

**ANTHONY J. SCOLA**

**Public Reprimand No. 2018-4**

**Order (public reprimand) entered by the Board on June 7, 2018.**

**SUMMARY<sup>1</sup>**

The respondent received a public reprimand for violations of IOLTA account record-keeping requirements. Specifically, the respondent withdrew \$900 from his IOLTA account and failed to record the transaction in his IOLTA records. The respondent did not find this error because, both before and after the withdrawal, he did not reconcile the IOLTA account as required by Mass. R. Prof. C. 1.15(f)(1)(E). The respondent then forgot that he had withdrawn the funds. His check was dishonored when he attempted to withdraw the funds a second time.

The respondent's conduct in failing to perform a three-way reconciliation of the account violated Mass. R. Prof. C. 1.15(f)(1)(E).

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<sup>1</sup> Compiled by the Board of Bar Overseers based on the record of proceedings before the board.