North Carolina Board of Licensed Professional Counselors 2016 – 2017

1. Address of Board, and the names of its members and officers:

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Board members after June 30, 2016:

Angela R. McDonald, LPCS, Chair and Educational Reviewer

David S. King, LPCS, Vice-Chair

Wayne Mixon, Secretary-Treasurer and Public Member

Katherine H. Glenn, LPCS, Ethics Chair

Kyla M. Kurian, LPC Jennifer N. Bressler, LPC

The Reverend George H. Greer, Public Member

1a. The total number of licensees supervised by the board:

8858

N/A*

2. The number of persons who applied to the board for examination:

3. The number who were refused examination:

N/A*

4. The number who took the examination:

498*

- * Per 21 NCAC 53 .0305, one of the requirements for licensure is that applicants shall take and pass one of the following examinations: the National Counselor Examination (NCE), the National Clinical Mental Health Counselor Examination (NCMHCE), the Certified Rehabilitation Counselor Examination (CRC), or another examination administered by other state counselor licensing boards and professional counselor credentialing associations if the Board determines that such examinations are equivalent to the NCE, NCMHCE, or CRC. Since the examinations are administered by external sources, the Board does not require applicants to apply to the board for examination and does not refuse examination. Based on licensure application and examination data from 2016-2017, 498 examinations were completed.
- 5. The number to whom initial licenses were issued:

1,273

5a. The number who failed the examination:

188**

- ** As explained in the note above, examinations are administered by external sources. The Board does not approve or refuse examination. As a result, the Board only receives notification of failed examinations if an applicant indicates to an external source, at the time of exam registration, that they are taking the for the purpose of North Carolina state licensure.
- 6. The number who applied for license by reciprocity or comity:

20

7. The number who were granted licenses by reciprocity or comity:

14

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7a.	The number of official complaints received involving licensed and unlicensed activities:		63
7b.	The number of disciplinary actions taken against licensees, or other taken against non-licensees, including injunctive relief:	actions	7
8.	The number of licenses suspended or revoked:	3 (2 Revoked; 1 Suspended)	
9.	The number of licenses terminated for any reason other than failure to pay the required renewal fee:		0
10.	. The substance of any anticipated request by the occupational licensing board to the General Assembly to amend statutes related to the occupational licensing board.		N/A
11.	The substance of any anticipated change in rules adopted by the oc board or the substance of any anticipated adoption of new rules by licensing board.	1	N/A