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VIRGIN ISLANDS BOARD OF LICENSED COUNSELORS & EXAMINERS ANNOUNCES LIFT ON MORATORIUM & NEW APPLICATION PROCESS

(U.S. Virgin Islands) – The Department of Licensing and Consumer Affairs (DLCA) Virgin Islands Board of Licensed Counselors & Examiners, through its Chairperson, Dr. Vincentia Paul-Constantin, Ph.D., LPC, has lifted the temporary hold on the processing of applications and issuance of new licenses in the territory.

The Board will resume the review of applications submitted prior to the moratorium announced on September 20, 2021, at its regularly scheduled monthly Board Meeting on January 27, 2022. New applications dated after September 20, 2021, will need to be submitted to the Center for Credentialing & Education (CCE) Global at (www.cce-global.org) for education & application review.

CCE Global is a not-for-profit organization created in 1995 as an affiliate of the National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC), CCE credentials nearly 25,000 practitioners globally in a variety of fields. Website links & updated application process can be found at the DLCA website (www.dlca.vi.gov).

We appreciate the community's support as we work to continue to fulfill our mission to regulate the practice of counseling in the territory and protect public safety through the delivery of ethically sound mental health services to our residents. Should you have any questions, you may contact the Office of Boards and Commissions at 340-713-3522, ext. 3251.