

**NJ LAWYERS' FUND FOR CLIENT PROTECTION**  
**SECOND QUARTER OF 2025**  
**LIST OF CLAIMS PAID**

Name of Attorney	Town of Last Law Practice	Amount Paid This Quarter (Cumulative Total)	Claims Paid This Quarter (Cumulative Total)	Disciplinary Status of Attorney	Basis of Claim
John Charles Allen*	New Brunswick	\$5,450.00	1	<b>Disbarred 6/26/24***</b>	Dishonest Retention of Unearned Retainer (7 claims)
		(\$58,525.00)	(7)		
Santo V. Artusa, Jr.*	Jersey City	\$3,275.00	2	<b>Suspended 1/17/2025***</b>	Dishonest Retention of Unearned Retainer (13 claims)
		(\$48,575.00)	(13)		
Andrew G. Bitar *First time claims paid*	Englewood Cliffs	\$4,900.00	2	<b>Suspended 7/11/25***</b>	Dishonest Retention of Unearned Retainer (2 claims)
		(\$4,900.00)	(2)		
Padraic Brian Deighan *First time claims paid*	Haddonfield	\$10,000.03	2	<b>Disbarred 9/16/24***</b>	Misappropriation of Escrow Monies/ Real Estate Transaction (1 claim)
		(\$10,000.03)	(2)		Unknown (1 claim)
Frances Ann Hartman *First time claims paid*	Moorestown	\$9,080.00	1	<b>Suspended 3/27/25***</b>	Dishonest Retention of Unearned Retainer (2 claims)
		(\$9,080.00)	(1)		
Christopher M. Manganello*	Pitman	\$2,500.00	1	<b>Disbarred 10/13/2023***</b>	Dishonest Retention of Unearned Retainer (12 claims)
		(70,870.00)	(12)		
Anthony M. Orlando*	Hoboken	\$20,000.00	1	<b>Suspended 4/21/24***</b>	Misappropriation of Deposit Monies/ Real Estate Transaction (2 claims)
		(\$224,000.00)	(4)		Alleged Misappropriation of Funds-Misc. (1 claim)
					Misappropriation of Settlement Monies/ Real Estate (1 claim)
Brittany L. Parisi*	Matawan	\$5,000.00	1	<b>Suspended 5/14/25***</b>	Dishonest Retention of Unearned Retainer (7 claims)
		(\$42,445.00)	(7)		
Joan Othelia Pinnock *First time claims paid*	Newark	\$9,110.00	1	<b>Suspended 6/20/24***</b>	Dishonest Retention of Unearned Retainer (1 claims)
		(\$9,110.00)	(1)		
Stelios Stoupakis *First time claims paid*	East Hanover	\$57,500.00	1	Disbarred 7/29/24	Misappropriation of Trust Monies/ Real Estate Transaction (1 claim)
		(\$57,500.00)	(1)		
		\$126,815.03	13		

Cumulative totals in parenthesis in third and fourth columns reflect total amount paid & total number of claims paid,  
respectively, against the attorney over the Fund's history  
\*Previous claims have been paid against this attorney  
\*\*Some money paid to supplement award previously paid  
\*\*\*Previously Disciplined