

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

In the Matter of : No. 154 DB 2016 (No. 94 RST 2016)  
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JAMES H. PICKERING, JR. : Attorney Registration No. 54050  
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PETITION FOR REINSTATEMENT :  
FROM ADMINISTRATIVE SUSPENSION : (Philadelphia)

**ORDER**

**PER CURIAM**

**AND NOW**, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2016, the Report and Recommendation of Disciplinary Board Member dated Decemeber 20, 2016, is approved and it is ORDERED that James H. Pickering, Jr., who has been on Administrative Suspension, has never been suspended or disbarred, and has demonstrated that he has the moral qualifications, competency and learning in law required for admission to practice in the Commonwealth, shall be and is, hereby reinstated to active status as a member of the Bar of this Commonwealth. The expenses incurred by the Board in the investigation and processing of this matter shall be paid by the Petitioner.