

**BEFORE THE MINNESOTA
BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY**

In the Matter of the License of
Linda Krogh, M.S., L.P.
License Number: LP3076

**STIPULATION AND
CONSENT ORDER**

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by Linda Krogh, M.S., L.P. (“Licensee”), and the Minnesota Board of Psychology (“Board”) as follows:

1. During all times herein, Licensee has been and now is subject to the jurisdiction of the Board from which she holds a license to practice psychology in the State of Minnesota.

FACTS

2. For the purpose of this stipulation, the Board may consider the following facts as true:

a. In January 2011, Licensee was diagnosed with Lewy body dementia (“LBD”).

b. In April 2011, Licensee obtained a neuropsychological evaluation. The neuropsychological evaluation confirmed the LBD diagnosis and opined that Licensee was exhibiting “cerebral dysfunction of [a] severe magnitude,” and that the evaluation’s findings were suggestive of dementia.

c. On January 13, 2012, Licensee attended a conference with a Board committee. The committee expressed serious concerns about Licensee’s ability to practice psychology, whether in the context of gainful employment or volunteer service.

d. Licensee’s husband advised the committee that no guardianship or conservatorship proceedings had been initiated and that he had no power of attorney authority

with respect to Licensee. Licensee's husband also advised the committee that, as of January 13, 2012, no concerns had ever been raised that Licensee was unable to individually execute a legal document due to mental capacity.

REGULATIONS

3. The Board and Licensee agree that the foregoing facts compel action pursuant to the Board's authority under Minn. Stat. § 148.941, subd. 2(a)(10) and constitutes a reasonable basis in law and fact to justify the action provided for in this Stipulation and Consent Order.

REMEDY

4. Upon this stipulation and all the files, records, and proceedings herein, and without further notice or hearing herein, Licensee does hereby consent that the Board may make and enter an order as follows:

a. The Board accepts Licensee's **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER** of her license as a psychologist in the State of Minnesota. Licensee shall not engage in any act which constitutes the practice of psychology as defined in Minnesota Statutes § 148.89, subd. 5. Licensee shall not practice psychology in any manner, shall neither offer nor provide psychological services of any kind within Minnesota, and shall not use the designation "licensed psychologist," "LP," or any other designation that implies that Licensee is eligible to practice psychology in the State of Minnesota.

b. Within 14 days of the date this order is adopted by the Board, Licensee shall personally deliver or mail her license to the Minnesota Board of Psychology, c/o Angelina M. Barnes, 2829 University Avenue S.E., Suite 320, Minneapolis, MN 55414.

5. In the event Licensee resides or practices outside the State of Minnesota, Licensee shall promptly notify the Board in writing of the location of her residence and all work sites.

6. This stipulation shall not in any way limit or affect the authority of the Board to initiate contested case proceedings against Licensee on the basis of any act, conduct, or omission of Licensee justifying disciplinary action occurring before or after the date of this Stipulation and Consent Order which is not related to the facts, circumstances or requirements referenced herein.

7. In the event the Board at its discretion does not approve this settlement, then, and in that event, this stipulation is withdrawn and shall be of no evidentiary value and shall not be relied upon nor introduced by either party to this stipulation, except that Licensee agrees that should the Board reject this stipulation and this case proceeds to hearing, Licensee will assert no claim that the Board was prejudiced by its review and discussion of this stipulation or of any records relating to this matter.

8. Any appropriate court may, upon application of the Board, enter its decree enforcing the order of the Board.

9. Licensee has been advised by Board representatives that she may choose to be represented by legal counsel in this matter. Licensee knowingly waived legal representation. The Complaint Resolution Committee is represented by Benjamin R. Garbe, Assistant Attorney General.

10. Licensee waives all formal hearings on this matter and all other procedures before the Board to which Licensee may be entitled under the Minnesota or United States constitutions, statutes, or rules and agrees that the order to be entered pursuant to the stipulation shall be the final order herein.

11. Licensee hereby knowingly and voluntarily waives any and all claims against the Board, the Minnesota Attorney General, the State of Minnesota and their agents, employees and

representatives which may otherwise be available to Licensee under the Americans With Disabilities Act or the Minnesota Human Rights Act relative to the action taken or authorized against Licensee's license to practice psychology under this stipulation.

12. Licensee hereby acknowledges that she has read, understands, and agrees to this stipulation and has freely and voluntarily signed the stipulation without threat or promise by the Board or any of its members, employees, or agents. When signing the stipulation, Licensee acknowledges she is fully aware the stipulation is not binding unless and until it is approved by the Board. The Board may either approve the Stipulation and Consent Order as proposed, approve the Stipulation and Consent Order subject to specified change, or reject it. If the changes are acceptable to Licensee, the stipulation will then take effect and the order as modified will be issued. If the changes are unacceptable to Licensee or the Board rejects the stipulation, it will be of no effect except as specified herein.

13. This Stipulation and Consent Order constitutes a disciplinary action against Licensee.

14. This Stipulation and Consent Order is a public document and will be sent to all appropriate data banks and entities consistent with Board policy.

15. Violation of this Stipulation and Consent Order shall allow the Board to seek any appropriate remedy provided by law, including but not limited to bringing an action in district court for injunctive relief pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 214.11.

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

BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY

COMPLAINT RESOLUTION
COMMITTEE

Linda R. Krogh
LINDA KROGH
Licensee
Dated: 1/17/12
03/17/2012

Jeffrey Leichter
JEFFREY LEICHTER, Ph.D., L.P.
Committee Chair
Dated: 4/6/12

PATRICIA ORUD, M.A., L.P.
Committee Member
Dated: _____, _____

Susan Ward
SUSAN WARD
Committee Member
Dated: 6 March, 2012

ORDER

Upon consideration of this stipulation and all the files, records, and proceedings herein,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the license of Licensee is VOLUNTARILY SURRENDERED and that all other terms of this stipulation are adopted and implemented by the

Board this 14th day of April 2012

MINNESOTA BOARD
OF PSYCHOLOGY


ANGELINA M. BARNES
Executive Director

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