney No. 049121998) :

ORDER FILED MAR 30 2023 Mewtherf Baker Olerky Baker

This matter having been duly presented pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:20-10(b), following a granting of a motion for discipline by consent in DRB 22-200 of **Christopher Raymond Fritz** of **Bridgewater**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1998;

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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>Rules of Professional Conduct</u> governing attorney advertising, including RPC 7.1 (a) (engaging in false or misleading communications about the lawyer, the lawyer's services, or any matter in which the lawyer has or seeks a professional relationship), RPC 7.1 (b) (using an advertisement or other related communication known to have been disapproved by the Committee on Attorney Advertising), RPC 7.3 (b) (5) (i) and (iv) (engaging in improper, unsolicited, direct contact with a prospective client), RPC 7.4 (a) misrepresenting that the lawyer has been recognized or certified as a specialist in a particular field of law), and RPC 7.5 (e) (using an impermissible firm name or letterhead):

And the parties having agreed that respondent's conduct was in violation of the stipulated RPCs and that said conduct warrants a reprimand or such lesser discipline as the Board deems appropriate;

And the Disciplinary Review Board having determined that respondent's conduct violated RPC 7.1 (a), RPC 7.1 (b), RPC 7.3 (b) (5) (i) and (iv), RPC 7.4 (a), and RPC 7.5 (e) and that a reprimand is the appropriate discipline for respondent's unethical conduct and having granted the motion for discipline by consent in District Docket No. XIV-2019-0189E;

And the Disciplinary Review Board having submitted the record of the proceedings to the Clerk of the Supreme Court for the entry of an order of discipline in accordance with <u>Rule</u> 1:20-16(e);

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that Christopher Raymond Fritz of Bridgewater 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 <u>Rule</u> 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 30th day of March, 2023.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT