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The Honorable Nikki R. Haley
Office of the Governor
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Columbia, S.C. 29201

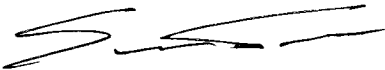
**RE: Resignation from Board of Examiners for Licensure of Professional Counselors,
Marriage and Family Therapists, and Psycho-Educational Specialists**

Dear Governor Haley:

Although it has been a great honor to serve as a member of the Board of Examiners, I must respectfully resign effective immediately. I find that there are several areas of my personal and professional life that need more of my immediate time and attention, and so I must prioritize my activities.

Thank you for selecting me for this opportunity to be of service to my profession.

Sincerely,



Samer G. Touma, LPC

Cc: Danny L. Garrett, LMFT