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Social Work Licensing Board

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BOARD MEETING MINUTES

June 13, 2022

CALL TO ORDER, READING OF THE MISSION STATEMENT

The Social Work Licensing Board met Monday, June 13, 2022, at the Social Work Licensing Board, 5800 West 10th, Little Rock, AR 72204. Tammy Charlton, LMSW, Chair of the Board, called the meeting to order and read the Mission Statement.

Board Members Present: Elizabeth Crone, LCSW
Vorandol Stinyard, Senior Representative
Kristin Agar, LCSW
Susan Reasoner, LCSW
Tammy Charlton, LMSW
Tammy Vaughn, LMSW
Dr. Raymond Molden, Psychiatrist
Betty Guhman, Public Representative

Board Members Absent: Shani Patterson, LSW

Board's Attorney: Lacie Kirchner

Board's Staff: Ruthie Bain, Director
Chere' Johnson, Administrative Specialist III

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Minutes from the May 9, 2022, Board meeting were reviewed. . Kristin Agar, LCSW, made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. Tammy Vaughn, LMSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

COMPLAINT COMMITTEE REPORT:

Complaint 2022-12 - After full review by the Complaint Committee, the Committee recommended the social worker be sent a Consent Agreement. A complaint was received against Robert Irby, Jr. The conclusions of the investigation found that Mr. Irby violated Ark. Code Ann. § 17-103-305(a)(3), Board Rule X. Code of Ethics Standard H. Records and Board Rule XI. Unprofessional Conduct Subsection I, in the he failed to properly document attempts to contact a client. The Consent Agreement, which was signed by Mr. Irby, consist of being placed on probation for a period of six (6) months and Mr. Irby must obtain six (6) hours of continuing education in Documentation/Recordkeeping in addition to the 30 hours required to renew his

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license. This information will be reported to the national Practitioner Data Bank. Vorandol Stinyard made a motion to accept the Consent Agreement as presented. Kristin Agar, LCSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

Complaint 2022-15, Pending

Complaint 2022-17, After full review by the Complaint Committee, the Committee recommended the complaint be dismissed. Vorandol Stinyard made a motion to dismiss the complaint. Dr. Raymond Molden seconded the motion, which carried.

Complaint 2022-18, After full review by the Complaint Committee, the Committee recommended the complaint be dismissed. Elizabeth Crone, LCSW, made a motion to dismiss the complaint. Vorandol Stinyard seconded the motion, which carried.

Case FY22-5390 - After full review by the Board, It was recommended the social worker be sent a Letter of Caution for failing to provide CEU's in as required by an audit. The social worker signed the Letter of Caution which will be placed in his file but is non-disciplinary. Betty Guhman made a motion to accept the signed Letter of Caution. Susan Reasoner, LCSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

Case FY22-5752- After full review by the Board, it was recommended the social worker be sent a Letter of Caution for failing to provide CEU's in as required by an audit. The social worker signed the Letter of Caution which will be placed in his file but is non-disciplinary. Vorandol Stinyard made a motion to accept the signed Letter of Caution. Tammy Vaughn, LMSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

Review Request from Jacqueline Payerli:

Jacqueline Payerli had written the Board requesting she be allowed to become license by an alternative means other than testing or that she be allowed to take an open book exam. Board staff contacted ASWB regarding the possibility of an open book exam. ASWB does not allow open book exams. The Social Work Licensing Law clearly requires that the exam be taken and passed for licensure in the state of Arkansas. Elizabeth Crone, LCSW, made a motion to deny the request. Tammy Vaughn, LMSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

Discussion of Disciplinary Action Matrix:

The Board will be reviewing the Code of Ethics and Definition of Unprofessional Conduct. Ms. Bain will send board members a copy of another state's disciplinary matrix and a summary the violations and discipline in Arkansas over the last few years. The goal of the Board will be to create a matrix for disciplinary consistency to be used in the future. This is an ongoing process.

Review of Standing Financial Reports:

Tammy Vaughn, LMSW, reviewed and approved the Warrant Detail Report, Revenue Reconciliation Report, ASWB Exam Candidate Log, Leave Report, Refund Report and Trial Balance Reports. These reports were from May 2022. Kristin Agar, LCSW, made a motion to accept the reports as presented. Susan Reasoner, LCSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

Board Chair Initials 

Action Taken on Applications:

Susan Reasoner, LCSW, made a motion to approve the action taken on the applications for licensure.

LSW Applications:

Provisionally Licensed and Approved to Take the Exam:

Amber Lynn Bajorek	Tonya Blevins	Hallie Sarah Carger
Ravon Davon Jackson	Racquel Nicole Phillips	Stephanie Sotelo
Vaughn Talley	J'Tyra Wiley	

Approved to take the Exam:

Jennifer Glover	Michelle LaShon Wayne	April Sky Williams
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Approved for Licensure through Endorsement:

Chelsey Franklin

Denied or Withdrawn Applications:

None

LMSW Applications:

Provisionally Licensed and Approved to take Examination:

