

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA

BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY

In the Matter of the
Psychology License of
Ponvelil P. Philip, Ph.D., L.P.
License Number: LP2258

AMENDED ORDER

The Minnesota Board of Psychology (Board) convened on May 12, 2000, to review the petition of Ponvelil P. Philip, Ph.D., L.P. (Licensee) for removal of the conditions placed on his license by a Stipulation and Consent Order adopted by the Board on November 4, 1994. Having considered the Complaint Resolution Committee's (CRC) recommendation, the Board now issues the following

ORDER

1. IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the November 4, 1994 Stipulation and Consent Order is amended.

2. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the conditions imposed on Licensee's license to practice psychology in the State of Minnesota contained in the November 4, 1994 Stipulation and Consent Order are amended based on the following findings of the Board:

a. The 1994 Order required Licensee to "obtain consultation with a custody evaluation or forensic psychologist expert to review and discuss with Licensee the next twenty evaluations and/or written summaries of client involvement for use by the Courts, or for the next five years from the date this stipulation is executed by the Board, whichever comes first."

b. On February 28, 1995, Licensee notified the Board that he had obtained a consultant. However, Licensee further notified the Board that he did not intend to do any "custody work." As of the end of February 2000, Licensee had not notified the Board that he resumed doing custody work.

c. On March 1, 2000, Licensee petitioned to have the conditions removed from his license.

3. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Licensee's license is conditional in that, if Licensee desires to complete any custody evaluations or provide written summaries or other information related to custody in any court proceeding, he must first notify the Board in writing and demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Board the necessary education, experience, training and supervision to assert that he is competent before practicing in this area.

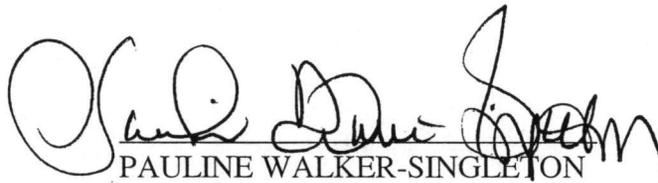
4. Licensee's noncompliance or violation of this Amended Order will be considered unethical conduct and constitute grounds for further disciplinary action.

5. This Amended Order constitutes disciplinary action against Licensee.

6. This Amended Order is a public document and will be sent to all appropriate data banks.

Dated: May 16 ^{May} ^(Pwf) ~~Mar~~, 2000

STATE OF MINNESOTA
BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY


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Executive Director