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**DICHTEL, FRANCIS E.**

**BPR # 005471**

September 11, 1996

Suspended on September 11, 1996 for one (1) year and one (1) month, in addition to reinstatement being conditioned upon his making restitution to 3 former clients. He was charged with accepting fees from clients and failing to take any action on their behalf; neglecting client cases; failing to communicate with clients; failing to avoid conflicts of interest; failing to preserve client property; lack of candor; and making false statements and misrepresentations to clients and the Board in 42 complaints filed with the Board.