

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
BUREAU OF PROFESSIONAL LICENSING
BOARD OF COUNSELING
DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE

In the Matter of

JOSEPH AARON SCOTT HETHORN, L.P.C.

License No. 64-01-016668

Complaint No. 64-19-154182

ORDER OF SUMMARY SUSPENSION

An administrative complaint has been issued against Respondent under the Public Health Code, 1978 PA 368, as amended; MCL 333.1101 *et seq*, promulgated rules, and the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, as amended; MCL 24.201 *et seq*.

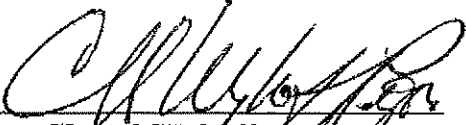
After consideration of the documentation filed in this case and consultation with the Chairperson of the Board of Counseling, the Department concludes that the public health, safety or welfare requires emergency action, as allowed by section 16233(5) of the Public Health Code and section 92(2) of the Administrative Procedures Act.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that Respondent's license to practice counseling in the State of Michigan shall be summarily suspended commencing on the date this order is served.

Under Mich Admin Code, R 792.10702, Respondent has the right to petition for the dissolution of this order of summary suspension. This petition shall clearly state that it is a Petition for Dissolution of Summary Suspension and shall be filed with the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, Bureau of Professional Licensing, P.O. Box 30670, Lansing, Michigan 48909, with a copy served upon the Department of Attorney General, Licensing & Regulation Division, P.O. Box 30758, Lansing, Michigan, 48909. Questions concerning the Order of Summary Suspension may be directed to (517) 373-1146. Upon receipt of such a petition, an administrative hearing will immediately be scheduled before an administrative law

judge, who shall dissolve the order of summary suspension unless sufficient evidence is produced to support a finding that the public health, safety, or welfare requires emergency action and a continuation of the suspension order.

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By: 
Cheryl Wykoff Pezon, Director
Bureau of Professional Licensing

Dated: 08/14/19

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