

GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS,  
SOCIAL WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS  
Professional Standards Rules Committee Meeting  
Conference Call/ZOOM Board Meeting Minutes – April 27, 2021 8:30 AM

The Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists General Board Professional Standards Rules Committee of all met via teleconference/ZOOM on Tuesday April 27, 2021. The Board's Executive Director hosted the meeting from the Professional Licensing Division, 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia 31217.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Lisa Morris, LPC  
Angie Smith, LPC  
Andy Carrier, CSW  
Jackie Pinkney-Brown, CSW  
Lorien Jordan, MFT  
Steve Livingston, MFT

**ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:**

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director  
Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist

**VISITORS PRESENT: (Open Session)**

Dr. J, CEO, MAI, Visitor  
Gale Macke, CEO, LPCA-GA, Visitor  
Dianne Kelley, Visitor  
Q. Greet, Visitor

**The General Rules Committee meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m.**

**Discussion: Board Rules**

- 135-7 Code of Ethics
- 135-3 Application for Licensure
- 135-1 Organization

Following a brief discussion on proposed rule amendments to the rules discussed above, the committee will discuss with the full Board and the AG for official advice of interpretation of Board rule 135-7 Code of Ethics during the scheduled May 7, 2021 meeting date. The committee will continue to review these rules between Board meetings, focusing primarily on the Ethics rule.

**With no additional Board business requiring discussion, the Board meeting was adjourned at 10:18 a.m.**

**\*\*The next Professional Standards Rules Committee meeting is scheduled for May 19, 2021 at 8:30 am.\*\***

Minutes recorded by:

Linsey Joiner, Board Support Specialist

Minutes reviewed and edited by:

Brig Zimmerman, Executive Director, HC-1

**KATHRYN KLOCK-POWELL**

Chair

**BRIG ZIMMERMAN**

Executive Director

Minutes approved **May 7, 2021**