		SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY D-33 September Term 2023 088769
In the Matter of	:	
Bruce K. Warren, Jr.	:	ORDER
An Attorney at Law	:	O K D E K
(Attorney No. 018772002)	:	

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decision in DRB 23-117, recommending that **Bruce K. Warren, Jr.** of **Westville**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 2002, should be suspended from the practice of law for a period of six months for violating RPC 1.2(a) (failing to abide by a client's decisions concerning the scope and objectives of representation), RPC 1.4(b) (failing to communicate with a client), RPC 1.15(d) (failing to comply with the recordkeeping requirements of <u>Rule</u> 1:21-6), RPC 8.1(a) (making a false statement of material fact to disciplinary authorities), RPC 8.4(c) (engaging in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation), and RPC 8.4(g) (engaging, in a professional capacity, in conduct involving discrimination -- sexual harassment);

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **Bruce K. Warren**, **Jr.** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of six months and until further order of the Court, effective

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March 8, 2024; 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 RPC 8.1(b) and RPC 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 2nd day of February, 2024.

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CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT