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BOARD OF COUNSELING DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE NOVEMBER 17, 2023, MEETING

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 November 17, 2023, at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

CALL TO ORDER

Walter Harper, Public Member, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:54 a.m.

Members Present: Walter Harper, Public Member, Chairperson
Lesley Addison, Public Member,
Rotesa Baker, L.P.C
Napoleon Harrington L.P.C., Alternate
Laura Mammen, L.M.F.T.

Members Absent: Roberto Overton L.P.C

Staff Present: Kimmy Catlin, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section
Weston MacIntosh, JD, Departmental Specialist, Boards
and Committees Section
Laury Brown, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section
Marshall Hooks, Senior Analyst, Compliance Section

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Baker, seconded by Mammen, to approve the amended agenda as presented.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Baker, seconded by Mammen, to approve the September 15, 2023, meeting minutes as presented.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

Consent Order and Stipulation

Amy Gunst, L.P.C.

Harrington recused himself from the matter.

MOTION by Mammen, seconded by Baker, to discuss the matter.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Addison, seconded by Baker, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation as presented.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas –Addison, Baker, Mammen, Harper
 Nays – None
 Recuse – Harrington

MOTION PREVAILED

Proposal for Decision

La'Tonya Brown, L.P.C.

MOTION by Baker, seconded by Mammen, to discuss the matter.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Harrington, seconded by Mammen, to accept the Proposal for Decision and dissolve the Order of Summary Suspension.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas –Addison, Baker, Mammen, Harrington, Harper
Nays – None

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by Harrington, seconded by Baker, to discuss sanctions.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Addison, seconded by Mammen, to revoke the Respondent's license.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas –Addison, Baker, Mammen, Harrington, Harper
Nays – None

MOTION PREVAILED

Petition for Reclassification

Russell Mitchell, L.P.C.

MOTION by Addison, seconded by Baker, to discuss the matter.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Baker, seconded by Harrington, to accept the Proposal for Decision and deny reclassification.

A roll call vote was held: Yeas –Addison, Baker, Mammen, Harrington, Harper
Nays – None

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting is on January 19, 2024, immediately following the regularly scheduled Michigan Board of Counseling meeting, scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m. at 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper-Level Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Harrington, seconded by Addison, to adjourn the meeting at 11:29 a.m.

A voice vote was held.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on January 19, 2024.

Prepared By:
Kimmy Catlin, Board Support
Bureau of Professional Licensing

November 17, 2023