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# VIA CERTIFIED, REGULAR, AND ELECTRONIC MAIL

Khaled Madin, Esq. c/o Robert E. Ramsey, Esq. 2000 Hamilton Ave Hamilton, New Jersey 08619 robertramseylawoffice@gmail.com

Re: In the Matter of Khaled Madin

Docket No. DRB 23-087 District Docket No. XIV-2021-0223E

LETTER OF ADMONITION

Dear Mr. Madin:

The Disciplinary Review Board has reviewed your conduct in the above matter and has concluded that it was improper. Following a review of the record, the Board determined to impose an admonition for your violation of <u>RPC</u> 8.4(b) (committing a criminal act that reflects adversely on the lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness as a lawyer).

Specifically, on February 8, 2020, you were charged with fourth-degree unlawful possession of a high-capacity ammunition magazine, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:39-3(j); disorderly persons criminal mischief, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:17-3(a)(1); and disorderly persons simple assault, in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:12-1(a)(1).

On June 1, 2020, you appeared in the Superior Court of New Jersey for a Pretrial Intervention (PTI) acceptance hearing before the Honorable Stephen J. Taylor, J.S.C. You were admitted to PTI on the sole charge of fourth-degree unlawful possession of a high-capacity ammunition magazine, and the State represented that it would dismiss the remaining charges.

Although you did not plead guilty to any charge, you stipulated that you possessed the illegal, high-capacity magazine at issue. The stipulation did not otherwise address the circumstances underlying any of the three charges.

In imposing only an admonition, the Board weighed, in mitigation, your lack of prior discipline in your eleven-year career at the bar. The Board also considered the fact that you reported your criminal charges to the Office of Attorney Ethics, demonstrated remorse, and entered into a disciplinary stipulation.

Your conduct has adversely reflected not only on you as an attorney but also on all members of the bar. Accordingly, the Board has directed the issuance of this admonition to you.  $\underline{R}$ . 1:20-15(f)(4).

A permanent record of this occurrence has been filed with the Clerk of the Supreme Court and the Board's office. Should you become the subject of any further discipline, this admonition will be taken into consideration.

The Board also has directed that the costs of the disciplinary proceedings be assessed against you. An invoice of costs will be forwarded to you under separate cover.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Timothy M. Ellis

Timothy M. Ellis Acting Chief Counsel

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