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MICHAEL FERGUSON, et al.,  
  
Plaintiffs,  
  
-vs-  
  
JONAH, etc., et al.,  
  
Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
LAW DIVISION - HUDSON COUNTY  
Docket No. L-5473-12

Civil Action

**CERTIFICATION OF  
CHRISTOPHER H. ROSIK, Ph.D.**

I, Christopher H. Rosik, certify:

1. I am a licensed clinical psychologist and current president of the National Association for Research and Therapy of Homosexuality. A true and correct copy of my curriculum vitae is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

2. I have reviewed the Certification of Michelle M. Cretella, M.D., filed in support of defendants' motion to dismiss plaintiffs' complaint as well as the endnotes attached to it as Exhibit 2.

3. As described on the American Public University website, “[P]eer review’ is an academic term for quality control. Articles and papers in peer-reviewed journals were closely inspected before they were accepted for publication--generally by a panel of reviewers who are experts on the topic (that is, the author’s professional peers...hence the term peer review). Reviewers look for proper use of research methods, significance of the article’s contribution to the existing literature, and respectful integration of previous authors’ work on the topic in any discussion.” (See <http://apus.libanswers.com/a.php?qid=5312>, last accessed July 2, 2013.)

4. Articles and papers published in peer-reviewed journals are cited by Dr. Cretella in her Certification at the following endnotes: 3 (*Archives of Sexual Behavior*, *Biological Psychology*, *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, *American Journal of Sociology*), 13 (*Developmental Psychology*), 14 (*Archives of Sexual Behavior*), 15 (*Archives of Sexual Behavior*), 22 (*Journal of Mental Health*), 23 (*Professional Psychology: Research and Practice*), 24 (*Archives of Sexual Behavior*), 28 (*Journal of Sex and Marital Therapy*) 29 (*Journal of Men’s Studies*), 30 (*Psychological Reports*).

5. The American Psychological Association and American Psychiatric Association documents cited by Dr. Cretella at endnotes 6 and 10 do not represent original research but are generally understood to be based on the most recent studies.

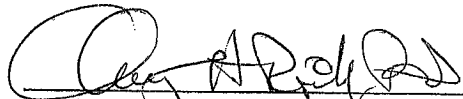
6. Although I am not personally familiar with some of the older texts cited by Dr. Cretella, I can attest that books cited in endnotes 4 (*The Language of God*), 9 (*Essential*

*Psychopathology and Its Treatment*), 18 (*Destructive Trends in Mental Health*), and 28 (*Ex-Gays? A Longitudinal Study of Religiously Mediated Change in Sexual Orientation*) currently are well-respected in the professional mental health field. While the Jones and Yarhouse study cited in endnote 28 is indisputably controversial, it certainly represents topnotch research.

7. I find the research and analysis set out in Dr. Cretella's Certification to be well-done and her conclusions well-founded.

I certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true. I am aware that if any of the foregoing statements made by me are willfully false, I am subject to punishment.

Dated: July 3, 2013

  
Christopher H. Rosik, Ph.D.

# Christopher Hastings Rosik

## Curriculum Vitae

### I. Education.

- B. A. University of Oregon (Honors college), Eugene, Oregon, 1980 (psychology).  
M.A. Fuller Theological Seminary, Pasadena, California, 1984 (theological studies).  
Ph.D. Fuller Graduate School of Psychology, Pasadena, California, 1986 (clinical psychology - APA approved program).

### II. Honors.

- Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha of Oregon, 1980.  
Outstanding Work in DID/SRA Award, Christian Society for the Healing of Dissociative Disorders, 1996.  
Exemplary Paper in Humility Theology Award, John Templeton Foundation, 1998.  
Sigmund Freud Award, NARTH, 2003

### III. Professional Experiences.

- 9/85 - 8/ 86 Clinical psychology intern, Camarillo State Hospital, Camarillo, California (APA approved internship).  
11/86 - 5/88 Postdoctoral intern, Link Care Center, Fresno, California.  
5/88 - Present Licensed clinical psychologist, Link Care Center, Fresno, California.  
11/94 - 6/96 Assistant Clinical Director, Link Care Center, Fresno, California.  
7/96 - 12/99 Clinical Director, Link Care Center, Fresno, California.  
1/01 - Present Adjunct Faculty, Fresno Pacific University  
1/05 - Present Director of Research, Link Care Center, Fresno, California

### IV. Professional Affiliations.

- 1/84 - Present Member, American Psychological Association.  
1/86 - Present Member, Christian Association for Psychological Studies (CAPS).  
6/90 - 6/93 Member, board of directors, CAPS-Western region.  
1/92 - Present Member, International Society for the Study of Dissociation.  
7/99 - Present Member, National Association for Research and Therapy of Homosexuality (NARTH).  
6/01 - 5/05 President-Elect, President, and Past-President, CAPS-Western Region.  
11/10-Present President-Elect and President, NARTH.

### V. Selected Publications.

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