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In the Matter of :

David M. Schlachter :

ORDER

An Attorney at Law :

(Attorney No. 035542006) :

The Disciplinary Review Board, in DRB 25-057, having granted a motion for discipline by consent, pursuant to Rule 1:20-10(b), of **David M.**Schlachter, formerly of **Passaic**, who was admitted to the bar of this State in 2006, and who has been suspended from the practice of law since July 27, 2023, by order filed June 30, 2023; 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 8.1(b) (failing to cooperate with disciplinary authorities) and RPC 8.4(d) (engaging in conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice), 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 8.1(b) and RPC 8.4(d), and that a reprimand is the appropriate

discipline for respondent's unethical conduct; 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 <u>Rule</u> 1:20-16(e);

And good cause appearing;

It is ORDERED that **David M. Schlachter** is hereby reprimanded; and it is further

ORDERED that respondent shall remain suspended from the practice of law pursuant to the order filed on June 30, 2023; 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 September, 2025.

CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

Heather Saken