

**LOUISIANA BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR
SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY**

**IN THE MATTER OF
ANNA KATE HAMAN**

**LICENSE NO. 8711
COMPLAINT NO. 2023-04**

**SECOND
CONSENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER**

WHEREAS, Anna Kate Haman is licensed as a Provisional Speech-Language Pathologist, identified by license number 8711, subject to the jurisdiction, *Practice Act*, and *Rules and Regulations*, of the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology (hereinafter sometimes referred to as "Board"); and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Consent Agreement and Order signed by the Board on December 2, 2022, Ms. Haman **violated the terms of the Consent Agreement and Order by failing to obtain pre-approval for the 10 hours of continuing education, as required by the Consent Agreement and Order.** Failure to comply with the Consent Agreement and Order is a violation of the Louisiana Revised Statutes, Title 37, Chapter 34; Section 2662 and in violation of the Louisiana Administrative Code's Professional and Occupational Standards (Title 46) for Speech Pathology and Audiology (Part LXXV).

WHEREAS, Ms. Haman has indicated her desire to resolve this matter through a Consent Agreement and Order as provided for in Rule No. 501(J) of the Board's Rules and Regulations and LA R.S. 49:955(D) of the Louisiana Administrative Procedures Act;

WHEREAS, Anna Kate Haman has admitted to the following:

1. Pertinent to the facts and matters alleged herein, Ms. Haman signed the original Consent Agreement and Order on September 13, 2022, whereby she agreed to follow the terms of the Consent Agreement and Order.

2. While she completed additional continuing education hours that she submitted with the renewal of her license, she failed to obtain the pre-approval required in the signed Consent Agreement and Order.

WHEREAS, Ms. Haman has violated her professional and ethical duty as set out in Louisiana Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Practice Act LA R.S. 2662 by violating the terms of a signed Agreement with the Board.

WHEREAS, the Board is persuaded that it is in the best interest of the public to enter into this Consent Agreement and Order, the conditions of which are set forth hereafter; and

WHEREAS, Anna Kate Haman hereby formally waives any and all legal, administrative, procedural, or judicial remedies, appeals, or relief which might be available under the Administrative Procedure Act, the Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Act, or any other law or statute;

WHEREAS, the Board and Anna Kate Haman have entered into this Second Consent Agreement and Order, which replaces the original Consent Agreement and Order, by which the Board agrees to grant Ms. Haman's Provisional Speech-Language Pathology license, after the suspension period has ended, in resolution of this issue, given the following stipulations. Ms. Haman agrees to accept the following specified conditions in resolution of this matter.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that in consideration of the foregoing and pursuant to the authority vested in the Board by LA R.S. 49:955(D), the Board orders and Anna Kate Haman accepts the following administrative action which is a final decision pursuant to the LA R.S. 49:958:

1. Ms. Haman's Provisional Speech-Language Pathology license was suspended by the Board on July 21, 2023 and will remain suspended through August 31, 2023.
2. Ms. Haman shall pay the remaining fine from the original Consent Agreement and Order in the amount of \$750.00 by December 2, 2023. Quarterly payments are required, with the next payment due as scheduled on September 2, 2023.
3. Ms. Haman shall pay an additional administrative fine in the amount of \$500.00 within six (6) months from the date all parties sign this Consent Agreement and Order. Quarterly payments are required with the first payment due within 90 days from the date that all parties sign this Consent Agreement and Order.
4. Ms. Haman shall repeat the 9 months (36 weeks) of post-graduate professional employment/experience under the supervision of a Speech-Language Pathologist, in accordance with the Rules and Regulations, Section 125, as per the original Consent Agreement and Order.
5. Ms. Haman shall complete an additional 10 hours of continuing education in the areas of supervision and recordkeeping. All courses must be pre-approved by the board PRIOR to completion. Certificates of completion must be submitted by August 31, 2023. These continuing education hours are in addition to those required for the renewal of licensure.
6. Ms. Haman is to be Publicly Reprimanded for violation of the Consent Agreement and Order. Such reprimand shall include publication by the Louisiana Board of

Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, notification to the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) and Louisiana Speech-Language-Hearing Association (LSHA), as well as the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB).

7. Ms. Haman waives any and all legal, procedural, or judicial remedies, appeals, or relief which might be available under the Administrative Procedure Act, and the statutory and procedural rules of the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology.
8. Ms. Haman specifically acknowledges that failure to comply with the terms of this Consent Agreement and Order in a timely manner without LBESPA's authorization shall result in further **SUSPENSION** of licensure without further notice until such time as the Board receives and accepts documentation of Ms. Haman's completion of the requirements set forth above. The admissions contained herein, will be considered proven and the only issue will be failure to follow the terms of the Consent Agreement and Order.
9. Failure to comply with the terms of this Consent Agreement and Order will result in further publication by the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology, and notification to the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA), Louisiana Speech-Language-Hearing Association (LSHA), and the National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB).

THIS CONSENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER is a matter of public record for violation of the above referenced sections of the Louisiana Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Practice Act and the Rules and Regulations.

IN WITNESS HEREOF, the Louisiana Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology has entered into this Consent Agreement and Order and executed same at Prairieville, Louisiana on this 1st day of December, 2023.

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Chair

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Erica Chatelain
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Vice Chair

Deanna Hardy
Secretary/Treasurer

Courtney Cheek Conrilton
Board Member

IN WITNESS HEREOF, Anna Kate Haman, Provisional Speech-Language Pathologist, has entered into this Consent Agreement and Order and executed same at Monroe, Louisiana, on this 27th day of July, 2023.

Anna Kate Haman
Anna Kate Haman

[Signature]
Notary

NOTARIZATION REQUIRED

