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**CONSENT AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
JAMES LANSFORD
AND THE
STATE OF OHIO COUNSELOR AND SOCIAL WORKER BOARD**

COUNSELOR AND SOCIAL
WORKER BOARD

This CONSENT AGREEMENT is entered into by and between JAMES LANSFORD, hereinafter, "**LANSFORD**", and the STATE OF OHIO COUNSELOR AND SOCIAL WORKER BOARD, hereinafter "**BOARD**", the state agency charged with enforcing Chapter 4757 of the Ohio Revised Code and all rules promulgated thereunder.

LANSFORD hereby acknowledges that he has read and understands this CONSENT AGREEMENT and has voluntarily entered into it without threat or promise by the **BOARD** or any of its members, employees or agents.

LANSFORD is fully aware of his rights, including his right to be advised by counsel and his right to a hearing pursuant to Chapter 119 of the Ohio Revised Code on the issues which are the subject of this CONSENT AGREEMENT.

This CONSENT AGREEMENT contains the entire agreement between the parties, there being no other agreement of any kind, verbal or otherwise, which varies the terms of this CONSENT AGREEMENT.

This CONSENT AGREEMENT is entered into on the basis of the following stipulations, admissions and understandings:

1. **LANSFORD** is an independent social worker (I-3984) licensed to practice social work in the state of Ohio, and is subject to the laws and rules of Ohio regulating the practice of social work as outlined in Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4757. **LANSFORD** received his social work license on September 10, 1988.

2. From about November 1993 through July 1999, **LANSFORD** professionally treated a client at his Chillicothe, Ohio office. During the period of time, **LANSFORD** sold bricks to the client, referenced in paragraph #1, for a price of \$25.00.
3. **LANSFORD** admits the statements referenced in paragraphs 1 through 2 referenced above.

Wherefore, in consideration of the foregoing and mutual promises hereinafter set forth, and in lieu of any further formal disciplinary proceedings, **LANSFORD** knowingly and voluntarily agrees with the **BOARD** to the following terms and conditions:

1. **LANSFORD'S** independent social work license (I-3984) is suspended for three months beginning April 1, 2002, through June 30, 2002.
2. After the above suspension, **LANSFORD** is to be supervised for a one-year period by a supervisor pre-approved by the Board. **LANSFORD** must submit the name, address, and professional vitae of his desired supervisor by June 15, 2002, for approval by the **BOARD**. During the first six-months, supervision must be on a bi-weekly basis and at the discretion of the supervisor, with pre-approval by the **BOARD**, thereafter. The supervisor must submit a written report outlining the content and results of the supervision every other month. The first report is due at the **BOARD** offices on September 1, 2002. The approved supervisor will be given a copy of the Report and Recommendations written by the Hearing Examiner following the Adjudication Hearing on January 23, 2002.
3. **LANSFORD** agrees to refrain from the specific methodologies contested in the Adjudication hearing on January 23, 2002.

It is hereby agreed by and between both parties that this CONSENT AGREEMENT hereby settles all issues concerning this matter.

By his signature on this CONSENT AGREEMENT, **LANSFORD** acknowledges that in the event the **BOARD**, in its discretion, does not approve this CONSENT AGREEMENT, this settlement offer is withdrawn and shall be of no evidentiary value and shall not be relied upon or introduced in any disciplinary action or appeal by either party. **LANSFORD** agrees that should the **BOARD** reject this CONSENT AGREEMENT and if this case proceeds to hearing, he will assert no claim that the **BOARD** was prejudiced by its review and discussion of this CONSENT AGREEMENT or of any information relating thereto.

Should **LANSFORD** fail to comply with any provisions of this CONSENT AGREEMENT, **LANSFORD** knowingly waives his rights under ORC Chapter 119. Following notice and an evidentiary hearing, not an Ohio Revised Code Chapter 119 hearing, if **LANSFORD** is found by the **BOARD** to have violated any terms of this Consent Agreement, the **BOARD** may impose any penalty up to and including REVOCATION of **LANSFORD'S** independent social work license based solely upon a violation of this Consent Agreement. **LANSFORD** may not appeal this action.

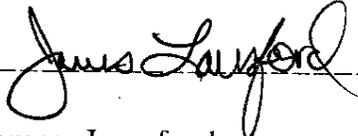
LANSFORD hereby releases the members of the **BOARD**, its officers and employees, jointly and severally, from any and all liability arising from the matter within.

This CONSENT AGREEMENT shall be considered a public record as that term is used in Section 149.43 of the Ohio Revised Code. Pursuant to 42 USC Section 132a-73(b), 5 USC Section 552a, 45 CFR part 61 and Ohio Revised Code Section 2301.373(E), the **BOARD** may be required to provide **LANSFORD'S** social security number to requesting governmental agencies.

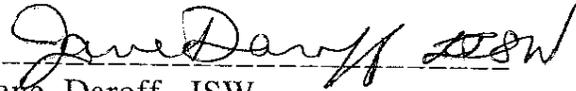
The **BOARD** shall incorporate this CONSENT AGREEMENT into a formal journal entry at its March 22, 2002, meeting.

This CONSENT AGREEMENT shall take effect upon the date of the last signature below:

THE OHIO COUNSELOR AND
SOCIAL WORKER BOARD



James Lansford



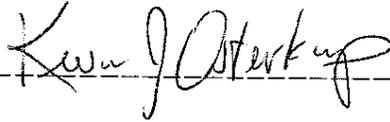
Jane Daroff, ISW
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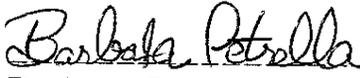
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Kevin J. Osterkamp, Esq.
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Date

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Date