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Complaint Screening Committee REGULAR SESSION MINUTES

April 17, 2019

1740 W. Adams St.
Conference Room C (1st Floor)
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1. CALL TO ORDER

The regular session of the Arizona Board of Psychologist Examiners Complaint Screening Committee was called to order by Chairman Donaldson at 8:30 a.m. on April 17, 2019. No Executive Sessions were held.

2. ROLL CALL

Committee Members Present

Joseph C. Donaldson – Chair
Janice K. Brundage, Ph.D.
Lynn L. Flowers, Ph.D.

Staff Present

Jenna Jones, Executive Director
Krishna Poe, Administrative Assistant

Attorney General's Office

Jeanne Galvin, Assistant Attorney General

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- February 20, 2019, Regular Session

Dr. Brundage made a motion, seconded by Dr. Flowers to approve the February 20, 2019, regular session minutes as drafted. The motion carried unanimously (3-0), by a voice vote.

4. CASE DISCUSSION/DECISION

a. Sarah Hill, Ph.D., Complaint No. 18-35

Mr. Donaldson summarized the case, including salient points of the investigation and pertinent records. The Complainant was present, made a statement and answered the Committee member's

questions. The Licensee was not initially present, her attorney, Faren Akins, Esq. was present and attempted to reach her by phone but was unsuccessful. The Committee agreed to table the matter to allow her to call in. After the other two cases, the Licensee was present via phone. The Licensee's attorney, Faren Akins, Esq., was present. Mr. Akins and the Licensee made statements and answered Committee members' questions.

After deliberation, Mr. Donaldson made a motion, seconded by Dr. Flowers, to dismiss this matter as there are no violations of rule or statute. The motion carried unanimously (3-0), by a voice vote.

b. Phillip Lett, Ph.D., Complaint No. 18-32

Dr. Brundage summarized the case, including salient points of the investigation and pertinent records. The Complainant was present, made a statement and answered questions from the Committee members. The Licensee was present via phone. The Licensee's attorney, Faren Akins, Esq., was present. The Licensee and his attorney requested to speak, made statements and answered Committee members' questions.

After deliberation, Dr. Brundage made a motion, seconded by Dr. Flowers, to dismiss this matter as there are no violations of rule or statute. The motion carried unanimously (3-0), by a voice vote.

c. Scott Padilla, Psy.D., Complaint No. 18-34

Dr. Brundage summarized the case, including salient points of the investigation and pertinent records. The Complainant was present via phone, made a statement and answered the Committee member's questions. The Licensee and the Licensee's attorney, Faren Akins, Esq., were present and answered Committee members' questions.

After deliberation, Dr. Brundage made a motion, seconded by Mr. Donaldson, to forward Complaint No. 18-34 to the Board for possible violation of A.R.S. 32-2061 (16)(f) Sexual intimacies or sexual intercourse with a current client or patient or a supervisee or with a former client or patient within two years after the cessation or termination of treatment. For the purposes of this subdivision, "sexual intercourse" has the same meaning prescribed in section 13-1401; A.R.S. §32-2061 (16)(g) Engaging or offering to engage as a psychologist in activities not congruent with the psychologist's professional education, training and experience; A.R.S. §32-2061(16)(o) Providing services that are unnecessary or unsafe or otherwise engaging in activities as a psychologist that are unprofessional by current standards of practice; and A.R.S. §32-2061(16)(dd) Violating an ethical standard adopted by the Board. The motion carried unanimously (3-0), by a voice vote.

5. ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Committee, Dr. Brundage made a motion, seconded by Dr. Flowers, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried (3-0) and the meeting was adjourned at 10:53 a.m.