



BEFORE THE STATE OF OREGON
BOARD OF LICENSED SOCIAL WORKERS

In the Matter of	)	Case No. 2021-09
	)	
REBECCA PERDEW, LCSW	)	SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AND
	)	STIPULATED FINAL ORDER OF
Respondent.	)	REPRIMAND

1.

The Board of Licensed Social Workers (hereafter referred to as "Board") is the state agency responsible for licensing, certifying, regulating, and disciplining regulated social workers in the State of Oregon, including but not limited to Licensed Clinical Social Workers, Licensed Master's Social Workers, and Clinical Social Work Associates, pursuant to ORS 675.510 to 675.600 and OAR Chapter 877.

2.

At all times material herein, Rebecca Perdeu, LCSW (hereafter referred to as "Respondent") was licensed as a Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW) from September 19, 2017, to present date in the State of Oregon and subject to the full jurisdiction of the Board.

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3.1 On November 30, 2021, the Board received a written complaint from client B.O., stating that Respondent violated professional standards for an LCSW by having engaged in Counter Transference during a clinical session. The Board conducted an investigation.

3.2 Respondent entered into a therapeutic relationship and began providing clinical social work services within the meaning of ORS 675.510(2) and OAR 877-001-006(4) to client B.O. on March 25, 2020. Respondent had treatment sessions with B.O. on a weekly basis via telephone or video calls until B.O. ended the therapeutic relationship on or about September 28, 2021 after their final session.

3.3 On September 28, 2021, while reviewing materials provided prior to the session, B.O. voiced disagreements with the materials and the source in general. The Respondent reacted with an emotional response that Respondent apologized for and described as “getting triggered,” and being “activated,” in her response. Respondent also disclosed personal opinions and comments that eventually led to client harm and mistrust of the therapeutic process for B.O.

3.4 On October 11, 2021, after two (2) weeks of reflection on the incident, B.O. made the decision to cease further treatment due to the harm caused by Respondent's counter transference in their session on September 28, 2021.

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Based on the above, the Board finds and concludes, and Respondent admits, that Respondent engaged in unprofessional conduct in violation of OAR 877-030-0070(2)(3).

5.

Respondent and the Board desire to resolve this matter pursuant to ORS 183.417(3) by issuance of the stipulated Final Order below that provides for a Letter of Reprimand under the authority of ORS 675.540, ORS 675.595(6), and other applicable authority.

6.

Respondent understands, acknowledges, stipulates, and agrees to the following:

- 6.1** This Settlement Agreement (hereafter “agreement”) and Stipulated Final Order of Reprimand (hereafter “Order”) will be submitted to the Board for approval and is subject to and conditioned upon approval by the full Board. If approved and adopted by the Board, the Order may be issued and entered.
- 6.2** Respondent voluntarily agrees to and accepts a LETTER OF REPRIMAND to be issued by the Board pursuant to the Order for the violations herein above in Paragraph 4, pursuant to ORS 675.540 and 675.595(6).
- 6.3** The Order below, once issued, is a Final Order.

and reported in accordance with ORS 676.175(5)(a)(D), OAR 877-040-0050, and Oregon Public Records Law.

6.5 The Order in no way limits or prevents further remedies, sanctions, or actions which may be available to the Board under Oregon law for conduct or actions of Respondent not covered by the Order, or against a party not covered by the Order.

6.6 Respondent has fully read the Order and understands it completely. Respondent has consulted with an attorney regarding the Order, and has been fully advised in regards thereto, or waives any and all rights to consult with an attorney prior to stipulating to issuance of the Order.

6.7 Respondent stipulates to issuance of the Order voluntarily and without any force or duress. Respondent states that no promises or representation not stated herein have been made, to induce Respondent to stipulate to issuance of the Order.

6.8 Respondent understands that Respondent has the right to notice and a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedures Act (ORS Chapter 183), and fully and finally waives any and all such rights and any rights to appeal or otherwise challenge the Order.

IT IS SO STIPULATED AND AGREED TO this 7th day of April, 2026, by:

SIGNATURE ON FILE

Rebecca Perdew, MSW, LCSW (*Respondent*)

FINAL ORDER

7.

NOW, THEREFORE, based on the stipulations by CELESTE BASKETT above, and pursuant to ORS 183.417(3), 675.533, 675.540, and 675.595, OAR Chapter 877 Division 15, and other applicable authority, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that:

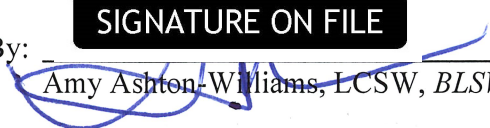
7.1 The above stipulations submitted by Respondent are accepted and incorporated herein by this reference.

1 7.2 A Letter of Reprimand shall be issued to Respondent for the above violations, pursuant to
2 ORS 678.540, 675.595(6), and other applicable authority.

3 **IT IS SO ORDERED** this 24th day of April, 2026.



BOARD OF LICENSED SOCIAL WORKERS
State of Oregon

By:  **SIGNATURE ON FILE**
Amy Ashton-Williams, LCSW, *BLSW Board Chair*

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