

BEFORE THE
BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Accusation Against:

DEANNA LYNN GALLAGHER
150 W. 1600 N.
Orem, Utah 84057

Marriage and Family Therapist License No.
MFC 44493

Respondent.

Case No. 2002014001239

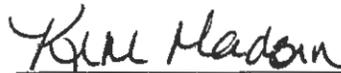
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DECISION AND ORDER

The attached Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby adopted by the Board of Behavioral Sciences, Department of Consumer Affairs, as its Decision in this matter.

This Decision shall become effective on July 15, 2015.

It is so ORDERED June 15, 2015.



FOR THE BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
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**STIPULATED SURRENDER OF
LICENSE AND ORDER**

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18 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the parties to the above-
19 entitled proceedings that the following matters are true:

20 PARTIES

21 1. Kin Madsen (Complainant) is the Executive Officer of the Board of Behavioral
22 Sciences. She brought this action solely in her official capacity and is represented in this matter
23 by Kamala D. Harris, Attorney General of the State of California, by David E. Brice, Deputy
24 Attorney General.

25 2. Deanna Lynn Gallagher (Respondent) is represented in this proceeding by attorney
26 Robert J. Sullivan, whose address is Robert J. Sullivan, Nossaman, LLP, 621 Capitol Mall, 25th
27 Floor, Sacramento, CA, 95814.

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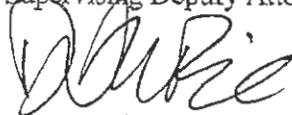
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ENDORSEMENT

The foregoing Stipulated Surrender of License and Order is hereby respectfully submitted for consideration by the Board of Behavioral Sciences of the Department of Consumer Affairs.

Dated: 4/22/2015

Respectfully submitted,
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Exhibit A

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A C C U S A T I O N

14 **Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist**
15 **License No. LMFT 44493**

Respondent.

17 Kim Madsen ("Complainant") alleges:

18 **PARTIES**

- 19 1. Complainant brings this Accusation solely in her official capacity as the Executive
20 Officer of the Board of Behavioral Sciences ("Board"), Department of Consumer Affairs.
- 21 2. On or about April 23, 2007, the Board issued Marriage and Family Therapist License
22 Number LMFT 44493 to Respondent. The marriage and family therapist license was in full force
23 and effect at all times relevant to the charges brought herein and will expire on May 31, 2016,
24 unless renewed.

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1 a. Respondent drove in her car from California to Utah in or around 2011 with Client A
2 and Client A's three children. When they arrived in Utah, Respondent, Client A, and Client A's
3 three children, found and shared a residence.

4 b. Between in or around April 2012 and September 2012, Respondent provided
5 marriage and family therapy services to Client B. Respondent and Client B attended a training
6 conference together the day after Respondent terminated her clinical relationship with Client B.
7 Since in or around September 2012, Respondent engaged in an improper dual relationship with
8 Client B.

9 c. In or around 2012, Respondent improperly divulged confidential information
10 pertaining to her clients, including client names and information learned in confidential therapy
11 sessions.

12 **PRAYER**

13 **WHEREFORE**, Complainant requests that a hearing be held on the matters herein alleged,
14 and that following the hearing, the Board of Behavioral Sciences issue a decision:

15 1. Revoking or suspending Marriage and Family Therapist License Number
16 LMFT 44493, issued to Deanna Lynn Gallagher;

17 2. Ordering Deanna Lynn Gallagher to pay the Board of Behavioral Sciences the
18 reasonable costs of the investigation and enforcement of this case, pursuant to Business and
19 Professions Code section 125.3; and,

20 3. Taking such other and further action as deemed necessary and proper.

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22 DATED: November 6, 2014



23 KIM MADSEN
24 Executive Officer
25 Board of Behavioral Sciences
26 Department of Consumer Affairs
27 State of California
28 *Complainant*

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