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Complaint Screening Committee REGULAR SESSION MINUTES

Wednesday, June 7, 2017
Capitol Center Building
Basement Conference Room – Side B
15 S. 15th Ave.
Phoenix, AZ 85007

1. CALL TO ORDER

The regular session of the Arizona Board of Psychologist Examiners Complaint Screening Committee was called to order by Chairman Bohanske at 9:00 a.m. on June 7, 2017.

2. ROLL CALL

Committee Members Present

Bob Bohanske, Ph.D. – Chair
Paul Beljan, Psy.D. ABPdN, ABN
Tamara Shreeve, MPA

Staff Present

Cindy Olvey, Psy.D., Executive Director
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4. CASE DISCUSSION/DECISION

a. Abigail Atkins, Ed.D, Complaint No. 17-02

Ms. Shreeve summarized the case, including salient points of the investigation and pertinent records. The Complainant was present, made a statement, and answered Committee member questions. The Licensee and her attorney, Sean Quinn, Esq., were present. The Licensee made a brief statement. The Licensee and Mr. Quinn answered Committee member questions.

At 9:34 a.m., Dr. Beljan made a motion, seconded by Ms. Shreeve, to move into Executive Session for legal advice.

At 9:47 a.m., the Committee returned to open session for deliberation of the case.

After deliberation, Dr. Beljan made a motion, seconded by Ms. Shreeve, to table this item and obtain legal advice regarding whether the Licensee was required to notify the parent that the child began treatment of the minor child while an Order of Protection for the child was in place. Committee members expressed that this is the only issue that needs to be addressed as no violations of statute or rule were found pertaining to other allegations. The Committee noted that they would review this matter at a subsequent meeting after legal clarification has been obtained. The motion carried unanimously (3-0), by a voice vote.

b. David Hubbard, Ph.D, Complaint No. 17-04

Dr. Bohanske summarized the case, including salient points of the investigation and pertinent records. The Complainant was not present. The Licensee and his attorney, Faren Akins, Esq., were present, made brief statements, and answered Committee member questions. After deliberation, Ms. Shreeve made a motion, seconded by Dr. Beljan, to dismiss the complaint upon finding no violation of statute or rule. The motion carried unanimously (3-0), by a voice vote.

5. ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Committee, Dr. Beljan made a motion, seconded by Ms. Shreeve, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried (3-0) and the meeting was adjourned at 10:08 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Bob Bohanske, Ph.D.

Date