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**MICHIGAN BOARD OF COUNSELING
DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE
MEETING OF
SEPTEMBER 11, 2009
APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976, PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Counseling Disciplinary Subcommittee met in regular session on September 11, 2009 at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Conference Room 4, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

CALL TO ORDER

Thomas Wuori, Public Member, Chairperson called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Steven Hampton, L.M.S.W.
Harriet Singleton, L.P.C.
Robbie Steward, L.P.C. (Alternate
Thomas Wuori, Public Member

Members Absent: Delila Owens, L.P.C.

Staff Present: Bonnie Curtis, Secretary, Health Regulatory Division
Pam Millben, Analyst, Enforcement Section
Susan Balkema, Assistant Attorney General
Rae Ramsdell, Director, Health Regulatory Division

Others Present: Stuart Itzkowitz, L.P.C.
Marion Turowski, L.P.C.
Laura LeClear
Kevin Keenan, MISPP
Tami Wright, L.P.C.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Hampton, seconded by Singleton, to approve the minutes of the June 5, 2009 meeting as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Hampton, seconded by Singleton, to approve the agenda as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

EARTHY WINTERS, L.L.P.C. – ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLAINT

Motion by Singleton, seconded by Steward, to revoke Respondent's license, in the matter of Earthy Winter, L.L.P.C.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Singleton and Steward
 Nays – Hampton and Wuori

MOTION FAILED

Motion by Hampton, seconded by Steward, to suspend Respondent's license for a period of six (6) months and one (1) day, in the matter of Earthy Winters, L.L.P.C.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Hampton, Singleton, Steward and Wuori

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT

Keenan expressed his opinion regarding the regulatory case.

Wright inquired how a check is done to confirm if a licensee is still practicing after their license has been suspended.

Turowski stated her concern that the licensee may not be aware of the complaint.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on December 11, 2009 at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Conference Room 4, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

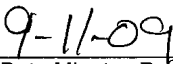
ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Hampton, seconded by Steward, to adjourn the meeting at 10:58 a.m.


Thomas Wuori, Public Member, Chairperson


Date Minutes Approved


Bonnie Curtis, Secretary


Date Minutes Prepared