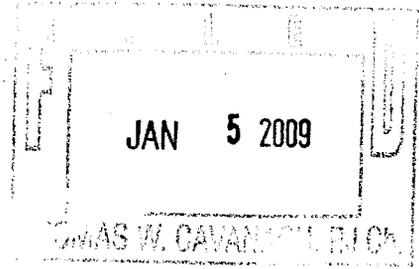


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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
CHANCERY DIVISION: MONMOUTH COUNTY
DOCKET NO. C-184-08

ANNE MILGRAM, ATTORNEY :
GENERAL OF NEW JERSEY; DAVID :
SZUCHMAN, DIRECTOR OF THE NEW :
JERSEY DIVISION OF CONSUMER :
AFFAIRS; and THE PROFESSIONAL :
COUNSELOR EXAMINERS COMMITTEE :
OF THE NEW JERSEY STATE :
BOARD OF MARRIAGE AND :
FAMILY THERAPY EXAMINERS, :
Plaintiffs, :
v. :
DAVID A. SINGER, :
Defendant. :

Civil Action

ORDER WITH
PERMANENT RESTRAINTS

This matter was opened to the Court, by Plaintiffs, Anne
Milgram, Attorney General of New Jersey, the New Jersey Division
of Consumer Affairs and the Profession Counselor Examiners

*no opposition received
to form of order*

Committee of the New Jersey State Board of Marriage and Family Therapy Examiners by the filing of an Order to Show Cause, with Verified Complaint, supporting certifications and a Brief seeking permanent restraints.

The Verified Complaint alleged that David A. Singer, who was licensed to practice both professional and rehabilitation counseling in the State of New Jersey from December 19, 1998 until April 6, 2006 entered into a Consent Order with the ~~Professional Counselor Examiners Committee of the New Jersey~~ State Board of Marriage and Family Therapy Examiners on April 6, 2006 voluntarily surrendering with prejudice his licenses to practice professional and rehabilitation counseling in the State of New Jersey. Defendant was ordered and agreed to cease and desist from advertising, offering to engage in or engaging in the practices of professional counseling and rehabilitation counseling in the State of New Jersey. The Verified Complaint alleged that defendant was unlicensed to practice professional and rehabilitation counseling, but nonetheless engaged in professional counseling and/or rehabilitation counseling during March 2008 through April 2008 by offering to perform professional counseling services and performing counseling with a client who described herself as depressed. Defendant maintains offices at 20 Court Street and 2 Crestwood Drive, Freehold, New Jersey.

On December 16, 2008, the parties appeared before the

Honorable Thomas W. Cavanagh, P.J.Ch. Mr. Singer, represented by Simon L. Kaufman, Esq., Lomurro, Davison, Eastman & Munoz, P.A., admitted that he advertised on the internet, yellow pages and professional cards that he was engaging in the practice of professional counseling and/or rehabilitation counseling on at least three (3) occasions after he voluntarily surrendered his license to practice professional and rehabilitation counseling and that such conduct also constitutes the use or employment of ~~misrepresentations. Upon review of the documents submitted, and~~ the admission by Mr. Singer that he advertised on the internet, yellow pages and professional cards that he was engaging in the practice of professional counseling and/or rehabilitation counseling on at least three (3) separate occasions when he was not licensed to practice professional counseling and/or rehabilitation counseling and/or therapy, and the court finding that good cause exists for the entry of the within order.

IT IS on this 5th day of August 2008

ORDERED:

1. Defendant David A. Singer is permanently restrained and permanently enjoined from offering to engage in, engaging in or holding himself out as engaging in the practices of professional counseling and/or rehabilitation counseling and/or any mental health counseling and/or offering to diagnose and treat mental health issues and conditions, including but not limited to stress

counseling and from using any title or designation "professional counselor", L.P.C., "rehabilitation counselor", R.C., "therapist", mental health counselor or any other title denoting licensure pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:8B-34 et seq., or any other statutes or regulations regulating the practice of mental health counseling, unless and until he is duly authorized by the Professional Counselor Examiners Committee of the New Jersey State Board of Marriage and Family Therapy Examiners or another appropriate licensing Board to do so.

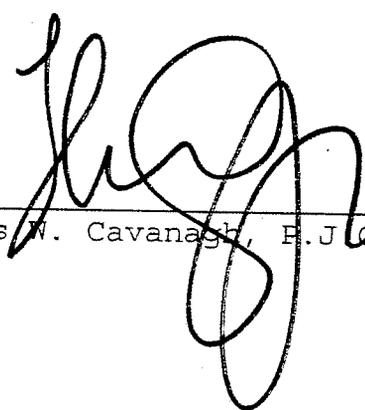
2. Defendant David A. Singer is permanently restrained and permanently enjoined from engaging in any unconscionable commercial practice, fraud, deception, false promise, false pretense or misrepresentation including but not limited to falsely representing himself as a professional counselor, L.P.C., rehabilitation counselor, R.C. and or provider of stress counseling services and/or using any other title implying that he is authorized to practice any type of mental health counseling in violation of the Consumer Fraud Act.

3. Defendant David A. Singer shall pay civil penalties pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-23 and 25 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-13 in the amount of \$ 5,000 to the State of New Jersey by certified check or money order payable to the Treasurer, State of New Jersey which shall be mailed or delivered to Susan C. Berger, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Law and Public Safety, 124

Halsey Street, P.O. Box 45029, Newark, New Jersey 07101 within 180 days from the date of entry of this order.

4. Defendant David A. Singer shall pay costs pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-23 and N.J.S.A. 56:8-11 and 19 in the amount of \$ 9563.59 to the State of New Jersey by certified check or money order payable to the Treasurer, State of New Jersey which shall be mailed or delivered to Susan C. Berger, Deputy Attorney General, Department of Law and Public Safety, 124 Halsey Street, P.O. Box 45029, Newark, New Jersey 07101 within 360 days from the date of entry of this order.

AS PER CERT.



Thomas W. Cavanagh, Esq.

*Reasons
AS PLACED
ON RECORD
12/16/09*