

**DAVID ASSAD, JR.**

*167 N.J. 283 (2001)*

of Cherry Hill (Camden County)

Disbarment by Consent

Decided: May 11, 2001

Admitted: 1983

**REPRESENTATIONS**

*Walton W. Kingsbery, III, Deputy Ethics Counsel, represented the Office of Attorney Ethics.*

*Samuel C. Stretton was admitted pro hac vice to represent the respondent.*

The Supreme Court of New Jersey accepted the Disbarment by Consent of an attorney who admitted that he could not successfully defend himself against pending disciplinary charges alleging the knowing misappropriation of clients' trust funds. The respondent was previously disciplined in 2000 for engaging in the practice of law in New Jersey after being declared ineligible to do so by the Supreme Court for failure to pay his 1997 annual attorney registration fee and for failing to maintain a bona fide law office in accordance with R. 1:21-1(a). *In re Assad, 164 N.J. 615.*