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STATE OF WISCONSIN  
BEFORE THE SOCIAL WORKER SECTION OF THE EXAMINING BOARD OF  
MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPY, PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING AND SOCIAL  
WORK

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	:	
FOR SOCIAL WORKER TRAINING	:	
CERTIFICATE	:	ORDER RESCINDING DENIAL
	:	OF APPLICATION
	:	
BETHANY JULIEN,	:	
APPLICANT.	:	

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To: Bethany Julien  
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Ladysmith, WI 54848

On July 22, 2013, the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services date-stamped receipt of an application for Social Worker Training Certificate submitted by Bethany Julien. By letter dated December 5, 2013, the Social Worker Section of the Examining Board of Marriage and Family Therapy, Professional Counseling and Social Work (the "Section") denied Ms. Julien's application for Social Worker Training Certificate for the following reason:

Failure to provide sufficient evidence of meeting the social worker training certificate degree requirements. Specifically, your degree does not qualify as "another human service program approved by the section."

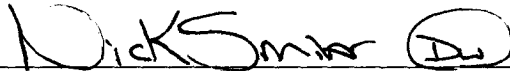
On December 20, 2013, the Department received a letter from Ms. Julien requesting a hearing on the denial of her application. Ms. Julien asked the Section to reconsider her application based on her representation that her degree does qualify as "another human service program approved by the section." Ms. Julien was granted a hearing on February 4, 2014, pursuant to the authority granted in Wis. Stat. chs. 15 and 457, Wis. Stat. § 227.44, and Wis. Admin. Code chs. MPSW 3 and SPS 1.

Ms. Julien appeared telephonically at the hearing and provided testimony and additional documentation in support of her application and request for hearing. The Section reviewed and considered all available information and/or evidence related to Ms. Julien's application. Based on its review and consideration of all available information and/or evidence, the Section determined that Ms. Julien's application should be allowed to remain open and proceed pending the submission of additional information that may prove favorable to her application. As such, the Section decided to rescind its earlier decision to deny Ms. Julien's application for Social Worker Training Certificate. The Section therefore makes the following:

ORDER

The denial of the application of BETHANY JULIEN for SOCIAL WORKER TRAINING CERTIFICATE is hereby RESCINDED. The application of Ms. Julien remains open and pending until further action is taken by Ms. Julien and/or the Section.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin this 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 2014.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nick Smith", followed by a circled "D". The signature is written over a horizontal line.

Member, Social Worker Section of the  
Examining Board of Marriage and Family Therapy,  
Professional Counseling and Social Work