

**AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
TRINA JOHNSON
AND THE
STATE OF OHIO COUNSELOR, SOCIAL WORKER, MARRIAGE AND
FAMILY THERAPIST BOARD**

This AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT is entered into by and between TRINA JOHNSON, hereinafter, "JOHNSON," 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.

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

JOHNSON 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 AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT.

This AMENDED 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 AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT.

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

1. JOHNSON is a social worker (S.0600706) 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. JOHNSON received her social work license on September 22, 2006.
2. On January 19, 2017, JOHNSON entered into a consent agreement with the Board where she was to meet certain requirements. On March 20, 2017, JOHNSON communicated by e-mail that she does not wish to pursue the requirements of the consent agreement at this time.
3. JOHNSON admits the statements referenced in paragraph 2 above.

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

1. The BOARD will allow JOHNSON to surrender her social work license in lieu of other potential disciplinary action.

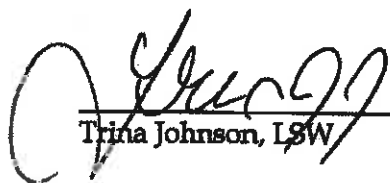
It is hereby agreed by and between both parties that this AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT hereby settles all issues concerning this matter.

By her signature on this AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT, JOHNSON acknowledges that in the event the BOARD, in its discretion, does not approve this AMENDED 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. JOHNSON agrees that should the BOARD reject this AMENDED 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 AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT or of any information relating thereto.

JOHNSON 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 AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT shall be considered a public record as that term is used in Section 149.43 of the Ohio Revised Code. All parties to this Consent Agreement understand that this information will be sent to the United States Department of Health and Human Services' National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB), pursuant to Title IV of Public Law 99-660, the Healthcare Quality Improvement Act of 1986, as amended; Section 1921 of the Social Security Act; and Section 1128E of the Social Security Act, as amended by Section 221(a) of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. The BOARD shall incorporate this AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT into a formal journal entry at its May 2017, meeting.

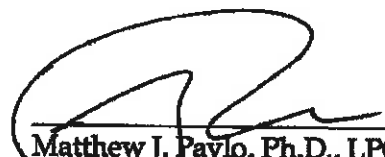
This AMENDED CONSENT AGREEMENT shall take effect upon the date of the Board Chair's signature below:



Trina Johnson, LSW

03/27/2017

Date



Matthew J. Paylo, Ph.D., LPCC
Chair, Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and
Family Therapist Board

5/18/17

Date

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

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2. On January 14, 2016, JOHNSON assaulted her supervisor. Based on the Board's investigation findings JOHNSON was ordered to obtain a mental health/substance abuse assessment. Impaired practice is a violation of ORC 4757.36(C)(1) and Ohio Administrative Code Section 4757-5-05.
3. JOHNSON admits the allegation referenced in paragraph 2 above.

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

1. JOHNSON'S license to practice as a social worker (S-0600706) is suspended for eighteen months (18) from ~~November 18, 2016~~ through ~~April 18, 2018~~. *JANUARY 29, 2017* *July 31, 2018*
2. Beginning in ~~November 18, 2016~~, through ~~April, 2018~~, JOHNSON will be required to have ongoing mental health treatment. JOHNSON will submit the name and contact information of the provider she would like to obtain treatment with to the Board's Investigative Unit no later than ~~November 1, 2016~~. All costs associated with this requirement are at JOHNSON'S expense. Once approved, the practitioner shall provide the Board with quarterly reports detailing issues discussed in counseling, including but not limited to: treatment goals of improved distress tolerance, identifying and implementing a wide variety of positive coping strategies, mindfulness training, and anger management. It is JOHNSON'S responsibility to ensure any and all releases are signed with the provider. At the end of the mandated counseling period, the practitioner shall submit to the Board a report encompassing the overall counseling period and addressing JOHNSON'S recovery, including areas of improvement, areas of concern (if any), and if in the practitioner's professional opinion, JOHNSON is able to function properly as a social worker. It is JOHNSON'S responsibility to ensure the Board receives all reports in a timely manner. *January 3, 2017*
3. Once JOHNSON returns to practice, she must receive ongoing supervision from a Board pre-approved licensee for a minimum of two (2) years. All costs associated with this supervision are at JOHNSON'S expense. JOHNSON must submit the name, contact information, and professional resume or curriculum vitae to the Board's compliance officer no later than ~~April, 2018~~ to obtain pre-approval. Once approved, the practitioner shall provide the Board with quarterly reports detailing issues discussed in supervision, including but not limited to, issues related to JOHNSON'S ongoing maintenance of relationship and conflict issues. At the end of the mandated supervision period, the supervisor shall submit to the Board a report encompassing the overall supervision period and addressing JOHNSON'S professional practice suitability, including areas of improvement, areas of concern (if any), and if in the practitioner's professional opinion, JOHNSON is able to function properly as a social

worker. It is JOHNSON'S responsibility to ensure the Board receives all reports in a timely manner.

4. Should JOHNSON not fully comply with all requirements of this CONSENT AGREEMENT, the BOARD will initiate further and likely more severe penalties

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


This CONSENT AGREEMENT shall take effect upon the date of the Board Chair's
signature below:



Trina Johnson, LSW

12/16/16


Date



Matthew J. Paylo, Ph.D, LPCC-S
Chair, Counselor, Social Worker, Marriage and Family
Therapist Board

1/19/17

Date



Melissa L. Wilburn, Esq.,
Assistant Attorney General

December 16, 2016

Date