

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY
D-81 September Term 2021
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In the Matter of :
Andrew B. Spark, :
An Attorney At Law :
(Attorney No. 02551993) :

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The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 21-208, concluding that as a matter of final discipline pursuant to Rule 1:20-13(c)(2) **Andrew B. Spark of Orlando, Florida**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1993, and who has been temporarily suspended from the practice of law since November 16, 2022 pending the conclusion of the ethics proceedings against him, pursuant to the Order of the Court filed November 16, 2022, be suspended from the practice of law for a period of three years based on respondent's guilty pleas, (1) in the Sixth Judicial Circuit Court, Pinellas County, Florida, to third-degree felony introduction into or possession of contraband in a county detention facility, contrary to Florida Statutes §951.22, and first-degree misdemeanor soliciting for prostitution, contrary to Florida Statutes § 796.07(2)(f), and (2) in the Thirteenth Judicial Circuit Court, Hillsborough County, Florida to third-degree introduction of contraband to a detention facility, contrary to Florida Statutes § 951-22, conduct in violation of RPC 8.4(b)(commission of a criminal act that reflects adversely on the lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness as a lawyer), and RPC 8.4(c)(engaging in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation);

And the Disciplinary Review Board further having determined that prior to reinstatement, respondent should be required to provide proof of his fitness to practice law and quarterly proof of continuing psychiatric treatment for a period of two years;

And **Andrew B. Spark** having been Order to Show Cause why he should not be disbarred or otherwise disciplined, and good cause appearing;

And the Court having determined from its review of the matter that the appropriate quantum of discipline for respondent's unethical conduct is an indeterminate suspension pursuant to Rule 1:20-15A(a)(2);

And good cause appearing:

It is ORDERED that **Andrew B. Spark** is hereby suspended from the practice of law of law for an indeterminate period pursuant to Rule 1:20-15A(a)(2), effective June 8, 2023,

and until the further Order of the Court; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent shall remain suspended from practice pursuant to the prior Orders of this Court and respondent shall not petition for reinstatement to practice for a period of five years following the effective date of the indeterminate suspension; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent provide proof of his fitness to practice law as attested by a medical doctor approved by the Office of Attorney Ethics; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent continue to attend psychological counseling and provide proof thereof on a quarterly basis to the Office of Attorney Ethics, until the further Order of the Court; and it is

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(d); 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 25th day of April, 2023.



CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT