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DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS

Matt S. Heatherly

Case No. 2016-05

Date: January 26, 2018

Violation: Respondent violated Ala. Code §34-17-A-14(a)3) (1975 as amended) and Ala. Admin. Code r. 536-X-7-.01(3) by committing fraud and misrepresentation in obtaining a license. The Board entered into a Consent Agreement with Respondent and Respondent voluntarily surrendered his license for a period of two years.

Danny E. Blanchard

Case No. 2015-01

Date: September 23, 2016

Violation: Respondent violated Ala. Admin. Code r. 536-X-7-.01(4)(g), (h), (o) and Ala. Admin. Code r. 536-X-8-.08(1), (4), (6) and (8) by committing fraud and misrepresentation of credentials.

Disposition: The Board entered into a Consent Agreement with Respondent and assessed an administrative fine in the amount of \$1,250.00. Respondent has paid said fine in full.

Keith Parham

Date: May 9, 2008

Violation: Respondent violated Ala. Admin. Code r. 536-X-8-.01(1)(b) and 536-X-7-.01(4)(n)5 by engaging in dual relationships with clients during the therapist client relationship and engaging in an inappropriate relationship with a female client in 2003.

Disposition: Respondent voluntarily surrendered his license and the Board assessed an administrative fine in the amount of \$500.00

Mack D. Lyons

Date: May 9, 2008

Violation: On the basis of indictment issued by the Grand Jury for the Circuit Court of DeKalb County, Alabama, finding that sufficient evidence exists to be tried on no less than five (5) felony sexual abuse counts and five (5) misdemeanor harassment counts, the Board issued an emergency suspension of license number 223 on March 10, 2008 with a hearing to be scheduled on the following: Ala. Code § 34-17A-14(a)(2) (1975 as amended) – violation of ethical standards of a nature as to render the person found by the Board to be unfit to practice marriage and family therapy; Ala. Admin. Code r. 536-X-7 and 536-X-8 – Grounds for Discipline and Ethical Standards and Standards of Conduct of Marriage and Family Therapists.

Disposition: Respondent voluntarily surrendered his license.