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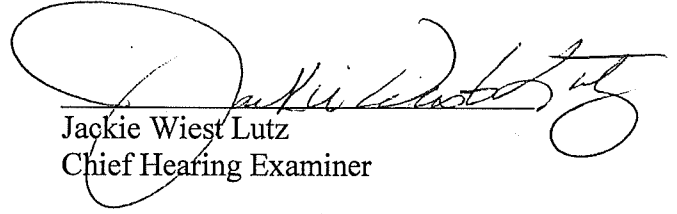
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs Petitioner, v. Richard Scott Lenhart, Ph. D., Respondent.	Docket No. 1848-63-12 File No. 11-63-00950
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**ORDER CONTINUING IMMEDIATE
TEMPORARY SUSPENSION**

AND NOW, this 30th day of November, 2012, upon consideration of the testimony and documentary evidence presented at the preliminary hearing in this matter, which established a prima facie case supporting the allegations in the Commonwealth's *Petition for Immediate Temporary Suspension*, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the immediate temporary suspension of the license to practice psychology in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania issued to Richard Scott Lenhart, Ph.D., License No. PS-006795L, as ordered by the Probable Cause Screening Committee of the State Board of Psychology on November 5, 2012, shall remain in effect until otherwise ordered by the Board, but in no event longer than 180 days, as required by the Professional Psychologists Practice Act, Act of March 23, 1972, P.L. 136, No. 52, *as amended*, 63 P.S. §§ 1201 *et seq.*, at section 8(d), 63 P.S. § 1208(d).

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