PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, May 12, 2023 Time: 8:00 a.m.

The meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners (Board) will be conducted and may be attended through a remote technology system (video- or teleconference). To participate remotely, individuals are invited to enter the meeting from the Zoom website at: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86072641188. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID: **860 7264 1188**. The meeting may also be attended at the physical location of the Board Office at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada, 89502. (The Board office recommends that individuals unfamiliar with ZOOM should visit the website in advance to familiarize themselves with the format by viewing the online tutorials and reading the FAQs. To learn more about Zoom, go to https://zoom.us/.)

The Board will accept public comment via email. Those wishing to make public comment should email their public comments to the Board office at nbop@govmail.state.nv.us. Written public comments must be received prior to the start of the meeting and will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration. Public comments will be included in the public record (meeting minutes) but will not necessarily be read aloud during the meeting. In compliance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 241 (Open Meeting Law), the Board is precluded from taking action on items raised by public comment which are not already on the agenda.

The Board may take items out of order, combine items for consideration, and items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. Public comment will be taken at the beginning and end of the meeting. The public may provide comment on any matter whether or not that matter is a specific topic on the agenda. However, prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment on that item. (NRS 233B.126) Public comment that is willfully disruptive is prohibited, and individuals who willfully disrupt the meeting may be removed from the meeting. (NRS 241.030(5)(b)). The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030). Once all items on the agenda are completed, the meeting will adjourn.

AGENDA

1. Call To Order/Roll Call to Determine the Presence of a Quorum.

- **2. Public Comment.** Note: Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in their sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020).
- 3. (For Possible Action) Workshop to Solicit Comments on a Proposed Regulation (See Attachment A); and Possible Action to Forward the Proposed Regulation to a Hearing at a Future Meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners in Accordance with NRS Chapter 233B
 - A. Proposed Removal of all Language Referencing to Behavior Analysts from Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 641.
 - B. Removal of the regulation that requires firms, partnerships, or corporations to register with the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners
- **4. Minutes.** (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners on April 7, 2023.

5. Financials

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Recommended Changes to the Fiscal Year 2023 Budget.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Treasurer's Report for Fiscal Year 2023 (July 1, 2022, Through June 30, 2023).
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2024.
- D. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the purchase of a new computer for the Board Office.
- E. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve hiring a Part-Time employee for the Board Office.

6. Legislative Update

- A. (For Possible Action) Report, Discussion and Possible Action on Legislative Activities, including the work of Interim Committees, the 2023 Session of the Nevada Legislature, and any position the Board may take on Bills and Bill Draft Requests that the Board is tracking, following, or that may impact the Board and its Operations.
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the Proposed Revision of Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 641.390, Representation or Practice Without License or Registration Prohibited, during the 2023 Session of the Nevada State Legislature.

7. Board Needs and Operations

- A. Report from the Nevada Psychological Association.
- B. Report From the Executive Director on Board Office Operations.

8. (For Possible Action) Discussion, and Possible Action on Pending Consumer Complaints:

- A. Complaint #19-0626
- B. Complaint #22-0804
- C. Complaint #22-0930
- D. Complaint #23-0303
- E. Complaint #23-0315
- 9. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern or Trainee. The Board May Convene in Closed Session to Receive Information Regarding Applicants, Which May Involve Considering the Character, Alleged Misconduct, Professional Competence or Physical or Mental Health of the Applicant (NRS 241.030). All Deliberation and Action Will Occur in an Open Session. Note: Applicant names are listed on the agenda to allow the Board to discuss applicants when necessary to move the applicant through the

licensure process. The listing of an applicant's name on the agenda indicates only that an application for licensure/registration has been received. It does not mean that the application has been approved or that the applicant must appear at the meeting in order for the applicant's application to move forward through the licensure process. If an applicant needs to attend the meeting for the Board to take action, the applicant will be notified in writing prior to the meeting. Please, direct questions or comments regarding licensure applications to the Board office.

PSYCHOLOGISTS

Gera Anderson Gila Frank Ashley Arcoleo Matthew Gibbons Erick Arguello Dov Gold Nancy Grau Quintin Bailey John Barona Dehnad Hakimi Kimberly Bergman Alexia Holovatyk Alberto Ibarra Sarah Brennan Billie Ivra RaeLynn Brister Corby Bubp Saira Jhorn Lori Johnson Colleen Character Samantha Johnson Si Arthur Chen Natalie Jones Filippo Cieri Pegeen Cronin Ta Tanisha Jones William Kaiser Edward De Anda Carolyne Karr Hector De Los Santos Patricia Keeler Nicola De Paul Daphne Kendricks Roman Dietrich Adrienne DiFabio Christine Kim Donald Kincaid Mark Dillon John King Mary Dinerman Ashley Kirby-Ward Christopher Estep Sandra Kubicki Allison Faris Laura LaPiana Daniel Fenton Timothy Law Stephen Francis

George Lazo Rose Leung Karen Levine George Lough Debra Maddox Gina Manguno-Mire Viola Mejia Kimberly Miller Samuel Montano Patrick Murphy Jonine Nazar-Biesman Ana Ochoa Ariel Ogilvie-McSweeney Akira Olsen Brian Olsen Stephanie Orbon Jessica Patel Rachel Powers Kilvnda Rav Tatsiana Razzhavaikina Ellen Rechberger Lisa Rhee Vincent Rodriguez Keri Ross

