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REGULAR SESSION MINUTES

July 3, 2017, 8:30 a.m. 1400 W. Washington, Suite 240 Phoenix, AZ 85007

1. CALL TO ORDER

The regular session of the Arizona State Board of Psychologist Examiners was called to order by Chairman Bohanske at 8:31 a.m. on July 3, 2017.

2. ROLL CALL

Board Members Present

Bob Bohanske, Ph.D., FNAP – Chair Lynn L. Flowers, Ph.D. – Vice-Chair Paul Beljan, Psy.D., ABPdN, ABN Tamara Shreeve, MPA Frederick S. Wechsler, Ph.D., Psy.D., ABPP (CL)

Board Members Absent

Janice K. Brundage, Ph.D. – Secretary Joseph C. Donaldson Ramona N. Mellott, Ph.D.

Staff Present

Dr. Cindy Olvey, Executive Director Lynanne Chapman, Deputy Director Heather Broaddus, Licensing Coordinator Krishna Poe, Administrative Assistant

Attorney General's Office

Jeanne Galvin, Esq.

3. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING A REQUEST FROM SANDRA BRIM, PH.D. FOR AN AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT ADDRESSING RELEASE FROM PROBATION

Ms. Chapman provided a summary stating that, as a result of Complaint No. 14-33, Dr. Brim entered into a Consent Agreement and Order on February 5, 2016. The Consent Agreement and Order required probation, meetings with a Practice Monitor, continuing education and evaluations. Dr. Brim completed the evaluation requirements and in April 2017, Dr. Brim entered into an amended Consent Agreement and Order that reduced the frequency of meetings with the Practice Monitor and required Dr. Brim to undergo follow up evaluations. Dr. Brim completed the requirements of the amended Consent Agreement and Order. The Board office received correspondence from Dr. Brim and her attorney, Faren Akins, requesting further amendment of the Consent Agreement and Order to address requirements for release of probation.

Dr. Brim and her attorney, Faren Akins, were present telephonically and answered Board members' questions. Board members discussed the evaluations and the recommendations of the evaluators. Board members recognized that Dr. Brim has complied with all Consent Agreement requirements to date, continues to meet with her Practice Monitor, and is following the recommendations included in the evaluations. Board members discussed requiring additional Practice Monitoring. Mr. Akins stated that, in

addition to continuing to meet with the Practice Monitor, Dr. Brim is seeking employment in another state. Board members asked that confirmation be submitted to the Board upon Dr. Brim's completion of the activities associated with evaluator recommendations.

Following deliberation, Dr. Bohanske made a motion, seconded by Ms. Shreeve, to accept the amended Consent Agreement with a modification that Dr. Brim continue in monthly meetings with the Practice Monitor for a period of six months or until she relocates to California. Probation will be terminated upon receipt of written confirmation indicating that all of the recommendations of the evaluators have been completed and upon receipt of a final report from the Practice Monitor. The Board's Executor Director shall release Dr. Brim from the amended Consent Agreement, if it is determined by the Executive Director that Dr. Brim is in full compliance. The motion carried 5-0 on a roll call vote.

4. NEW AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

There were no items for future meetings.

5. ADJOURN

There being no further business to come before the Board, Ms. Shreeve made a motion, seconded by Dr. Flowers, to adjourn the meeting at 9:03 a.m. The Motion carried 5-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Lynn L. Flowers, Ph.D. Vice-Chair