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April 1, 2006

Lorne J. Malkiewich, Director Legislative Counsel Bureau 401 S. Carson St. Carson City, NV 89701

Dear Malkiewich,

Pursuant to Chapter 193, the Board of Examiners for Alcohol, Drug and Gambling Counselors is submitting the required quarterly report for January 1, 2006 through March 31, 2006. The enclosed disciplinary action was taken against 1 certificate during the quarter.

During the quarter the Board, received an additional 4 allegations. On March 31, 2006 the Board records reflect 10 active allegation files. Closed 10 additional cases.

Please feel free to call me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR ALCOHOL, DRUG AND GAMBLING COUNSELORS

Sharon Atkinson, Executive Director

## BEFORE THE NEVADA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR ALCOHOL, DRUG AND GAMBLING COUNSELORS

IN THE MATTER OF

GLORIA JACKSON

AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELOR INTERN

CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL ALCOHOL

NEVADA LICENSE NO. 2691

RESPONDENT

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AGREEMENT FOR REPRIMAND

CASE NO. ALCO-01-06

This Agreement is hereby entered into between GLORIA JACKSON, (RESPONDENT) and the NEVADA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR ALCOHOL, DRUG AND GAMBLING COUNSELORS, (BOARD),

It is hereby stipulated and agreed, by and between the parties to the above-entitled matter that the following statements are true:

- RESPONDENT is aware of, understands, and has been advised of the effect of
  this Agreement, which Respondent herein has carefully read and fully acknowledges. No
  coercion has been exerted on the Respondent. Respondent acknowledges her right to an attorney
  at her own expense. The Respondent has had the benefit at all times of obtaining advice from
  competent counsel of her choice.
- 2. RESPONDENT understands the nature of the allegations under investigation by the Nevada State Board of Alcohol, Drug and Gambling Counselors. Respondent freely admits that on August 4, 2005 she took her sisters medication for her own use. Respondent acknowledges the conduct described in paragraph two (2) constitutes a violation of the NRS and/or NAC 641C. Respondent further acknowledges that such admissions subject her to disciplinary action by the Board.
- 3. RESPONDENT is aware of the Respondent's rights, including the right to a hearing on any charges and allegations, the right to an attorney at her own expense, the right to examine witnesses who would testify against her, the right to present evidence in her favor and

- 1 call witnesses on her behalf, or to testify herself, the right to contest the charges and allegations,
- 2 | the right to reconsideration, appeal or any other type of formal judicial review of this matter, and
- 3 any other rights which may be accorded to her pursuant to the Nevada Administrative Procedures
- 4 Act and the provisions of Chapter 641C of the Nevada Revised Statutes and the Nevada
- 5 Administrative Code. Respondent agrees to waive the foregoing rights upon acceptance of this
- 6 Agreement by the Board.
- 7 4. RESPONDENT understands that the Board is free to accept or reject this
- 8 Agreement, and if rejected by the Board, a disciplinary proceeding may be commenced.
- Should the Agreement be rejected by the Board, it is agreed that presentation to
- and consideration by the Board of such proposed Agreement, shall not disqualify the Board, or
- any of its members, from further participation, consideration, adjudication or resolution of these
- 12 proceedings, and that no Board member shall be disqualified or challenged for bias therefore.
- 13 6. This Agreement shall only become effective when both parties have duly
- 14 executed it and unless so executed, this Agreement will not be construed as an admission.
- 7. This Agreement shall not be construed as excluding or reducing any criminal or
- 16 civil penalties or sanction or other remedies that may be applicable under federal, state or local
- 17 laws.
- 8. Based upon the foregoing stipulations and recitals, it is hereby agreed that the
- 19 Board may issue the following decision and order:
- 20 DECISION AND ORDER
- Based on the foregoing, and good cause appearing therefore, it is hereby ordered that:
- 22 1. RESPONDENT be publicly reprimanded.
- 23 2. As a condition of licensure/certification, Respondent shall take and successfully
- 24 | complete Advanced Ethics courses for a minimum of twelve (12) contact hours in programs of
- 25 | continuing education which has been pre-approved by the Executive Director of the Board, this
- 26 does not include the mandatory six (6) hours as described in NAC 641C. 300.1.a. Respondent
- 27 | shall submit documentation of successful completion to the Board within six (6) months of
- 28 | acceptance of this Agreement. Within sixty (60) days of completion of the Ethics course(s)

Respondent shall write a paper on the content of the course and how it relates to this disciplinary action. The report must be a minimum of 3 pages, double-spaced, 12 font. Upon review by the Board, the Board may require a supplemental report if the Board is not satisfied with the content of the report.

3. Respondent will reimburse the board \$550.00 for administrative expenses. The foregoing amount is due and payable within 6 months from the date of acceptance of this agreement

This Agreement will become part of the Respondent's permanent record, will become public information, will be published with the list of disciplinary actions the Board has taken, and may be reported to any national repository which records disciplinary action taken against licensees or holders of certificates; or any agency or another state which regulates the practice of alcohol and drug abuse counseling. The Agreement may be used in any subsequent hearings by the Board.

In the event other misconduct is reported to the Board, this Agreement may be used as evidence against the Respondent to establish a pattern of behavior and for the purpose of proving additional acts of misconduct.

NEVADA STATE BOARD OF
EXAMINERS FOR ALCOHOL, DRUG
AND GAMBLING COUNSELORS

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RESPONDENT (

Dorothy B. North, LADO Board President

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Date

Date\_

Sharon Atkinson

Executive Director

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Ther instrument was acknowledged before me on No worker 14

(RESPONDENT).

Notary Public

