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In the Matter of

Matthew T. Wait :

ORDER

An Attorney at Law

(Attorney No. 039862003) :

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 24-125 of **Matthew T. Wait** of **Cinnaminson**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 2003;

And the Office of Attorney Ethics and respondent having signed a stipulation of discipline by consent in which the parties agreed that respondent violated RPC 1.15(a) (negligent misappropriation of client funds) and RPC 1.15(d) (failing to comply with the recordkeeping requirements of Rule 1:21-6), and that respondent's conduct warrants a censure or such lesser discipline as the Disciplinary Review Board deems appropriate;

And the Disciplinary Review Board having determined that respondent violated RPC 1.15(a) and RPC 1.15(d), and that a reprimand is the appropriate

discipline for respondent's unethical conduct;

And the Disciplinary Review Board having granted the motion for discipline by consent in District Docket No. XIV-2023-0180E, and 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 **Matthew T. Wait** 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 13th day of August, 2024.

ELERK OF THE SUPREME COURT