1 2 3	BEFORE THE TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OREGON
4 5 6 7	In the Matter of the) DEFAULT ORDER OF Teaching License of) REPRIMAND) JOHN DAVID ADAMSON)
8	On December 14, 2010, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission
9	(Commission) issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to John David Adamson
10	(Adamson) in which the Commission charged him with Gross Neglect of Duty pursuant
11	to OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates OAR 584-050-0010(5), and OAR 584-
12	020-0040(4)(d). The Notice was sent via U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail
13	Receipt 7010 0290 0001 6831 4916 to the address on file with the Commission. The
14	Certified Mail was signed for by John Adamson on December 16, 2010. The Notice of
15	Opportunity of Hearing, dated December 14, 2010, and signed by Victoria Chamberlain,
16	Executive Director, stated:
17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24	"IF A REQUEST FOR HEARING IS NOT RECEIVED WITHIN THIS 21-DAY PERIOD, YOUR RIGHT TO A HEARING SHALL BE CONSIDERED WAIVED UNLESS YOUR FAILURE TO REQUEST A HEARING WAS BEYOND YOUR REASONABLE CONTROL. IF YOU DO NOT REQUEST A HEARING OR IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT A HEARING, THE COMMISSION WILL ADOPT AN ORDER OF DEFAULT WHICH MAY INCLUDE THE REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION OF YOUR LICENSE OR OTHER DISCIPLINE."
25	Adamson did not request a hearing. The Commission, therefore, finds Adamson to be
26	in default and enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and order, based
27	on the files and records of the Commission concerning this matter.
28	FINDINGS OF FACT
29	1. John David Adamson has been licensed as a teacher in Oregon since March 13,
30	1981. His current Substitute Teaching License, issued on November 19, 2008, is
31	valid until November 18, 2011. During all relevant times, Adamson substitute taught
32	at the North Bend School District.

1	2. On May 24, 2009, Adamson became angry with a student who was not complying
2	with his instructions. Adamson pushed the student into a sitting positing outside the
3	classroom. In so doing Adamson shoved the student into the lockers in the hallway.
4	CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
5	John David Adamson's conduct described in paragraph 2 above constitutes
6	gross neglect of duty in violation of ORS 342.175(1)(b); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it
7	incorporates OAR 584-020-0010(5) (Use professional judgment), OAR 584-020-
8	0025(2)(a) (Establishing and maintaining classroom management that is conducive to
9	learning);and OAR 584-020-0040(4)(d) (Unreasonable physical force against students,
10	fellow employees, or visitors to the school, except as permitted under ORS 339.250).
11	The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon
12	ORS 342.175.
13	FINAL ORDER
14	The Commission hereby imposes a Public Reprimand on the licensure of John
15	David Adamson.
16	IT IS SO ORDERED THIS May of February, 2011.
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18	TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION
19 20 21 22 23 24	By: Manual Manual Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director
25	NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS
26 27 28 29 30	YOU ARE ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW MAY BE OBTAINED BY FILING A PETITION FOR REVIEW WITHIN 60 DAYS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW IS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ORS 183.482 TO THE OREGON COURT OF APPEALS.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I served the foregoing notice of final order, certified by me as such, by mailing U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail—Return Receipt Requested, addressed to:

John David Adamson 62644 Shellhamer Road Coos Bay OR 97420

Dated this

day of March, 2011.

By:

Melod∳ Hanson

Executive Assistant