

SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
D-23 September Term 2024  
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**In the Matter of** :  
**Dennis J. Barrett** :  
**An Attorney at Law** :  
**(Attorney No. 021881977)** :

**O R D E R**

The Disciplinary Review Board, in DRB 24-196, having granted a motion for discipline by consent, pursuant to Rule 1:20-10(b), of **Dennis J. Barrett of Avon-by-the-Sea**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1977; 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(d) (failing to comply with the recordkeeping provisions of Rule 1:21-6) and RPC 8.1(b) (failing to cooperate with disciplinary authorities), and that respondent's conduct warrants a censure or such lesser discipline as the Disciplinary Review Board deems appropriate; and

The Office of Attorney Ethics and respondent having further agreed that respondent should be required to submit to the Office of Attorney Ethics

quarterly reconciliations of respondent's attorney trust account for a period of two years from the date of any final order of discipline; and

The Disciplinary Review Board having determined that respondent violated RPC 1.15(d) and RPC 8.1(b), and that a reprimand is the appropriate discipline for respondent's unethical conduct; and

The Disciplinary Review Board having further recommended that respondent be required to submit to the Office of Attorney Ethics, on a quarterly basis, copies of respondent's monthly trust account reconciliations, for two years; and

The Disciplinary Review Board 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 Rule 1:20-16(e);

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **Dennis J. Barrett** is hereby reprimanded; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent shall provide to the Office of Attorney Ethics copies of respondent's monthly trust account reconciliations, on a quarterly basis, for two years; 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 29th day of October, 2024.



**CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT**