SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY
D-81 September Term 2023
089177In the Matter of:Mary Elizabeth Lenti:An Attorney at Law:(Attorney No. 029932011):

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its decisions in DRB 23-227 and DRB 23-228, recommending on the record certified to the Board pursuant to <u>Rule</u> 1:20-4(f) (default by respondent) that **Mary Elizabeth Lenti** of **Mount Holly**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 2012, should be suspended for three months for violating RPC 1.3 (lacking diligence), RPC 1.4(b) (failing to communicate with a client), RPC 3.2 (failing to expedite litigation), RPC 8.1(b) (failing to cooperate with disciplinary authorities) (two instances), and RPC 8.4(c) (engaging in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation);

And the Disciplinary Review Board further having recommended that, upon reinstatement, respondent practice law under the supervision of a proctor for a period of no less than one year;

And good cause appearing;

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It is ORDERED that **Mary Elizabeth Lenti** is suspended from the practice of law for a period of three months, and until further order of the Court, effective July 3, 2024; and it is further

ORDERED that upon reinstatement respondent shall practice law under the supervision of a proctor for one year; 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

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the prosecution of this matter, as provided in <u>Rule</u> 1:20-17.

WITNESS, the Honorable Stuart Rabner, Chief Justice, at Trenton, this 29th day of May, 2024.

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CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT