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Discipline Summary

Daniel Boggess (Elora, ON)

September 9, 2020

Motion Decision

On September 9, 2020, the Discipline Committee granted a consent motion to indefinitely adjourn the discipline hearing of Mr. Daniel Boggess, in relation to a matter in which he was alleged to have engaged in the following acts of professional misconduct:

1. sexual abuse of a client, more specifically, touching of a sexual nature and behavior or remarks of a sexual nature; and/or
2. contravention of a Standard of Practice of the profession or a published standard of the College, or failure to maintain the Standard of Practice of the profession, in particular the Standard for Maintaining Professional Boundaries and Preventing Sexual Abuse and/or the Draping Standard; and/or
3. failure to keep records as required; and/or
4. engaging in conduct or performing an act relevant to the practice of the profession that, having regard to all the circumstances, would reasonably be regarded by registrants as disgraceful, dishonourable or unprofessional.

The Panel granted the request after it was presented with evidence that Mr. Boggess signed an [undertaking](#) to resign and never reapply for registration with the College. Pursuant to that undertaking, the College retains the right to prosecute Mr. Boggess if he breaches its terms. Mr. Boggess also agreed to reimburse the College for funding for therapy and counselling provided for the client under the program required in section 85.7 of the Health Professions Procedural Code, being Schedule 2 to the *Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991*. Mr. Boggess also undertook to post security in the amount of \$2,500.00, to guarantee payment of any funding.

The complete Decisions and Reasons will be available online on the Canadian Legal Information Institute (CanLII) [website](#).