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PERMISSION TO TEST AND EXCHANGE INFORMATION
(PART A)

Consent for testing and exchange of information is required of all clients or their legal guardian. Within the purview of the Florida Public Records Law (119 F.S.), I will safeguard your confidentiality. In addition, your relationship with me will not be revealed to anyone without your prior written consent. However, under certain conditions, I am legally and ethically obligated to release information about a client whether or not the client approves. These conditions include the following:

1. Suspected abuse (physical, sexual, or neglect) of children, the aged, and the disabled: As a licensed school psychologist, I am required by law to report suspected abuse to the Florida Department of Children and Families.
2. Potential homicide or suicide: In instances where a client threatens homicide, I may have to notify the intended victim and police. Likewise, if a client is thought to be at risk for suicide, family and/or authorities will need to be notified in order to protect the individual.
3. Court-orders: I must release a client's records if a judge issues a court order compelling me to do so.

Payment for this evaluation (\$950.00) is due on the day of the evaluation unless other arrangements have been made. You may pay by credit card or by check or money order, payable to Melanie L. Watson, or exact amount in cash.

_____ By initializing here, I certify that I have read and understand the above information and its relevance to my child's referral.