

IN RE: MICHAEL E. MOSCARITOLO

NO. BD-2019-073

**S.J.C. Judgment of Disbarment Accepting Affidavit of Resignation entered by
Justice Lowy on June 26, 2020.¹**

SUMMARY²

On May 2, 2019, Michael Moscaritolo (respondent), after a trial by jury, was convicted in the Plymouth County Superior Court of one count of unarmed burglary and assault in violation of M.G.L. c. 266, § 14; one count of unarmed robbery in violation of M.G.L. c. 265, § 19(b); and five counts of larceny of a firearm in violation of M.G.L. c. 266, § 30(1). On February 5, 2020, after a trial by jury, the respondent was convicted in the Plymouth County Superior Court of one count of felony murder in violation of M.G.L. c. 265, § 1.

On June 1, 2020, the respondent filed an affidavit of resignation with the Board of Bar Overseers. In his affidavit, the respondent acknowledged that he was convicted of the above crimes and that they were “serious” as defined by Supreme Judicial Court Rule 4:01, § 12(3).

On June 8, 2020, the Board of Bar Overseers unanimously voted to recommend that the respondent’s resignation be accepted and that he be disbarred, retroactive to December 13, 2019, the date of a temporary suspension entered pending further disciplinary proceedings. On June 26, 2020, the Supreme Judicial Court for Suffolk County (Lowy, J.) so ordered.

¹ The complete order of the Court is available by contacting the Clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court for Suffolk County.

² Compiled by the Board of Bar Overseers based on the record filed with the Supreme Judicial Court.

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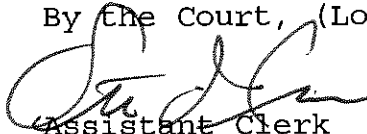
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JUDGMENT OF DISBARMENT
ACCEPTING AFFIDAVIT OF RESIGNATION

This matter came before the Court, Lowy, J., on an Affidavit of Resignation pursuant to S.J.C. Rule 4:01, § 15 submitted by Michael E. Moscaritolo, with the Recommendation and Vote of the Board of Bar Overseers (Board) and a letter dated June 1, 2020 from assistant bar counsel to general counsel recommending that the affidavit of resignation be accepted and that a judgment of disbarment enter, filed by the Board on June 23, 2020. Upon consideration thereof, it is ORDERED and ADJUDGED that:

The Affidavit of Resignation be accepted and that Michael E. Moscaritolo is hereby disbarred from the practice of law in the Commonwealth retroactive to December 13, 2019, the date of his temporary suspension, and the lawyer's name is forthwith stricken from the Roll of Attorneys.

By the Court, (Lowy, J.)



Assistant Clerk

Entered: June 26, 2020