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Re: File No. N-1034-21

Dear Ms. Sassower:

This will acknowledge receipt of your complaint dated April 8, 2021, regarding a Nassau County attorney.

Please be advised that the function of this Committee is to investigate and prosecute acts of professional misconduct committed by attorneys. When a complaint is received, we review it to determine if it involves behavior which could constitute professional misconduct by the attorney. An attorney may be found guilty of professional misconduct if it can be proven that an ethical rule or law was violated. If there is a sufficient basis to conduct an investigation, the Committee will do so. However, there are instances where the Committee may decline to pursue an investigation due to other contributing factors.

A careful review of your complaint reveals that the issues you raise essentially concern the attorney's conduct in representing clients. This issue is more appropriate for review by the Court which presided over the original lawsuit.

Therefore, although we appreciate your efforts, we are unable to assist you. However, at the conclusion of all legal proceedings, or if prior to the conclusion, a decision is rendered indicating a finding of misconduct on the part of the attorney, you may renew your complaint with our Committee for further consideration.

Very truly yours,

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