

IN APRIL 2008, MS. HURST'S INDEPENDENT SOCIAL WORK LICENSE WAS AUDITED FOR COMPLIANCE WITH CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS. MS. HURST CONTACTED THE BOARD AND STATED DUE TO TWO SEPARATE MOVES, SHE COULD NOT LOCATE ANY OF THE CERTIFICATES NOR COULD SHE OBTAIN THE REPLACEMENT COPIES FROM THE PROVIDERS. MS. HURST'S NOT COMPLYING WITH THE AUDIT REQUIREMENT CONSTITUTES A VIOLATION OF ORC SECTION 4757.36 (A) (1) AND OAC SECTION 4757-11-01 (C)(21)(B). MS. HURST COMPLETED THE TERMS OF HER CONSENT AGREEMENT 03/30/2009

Shannon R. Hurst and the State of Ohio Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist Board

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CONSENT AGREEMENT 2008 JUN 19 P 12: 29
BETWEEN
SHANNON R. HURST
AND THE
STATE OF OHIO COUNSELOR, SOCIAL WORKER, MARRIAGE AND
FAMILY THERAPIST BOARD

This CONSENT AGREEMENT is entered into by and between SHANNON R. HURST, hereinafter, "HURST," and the STATE OF OHIO COUNSELOR, SOCIAL WORKER, MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPIST BOARD, hereinafter "BOARD," the state agency charged with enforcing Chapter 4757 of the Ohio Revised Code and all rules promulgated therein.

HURST hereby acknowledges that she 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.

HURST is fully aware of her rights, including her right to be advised by counsel and her right to a hearing pursuant to Chapter 119 of the Ohio Revised Code on the issues which are the subject of this CONSENT AGREEMENT. Should HURST fail to comply with any provisions of this CONSENT AGREEMENT, HURST knowingly waives her rights under ORC Chapter 119.

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. HURST is an independent social worker (I-0600022) 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 and Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 4757. HURST received her independent social work license on March 17, 2006.
2. In April 2008, HURST'S independent social work license was audited for compliance with continuing education requirements. HURST contacted the Board and stated due to two separate moves, she could not locate any of the certificates nor could she obtain replacement copies from the providers. HURST'S not complying with the audit

requirement constitutes a violation of Ohio Revised Code Section 4757.36(A) (1) and Ohio Administrative Code Section 4757-11-01 (C)(21)(b).

3. **HURST** admits the allegation referenced in paragraph 2.

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

1. **HURST'S** license to practice social work (I-0600022) is Indefinitely Suspended beginning July 18, 2008, until she can show proof of 30 hours of Board approved continuing education and presents them to the Board's Investigation Unit. These hours will NOT count toward any future renewal.

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

By her signature on this **CONSENT AGREEMENT**, **HURST** 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. **HURST** agrees that should the **BOARD** reject this **CONSENT AGREEMENT** and if this case proceeds to hearing, she will assert no claim that the **BOARD** was prejudiced by its review and discussion of this **CONSENT AGREEMENT** or of any information relating thereto.

HURST 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 3123.41 et seq., the **BOARD** may be required to provide **HURST'S** social security number to requesting governmental agencies.

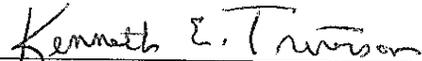
The **BOARD** shall incorporate this **CONSENT AGREEMENT** into a formal journal entry at its July, 2008, meeting.

Consent Agreement between Shannon Hurst and the State of Ohio Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist Board

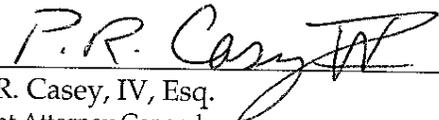
This Consent Agreement will become effective on the date signed by the Chair of the Board.


Shannon R. Hurst, LISW

6/17/08
Date


Kenneth E. Trivison, IMFT, PCC
Chair, Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist Board

7/18/08
Date


Peter R. Casey, IV, Esq.
Assistant Attorney General
Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and Family Therapist Board

7/17/08
Date