

**SUPREME COURT OF NEW JERSEY
D-126 September Term 2023
089702**

In the Matter of :
Nabil Nadim Kassem :
An Attorney at Law :
(Attorney No. 045761994) :

O R D E R

The Disciplinary Review Board having filed with the Court its consolidated decision in DRB 24-027, DRB 24-057, and DRB 24-080, recommending on the records certified to the Board pursuant to Rule 1:20-4(f) (default by respondent), that **Nabil Nadim Kassem**, formerly of **Little Falls**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 1994, and who has been suspended from the practice of law, effective February 7, 2020, by order of the Court filed on December 9, 2021, be disbarred for violating RPC 1.1(a) (engaging in gross neglect) (two instances), RPC 1.3 (lacking diligence) (three instances), RPC 1.4(b) (failing to promptly comply with a client’s reasonable requests for information) (six instances), RPC 1.15(b) (failing to promptly deliver to the client or third person any funds or other property the client or third person is entitled to receive) (three instances), RPC 5.1(b) (failing to make reasonable

efforts to ensure that a lawyer, over whom the lawyer has direct supervisory authority, conforms to the Rules of Professional Conduct), RPC 5.5(a)(1) (engaging in the unauthorized practice of law) (four instances), RPC 8.1(b) (failing to cooperate with disciplinary authorities) (eleven instances), RPC 8.4(b) (committing a criminal act that reflects adversely on a lawyer's honesty, trustworthiness, or fitness as a lawyer in other respects) (four instances), and RPC 8.4(c) (engaging in conduct involving dishonesty, fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation); and

Nabil Nadim Kassem having failed to appear on the order directing respondent to show cause why respondent should not be disbarred or otherwise disciplined;

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **Nabil Nadim Kassem** be disbarred, effective immediately, and that respondent's name be stricken from the roll of attorneys; and it is further

ORDERED that **Nabil Nadim Kassem** be and hereby is restrained and enjoined from practicing law; and it is further

ORDERED that **Nabil Nadim Kassem** comply with Rule 1:20-20 dealing with disbarred attorneys; and it is further

ORDERED that all funds, if any, currently existing or hereinafter deposited in any New Jersey financial institution maintained by **Nabil Nadim Kassem** pursuant to Rule 1:21-6 be restrained from disbursement and shall be transferred by the financial institution to the Clerk of the Superior Court, who is directed to deposit the funds in the Superior Court Trust Fund pending further order of the Court; 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 26th day of November, 2024.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Heather J. Baker".

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT