

**IN THE MATTER OF**

**SARAH ELIZABETH KELLY**

**Respondent.**

**License Number: 12677**

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**BEFORE THE MARYLAND**

**STATE BOARD OF SOCIAL**

**WORK EXAMINERS**

**Case Number: 07-1216**

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**ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT**

**WHEREAS**, the Maryland State Board of Social Work Examiners (the "Board") accepted a Public Surrender of License, on September 12, 2008, of Sarah E. Kelly, License Number 12677, to practice social work in the State of Maryland;

**WHEREAS**, on May 11, 2018, the Board having received an application for reinstatement or new Maryland license, the Board hereby approves Ms. Kelly's petition for reinstatement pursuant to the Health Occupations Article ("HO") section 19-314. It is therefore:

**ORDERED**, that effective May 11, 2018, Ms. Kelly's license shall be **REINSTATED**; and it is further

**ORDERED** that Ms. Kelly shall comply with the following specific terms and conditions as follows:

1. Ms. Kelly's practice shall be supervised, at her own expense, by a Board-approved licensed certified clinical social worker with experience and expertise in the field.
  - (a) The supervising social worker shall notify the Board in writing of his/her acceptance of the supervisory role of Ms. Kelly.
  - (b) The supervision shall continue monthly for the entire three-year probationary period and must include discussion about responsibilities to clients, dual relationships and standards of practice.

- (c) The supervisor shall meet with Ms. Kelly on a monthly basis and submit quarterly reports to the Board.
- (d) Ms. Kelly is solely responsible for ensuring that the supervising counselor submits the required quarterly reports.
- (e) The Board has sole authority over any changes in supervision and must approve and ratify any changes in supervision; and it is further


**ORDERED** that the Board reserves the right to review and reassess the frequency of Ms. Kelly's supervision each year; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that if Ms. Kelly fails to comply with the aforementioned terms and conditions, the Board may, after notice of the alleged noncompliance and a hearing, and a determination of a violation, may impose any disciplinary sanction it deems appropriate under HO § 19-311, said violation being proved by a preponderance of the evidence; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that Ms. Kelly shall petition the Board for full reinstatement of her Maryland social work license, provided that, at that time, Ms. Kelly has fully satisfied the conditions stated herein, is not under investigation, or no charges have been issued against her; and it is further

**ORDERED**, that this a Final Order of the Maryland State Board of Social Work Examiners and as such is a **PUBLIC DOCUMENT** pursuant to Md. Code Ann., State Gov't Art., §§ 10-611, *et seq.*

5/11/2018  
Date

  
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Denise Capaci, LCSW-C, Chair  
Maryland State Board of Social  
Work Examiners