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As the local Social Work board, we acknowledge that we have received and reviewed the report released by the ASWB in August 2022. ASWB adheres to industry standards in the rigours development, administration, scoring and maintenance of the SW licensing examinations. We also recognize there is more work to be done via further data disaggregation, further research and understanding of factors that contribute to issues with the exam with cross-collaboration between CSWE, BPD, NASW and other professional Social Work bodies. We as a regulatory board are carefully monitoring developments around this.


As an ASWB member, the Alabama State Board of Social Work Examiners asks that all social work organizations assess and reveal their own relevant data in the spirit of ASWB's recent examination data release. ASWB looks forward to collaborating with all social work organizations as they assess and understand their respective roles in social work and social work regulation.

ASWB welcomes inquiries about the examination program and the data release and is taking action to advance diversity, equity, and inclusion in numerous ways.


Please visit www.aswb.org/exam/exams-for-the-future-of-social-work/ for more details.

Sincerely,

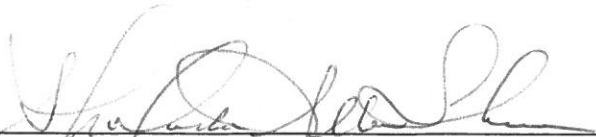
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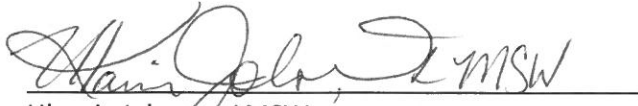


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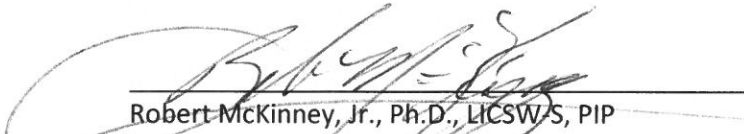



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