

STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

BOARD: Psychological Examiners
CASE NUMBER: 0052403
COMPLAINT MADE BY: Board of Psychological Examiners
DATE COMPLAINT RECEIVED: October 10, 1984
Ft. Walton Beach Office
COMPLAINT MADE AGAINST: Keith L. Frakes
808 Iris Drive
Sterling, CO. 80751
REVIEWED BY: Julia P. Forrester
STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Dismiss PL 18

CLOSING ORDER

THE COMPLAINT: Holding self out as a psychologist without proper licensure.

THE FACTS: Subject was denied licensure as a psychologist in the State of Florida. However, a telephone directory in Panama City listed him under the heading "psychologist", with his advertisement indicating "clinical psychology, marriage and family counseling, licensed psychologist".

The investigation revealed that Subject was working at Psychological Services until the early part of 1984. His associates, Dr. Cartwright and Dr. Hord, confirmed that Subject never held himself out as a psychologist and indicated that the telephone directory listing had been made in error. Drs. Cartwright and Hord were unable to identify the source of the directory advertisement. The subsequent telephone directory did delete reference to Subject. Subject has relocated to Colorado.

THE LAW: Although an advertisement did appear in violation of Chapter 490, Florida Statutes, the advertisement has been stopped and any potential unlicensed activity has been stopped.

Accordingly, this case should be dismissed.

DONE and ORDERED this 28 day of January, 1985.

Fred Roche
FRED ROCHE, Secretary

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