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Lorne J. Malkiewich, Director Legislative Council Bureau 401 S. Carson St. Carson City, NV 89701

Dear. Mr. Malkiewich,

Pursuant to SB420, The Board of Examiners for Alcohol and Drug Abuse Counselors is submitting the required quarterly disciplinary report for October 1, 2002 through December 31, 2002.

During the quarter the Board, received an additional 5 allegations. On December 31, 2002 the Board records reflect 22 active allegation files

Five allegations were dismissed upon reviewing the investigators findings. Six allegations were placed in a pending status as the individuals allowed their certificates to lapse/expire.

In lieu of hearings the Board entered into 1 consent decree, clearing 1 allegation. Attached is a summary of the consent decrees entered into. Please feel free to call me if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR ALCOHOL

& DRUG ABUSE COUNSELORS

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Sharon Atkinson
Executive Director

**Enclosure** 

Consent Decree Summary for the Period of 10/1/02 to 12/31/02:

Consent Decree in the Matter of Robert Predmore, LADC 886L, Case # ALCO -029-01 Approved by the Board October 9, 2002

The decree stipulated to the following alleged offense(s).

The Board received a complaint against Respondent alleging that he had suffered a relapse, which if proven is a violation of applicable sections of Chapter 641C of the Nevada Revised Statutes and Chapter 641C of the Nevada Administrative Code.

The stipulation form of discipline was as follows:

The Board is prepared to commence formal disciplinary proceedings regarding the complaint, and the Respondent is prepared to defend against the allegations. However, the parties desire to compromise and settle the matter upon the following terms and conditions;

- 1) Respondent must voluntarily surrender his license for two years following the effective date of this agreement. This surrender is not considered a suspension.
- 2) Prior to the end of the two-year period Respondent may apply to the Board for reinstatement of his license and at that time must show proof satisfactory to the Board that he has successfully recovered from any relapse that he may have experienced;
- 3) Respondent must pay \$100 to the Board to partially defray the cost of the investigation. This payment is not considered a fine.
- 4) If Respondent fails to perform as agreed his license shall be automatically suspended and shall remain suspended indefinitely until the performance is completed. Such automatic suspension occurs without any affirmative act by the Board. If the license is suspended for non-performance of this agreement, Respondent further agrees to pay \$300 to the Board to defray the costs of the investigation and of this settlement:
- 5) In addition to the suspension, the Board may initiate collection proceedings for failure to pay these costs, and the Board may initiate disciplinary proceedings regarding the allegations if the Board determines that it should consider the question of whether the suspension is adequate discipline in this matter.

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