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**Meeting Notice**  
**MISSOURI STATE COMMITTEE OF MARITAL AND FAMILY THERAPISTS**  
**August 30, 2012, 8:00 a.m.**  
**Telephone Conference Call**  
**Telephone Number – 573-526-5712**  
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**Division of Professional Registration**  
**3605 Missouri Boulevard – Jefferson City, Missouri**

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Except to the extent disclosure is otherwise required by law, the Missouri State Committee of Marital and Family Therapists is authorized to close meetings, records and votes, to the extent they relate to the following: Chapter 610.021 subsections (1), (3), (5), (7), (13), (14), and Chapter 324.001.8 and 324.001.9 RSMo.

The State Committee may convene in closed session at any time during the meeting. If the meeting is closed, the appropriate section will be announced to the public, with the motion and vote recorded in open session minutes. Please see attached agenda for this meeting.

Attachment

## **Tentative Open Agenda**

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Call to Order

Roll Call

- 1 Approval of Open Session Agenda
- 2 Open Session Minutes
  - June 28, 2012
- 3 CACREP and COAMFTE Approved programs
- 4 Meeting Schedule

Motion to Close

Convene in closed session pursuant to sections 610.021 subsection (14), 324.001.8 and 324.001.9 RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and/or complaints and/or audits and/or other information pertaining to the licensee or applicant, section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussing general legal actions, causes of action or litigation and any confidential or privileged communications between this agency and its attorney, and for the purpose of reviewing and approving closed meeting minutes of one or more previous meetings under the subsections of 610.021 RSMo which authorized this agency to go into closed session during those meetings.

Adjournment

**OPEN SESSION MINUTES**  
**Missouri State Committee of Marital & Family Therapists**  
**August 30, 2012 – 8:00 A.M**  
**Missouri Division of Professional Registration**  
**3605 Missouri Boulevard – Jefferson City, Missouri**

At 8:03 a.m., the Missouri State Committee of Marital and Family Therapists conference call meeting was called to order by Dr. Teri Loney, Chairperson at the Division of Professional Registration. The executive director facilitated roll call.

**State Committee Members Present**

Dr. Teri Loney Chairperson  
Ted Estes  
Dianne Modrell, Public Member  
Greg Roberts, Public Member

**Staff Present**

Loree Kessler, Executive Director  
Sarah Becker, Processing Technician II

**Visitors**

Monica Leiser, MOAMFT  
Brian Milner, MOAMFT

Dr. Loney stated she would be voting in open and closed session.

A motion was made by Mr. Estes and seconded by Ms. Modrell to approve the open session agenda. State committee members voting aye: Dr. Loney, Ms. Modrell, Mr. Estes, and Mr. Roberts. Motion carried unanimously.

A motion was made by Ms. Modrell and seconded by Mr. Estes to approve the June 28, 2012 open minutes. State committee members voting aye: Dr. Loney, Ms. Modrell, Mr. Estes, and Mr. Roberts. Motion carried unanimously.

**CACREP & COAMFTE Programs**

A motion was made by Mr. Estes and seconded by Ms. Modrell to proceed with drafting regulatory language recognizing COAMFTE and CACREP accredited programs in marital and family therapy/counseling. State committee members voting aye: Dr. Loney, Ms. Modrell, Mr. Estes, and Mr. Roberts. Motion carried unanimously.

The state committee requested any feedback from MOAMFT and Ms. Leiser indicated the association supported the state committee's effort.

The state committee tentatively scheduled a conference call for 8:00 a.m., October 18, 2012.

At 8:18 a.m., a motion was made by Mr. Estes and seconded by Ms. Modrell to Convene in closed session pursuant to sections 610.021 subsection (14), 324.001.8 and 324.001.9 RSMo for the purpose of discussing investigative reports and/or complaints and/or audits and/or other

information pertaining to the licensee or applicant, section 610.021 subsection (1) RSMo for the purpose of discussing general legal actions, causes of action or litigation and any confidential or privileged communications between this agency and its attorney, and for the purpose of reviewing and approving closed meeting minutes of one or more previous meetings under the subsections of 610.021 RSMo which authorized this agency to go into closed session during those meetings. State committee members voting aye: Dr. Loney, Ms. Modrell, Mr. Estes, and Mr. Roberts. Motion carried unanimously.

At 8:59 a.m., a motion was made by Ms. Modrell and seconded by Mr. Estes to convene in open session and adjourn the conference call meeting. State committee members voting aye: Dr. Loney, Ms. Modrell, Mr. Estes, and Mr. Roberts. Motion carried unanimously.



Executive Director

Approved by State Committee on October 18, 2012