Lorna Adams	Melissa Allbright	Amy Atkinson
Desiree Baltazar	Sophia Starley Berger	Katie Bland
Grace Elizabeth Bloodworth	Constance Borromeo	Tia Pashunette Brazell
Skyler Nicole Brewer	Goldie Brimberry	Kendra Dawn Brown
Kessia Monique Brown	Emily Ann Burt	Taylor Ashlee Clifford
Whitney Danielle Coles	Lexington Cowart	Girlene Crain
Ariana Renee Crews	Aubriauna Davasher	Nathan Gilbert Derrickson
Allison DeWalt	Zoe Breann Ennis	Samantha Fisher
Samantha Leann Fisher	Efrain Garcia	Erin Danielle Geyer
Laquisha Gibson	Isamar Gonzalez-Urive	Olivia Goza
Taylor Nicole Graves	Deidre Gray	Steven Greathouse
Natonya Hale	Courtney Dawn Hardin	Kimberly Nicole Hardin
Demesha Shetrica Henderson	Kodi Gabrielle Herndon	Emily Hollis
Kianna Lamonda Holt	Amy Sue Horowitz	Suzanne Hubbard
Melissa Joiner	Asha Jones	Mollie J Kenerson
Lily Kerr	Malory Kolp	Kasey Leeson
Jadyn Denaë' Lewis	Cassady Lilly	Laurin Adriana Lima
Brookelynn Colleen Long	Heather Renee Lynch	Baylee Magby
Farah Malek	Mary Martin	Melanie Carole Massey
LaKeisha Matthews	Allison Gaynell May	Justina Marie McBride
Darian McCluskey	Catherine McKnight	Cynthia McLellan

Raylin Irene Means
Rylee Nesbitt
Adrian Oglesby
Kaitlin Parker
Amber Lee Perkins
Kyra Rattler
Brandie Ridinger
Lindsay Burton Schupbach
Jessica Ann Simmons
Esmeralda Suarez
Emily Thompson
Emalee Love Towell
Justin Webb
Brandon Williams
Kaylyn Janelle Wynn

Keavionna Nellon
Michelle Nguyen
Lucy Jayne Owen
Tracye Elaine Patterson-Anderson
Evelyn Andrea Pinton
Elise Suzanne Reynolds
Sabrina Ann Roland
Angela Scott
Sabrina Jean Simpson
Summer Taylor
Karol Thompson
Eric Walters
Kimberly White
Matthew David Williams
Hannah Yarbrough

Nicole Michelle Medina
Allison Sabra Odom
Angela Parker
Rachel Pelissier
Emily Monique Popp
Wendy Rhoads
Yalaunda C Sandidge
Beverly Christine Siegfried
Lacie Stowe
Julian Peter Beswick Thomas
Takeria L Toombs
Sydney Marie Washington
Lecole White
Kieannah Wofford
Kyrsten Younge

Approved to take the Exam:

Terra R Erwin
Jasmine Delori Ruffin

Amy Gaydos
Dana S Yarbough-Fluker

Katelyn McDuffie

Approved for Licensure through Endorsement:

Twinette Ravenell Brown
Cailyn Jonissa Henderson
Oluwapamilerin Olubukola Ogun

Hannah Marie Doty
Kari Renee-Rogner Johnson

Zemaria DeChristian Frank
Brandy Williams Lucious
Linda Rowand

Denied or Withdrawn Applications:

None

LCSW Applications:

Approved to take Examination:

Tessica BoNey
Heather Collias
Whitney Lynne French
Tatum Paige Owens Nethercutt
Mallory Seidenstricker
Nadine Wood

Angela Denise Brown
Lauren Dillard
Sarah Kendall
Cristina Puckett
Sky Tapp
Bridget Young

Pat J Bruno
Andrea Ann Estes-Byrd
Lekita W Lee
Pamela Ramsfield
Jessica Tucker

Approved for Licensure through Endorsement:

Meagan Banker
Michele Harvey
Susan Chandelle Martel
Amber Roark
George Zappalorta

Ashley Boatman
Shari Kimball
Cynthia D Melton
Jared Taylor

Judith Creecy
Julie Kline
Roslyn Postlewaite
Andrea Marie Wilson

Denied or Withdrawn Applications:

None

Vorandol Stinyard seconded the motion on applications, which carried.

Action Taken on Renewal Applications:

The Board reviewed 134 applications for license renewal. Vorandol Stinyard made a motion to approve all 134 of the renewals. Tammy Vaughn, LMSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

Action Taken on Continuing Education Audits:

The Board reviewed 11 random continuing education audits. Tammy Vaughn, LMSW, made a motion to approve all 11 of the audits. Kristin Agar, LCSW, seconded the motion, which carried.

Action Taken on Supervision Plan Reviews and Late Supervision Evaluation Submissions:

The Board reviewed 27 supervision plans. Kristin Agar made a motion to show 17 of the supervision plans reviewed. Tammy Vaughn, LMSW, seconded the motion, which carried. Ten of the Supervision Plans reviewed required clarification.

OTHER BUSINESS:

A board member will be required to be a delegate for the Association of Social Work Boards special meeting of the delegate assembly scheduled for August 4, 2022. All board members and staff are encouraged to attend. Tammy Charlton will attend as the delegate.

The Board reviewed the Association of Social Work Boards policy on exams. No action is taken at this time.

There being no other business, Vorandol Stinyard made a motion to adjourn. Betty Guhman seconded the motion, which carried.

Board Chair Initials 