

1 **BEFORE THE BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGIST EXAMINERS**
2 **FOR THE STATE OF ARIZONA**

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4 In the Matter of :)
5 Kimi Wright, Ph.D.)
6 Holder of License No. 3737)
7 for the Practice of Psychology)
8 in the State of Arizona)

Case No. 11-04
**CONSENT AGREEMENT
AND ORDER**

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10 On March 30, 2012, the Arizona Board of Psychologist Examiners (“Board”) discussed
11 Case No. 11-04 regarding Kimi Wright, Ph.D. (“Licensee”). Dr. Wright and her attorney,
12 Charles Hover, III, Esq., were present at the proceedings and made a presentation to the Board.
13 After reviewing the information presented, the Board voted to offer Licensee this Consent
14 Agreement and Order.

15 **JURISDICTION**

- 16 1. The Board is authorized to regulate the practice of psychology in Arizona
17 pursuant to A.R.S. § 32-2061, *et seq.*
18 2. Licensee is the holder of license number 3737 for the practice of psychology in
19 the State of Arizona.
20 3. The Board has personal and subject matter jurisdiction over Licensee pursuant
21 to A.R.S. § 32-2061, *et seq.*

22 **RECITALS**

- 23 Licensee understands and agrees that:
24 4. The Board and Licensee enter into this Consent Agreement to promptly and
25 judiciously resolve this matter, consistent with the public interest and the statutory
26 requirements of the Board.
27 5. The Board has jurisdiction over Licensee and the subject matter pursuant to
28 A.R.S. § 32-2061 *et seq.*

1 **RESTRICTION**

2 Pursuant to A.R.S. §32-2081(Q) the Board considers that the Licensee's conduct in RFI
3 No. 2011-04 warrants disciplinary action. Based upon the foregoing Findings of Fact and
4 Conclusions of Law, the parties agree as follows:

5 21. **PRACTICE RESTRICTION:** Licensee shall terminate and discontinue any
6 cases involving forensic psychology, and shall refrain from providing psychological services on
7 any case requiring forensic psychology for a minimum of two years, and only after obtaining
8 re-specialization training in forensic psychology including supervised experience such as
9 internship and practicum. This restriction of Licensee's practice does not limit Dr. Wright's
10 ability to continue her work on cases not requiring expertise in forensic psychology.

11 22. **CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENT:** Licensee shall complete
12 twenty-four hours of Continuing Education in the area of forensic psychology in the field of
13 Family Law, commensurate with the Category I Continuing Education requirements pursuant
14 to A.A.C. R4-26-207(C)(1). The Licensee shall submit the proposed continuing education
15 courses to the Board's Executive Director for approval prior to taking a course. The twenty-
16 four additional hours of Continuing Education may be used toward the sixty hours required for
17 license renewal and shall be completed within two years of the date of this Consent Agreement
18 and Order for Continuing Education. Within two weeks of completion of the additional
19 continuing education, Licensee shall provide the Board with verification of completion of these
20 hours. [R4-26-207(G)].

21 23. **VOLUNTARY ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS:** Licensee has read and
22 understands this Consent Agreement as set forth herein and has had the opportunity to discuss
23 this Consent Agreement with an attorney or has waived the opportunity to discuss this Consent
24 Agreement with an attorney. Licensee voluntarily enters into this Consent Agreement for the
25 purpose of avoiding the expense and uncertainty of an administrative hearing.

26 24. **WAIVERS:** Licensee understands that she has a right to a public administrative
27 hearing concerning each and every allegation set forth in the above-captioned matter, at which
28 administrative hearing she could present evidence and cross-examine witnesses. By entering
into this Consent Agreement, Licensee freely and voluntarily relinquishes all rights to such an
administrative hearing, as well as all rights of rehearing, review, reconsideration, appeal,

1 Judicial review or any other administrative and/or judicial action, concerning the matters set
2 forth herein. Licensee affirmatively agrees that this Consent Agreement shall be irrevocable.

3 25. **CONSIDERATION IN FUTURE ACTIONS:** Licensee understands that
4 this Consent Agreement, or any part thereof, may be considered in any future disciplinary
5 action against her.

6 26. **FINAL RESOLUTION:** The parties agree that this Consent Agreement
7 constitutes final resolution of this disciplinary matter but further understand that this Consent
8 Agreement does not constitute a dismissal or resolution of other matters currently pending
9 before the Board, if any, and does not constitute any waiver, expressed or implied, of the
10 Board's statutory authority or jurisdiction regarding any other pending or future investigations,
11 actions or proceedings. Licensee also understands that acceptance of this Consent Agreement
12 does not preclude any other agency, subdivision or officer of this State from instituting other
13 civil or criminal proceedings with respect to the conduct that is the subject of this Consent
14 Agreement.
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16 27. **TIME:** Time is of the essence with regard to this Agreement.

17 28. **NON-COMPLIANCE:** If Licensee fails to comply with the terms of this
18 Consent Agreement, the Board shall properly institute proceedings for noncompliance with this
19 Consent Agreement, which may result in suspension, revocation, or other disciplinary and/or
20 remedial actions. Licensee agrees that any violation of this Consent Agreement is a violation
21 of A.R.S. § 32-2061(13)(aa), which is "violating a formal board order, consent agreement, term
22 of probation or stipulated agreement."
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24 29. **ACCEPTANCE BY THE BOARD:** Licensee understands that the foregoing
25 Consent Agreement shall not become effective unless and until adopted by the Board of
26 Psychologist Examiners and executed on behalf of the Board. Any modification to this original
27 document is ineffective and void unless mutually approved by the parties in writing.

28 30. **PUBLIC RECORD:** Licensee understands that this Consent Agreement is a
public record that may be publicly disseminated as a formal action of the Board.

1 Dated this ^{26th} ~~20~~ day of June, 2012.

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3 Kimi Wright
4 Kimi Wright, Ph.D.
Licensee

Cindy Olvey, PsyD
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Executive Director
Board of Psychologist Examiners

6 ORIGINAL of the foregoing filed this
7 26 day of April 2012, with:

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9 The Arizona State Board of Psychologist Examiners
10 1400 West Washington, Suite 235
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12 COPY of the foregoing mailed by Certified Mail
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this 26 day of April 2012, to:

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15 Kimi Wright, Ph.D.
16 Address of Record

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18 26 day of April 2012, to:

19 Charles S. Hover, III, Esq.
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23 Copy of the foregoing mailed by interagency mail this
24 26 day of April 2012, to:

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