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SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA
NO. 2018-B-0093
IN RE: LOUISE ANNE KLAILA
ATTORNEY DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDING

CRICHTON, J., additionally concurs and assigns reasons:

I agree with the Court's imposition of a one year and one day suspension for respondent in this matter. However, I write separately to point out the troublesome manner in which respondent has blatantly ignored the serious and proven allegations against her. Despite numerous attempts by the Office of Disciplinary Counsel to reach respondent during the course of its investigation, respondent maintained her indifference and consistent refusal to cooperate. In my view, respondent's disdain for the disciplinary process, her negligence in maintaining her client trust account, and her disregard for the Rules of Professional Conduct absolutely warrant the suspension imposed.