Jen Schafer Shelly Sheinbein David Shoup Nancy Small DeAnn Smetana Michael Stein Melissa Stolsig LaTanya Takla Jessica Taverniti Kelly Thomas Donna Truona John Tsanadis Deepti Vaswani Michael Villanueva **Ann Watters** Jessica Weis Michael Whitman Jennifer Wilcox Michele Wilkens Stephen Winston Christine Winter Jamie Wong Wendy Worrell Lindsay Wray

PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Ines Acevedo Jacqueline Friar Blanca Naudin Farnaz Samavi Joseph Henrich Tracy Basile Leilani Puentes Sharon Simington Ashley Key Jessica Crellin Jacquelyn Rinaldi Lydia Stevenson Desiree Misanko Toi Williams Kaleb Cusack Shannon Rojas

PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Shannon Colon Erica Marino Barbara Sommer
Mario De Souza Ruby Sharma Candice Thomas
Michelle Harden Jasmin Smith Rachel Wiggins

PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES

Marissa Alvarez Suzette Lynch

- **10.** (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Dr. Leeanne Earnest's Application for Reactivation of her License.
- 11. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Dr. Dorothy Parriott's Application for Reactivation of her License.
- 12. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Erica Marino's Application to Register as a Psychological Intern.
- 13. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Changes to the Board's Background Checks and Fingerprinting Policy
- 14. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Adopt the Policy on Finance: Budgeting.
- 15. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on a Request for the Board to Submit Briefing in a Pending Matter Before the Nevada Supreme Court regarding Rule 35 of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure.
- 16. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the Board's Answer to a Question from the ASPPB regarding Certificate of Professional Qualification (CPQ) Eligibility.
- 17. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the May 3, 2023, meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee to Consider the Registration of Supervisors of Psychological Assistants, Psychological Interns, and Psychological Trainees.
- 18. (For Possible Action) Schedule of Future Board Meetings, Hearings, and Workshops. The Board May Discuss and Decide Future Meeting Dates, Hearing Dates, and Workshop Dates
 - A. The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners is Friday, June 2, 2023, at 8:00 a.m.

19. Requests for Future Board Meeting Agenda Items (No Discussion Among the Members will Take Place on this Item)

20. Public Comment - Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020)

21. (For Possible Action) Adjournment

The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined.

The Board is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to participate in the meeting. If such arrangements are necessary, please contact the board office at (775) 688-1268 no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, May 11, 2023.

For supporting materials, visit the Board's website at http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/ or contact Laura Arnold, Executive Director at the Board office by telephone (775-688-1268), e-mail (nbop@govmail.state.nv.us), or in writing at Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada 89502.

In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice was properly posted at or before 9 a.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2023, at the following locations:

- Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno;
- Nevada Public Notice website: https://notice.nv.gov/; and
- Board's website at http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2023/2023/.

In addition, this public meeting notice has been sent to all persons on the Board's meeting notice list, pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c).

STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

NOTICE OF WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS ON PROPOSED REGULATIONS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, May 12, 2023 Time: 8:05 a.m.

The Nevada State Board of Psychological Examiners is proposing the amendment of certain regulations in Chapter 641 of the Nevada Administrative Code.

A workshop has been scheduled for Friday, May 12, 2023, at 8:05 a.m. The workshop will be conducted and may be attended through a remote technology system (video- or teleconference). To participate remotely, individuals are invited to enter the meeting from the Zoom website at: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86072641188. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID: **860 7264 1188**. The meeting may also be attended at the physical location of the Board Office at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada, 89502. (The Board office recommends that individuals unfamiliar with ZOOM should visit the website in advance to familiarize themselves with the format by viewing the online tutorials and reading the FAQs. To learn more about Zoom, go to https://zoom.us/.)

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topic that is in response to Nevada Governor Lombardo's Executive Order 2023-00 and is addressed as follows:

- Removal of all language related to behavior analysis and behavior analysts, which the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners no longer governs or regulates.
 - The NAC sections to be revised to remove reference to "Behavior Analysts," "Assistant Behavior Analysts," and "Autism Behavior Interventionists" from NAC Chapter 641 are the Chapter's Title, NAC 641.019, 641.050, 641.132, 641,133, 641.1503, NAC 641.200, NAC 641.204, 641.206, 641.219, NAC 641.224, 641.229, 641,234, 641.239, 641.241, and 641.245.
 - The NAC sections to be repealed in their entirety are NAC 641.003, 641.008, 641.085, 641.029, 641.031, 641.063, 641.083, 641.113, 641.1363, 641.209, 641.213, and 641.255.
- Removal of the regulation that requires firms, partnerships, or corporations register with the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners.
 - The NAC section to be repealed from NAC Chapter 641 is NAC 641.1505; provided, however, that NRS 641.2265, which requires the Board to adopt regulations that require registration of firms, partnerships, or corporations, is first repealed.

Language has been developed outside of the workshop and will be discussed during the workshop. If you are unable to attend the workshop but wish to submit any questions, concerns or general input, please submit them in writing to the Board office State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, B-116 Reno, Nevada 89502 or NBOP@govmail.state.nv.us, not later than Thursday, May 11, 2023, at 5 p.m. All statements received will be provided to the Board during the workshop.

Please contact the Board office if you are interested in reviewing the language that will be presented to the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB).

This Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulation has been sent to all persons on the agency's mailing list for administrative regulations and posted at the Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno; the Nevada Public Notice website (notice.nv.gov); and the Board's website

(https://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2023/2023_BOARD_MEETINGS/)

Date: April 12, 2023