

- 1 3. On February 22, 2010, the Commission received notification from the Superintendent of the
2 Medford School District concerning an investigation of Gilman's behavior with students.
3 Students alleged that Gilman:
4 a. Gave students "Indian Burns",
5 b. Stuck his tongue out at students and simulated licking them,
6 c. Placed students in headlocks with noogies, fake choking and shaking of students,
7 d. Hugging one or more students around the lower back and buttocks,
8 e. Touched a female student on the buttocks and thigh area under her bottom,
9 f. Touched at least one student's private areas,
10 g. Allowed one or more students to sit on his lap.

11 CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

12 Gilman's conduct described in section three (3) above constitutes gross neglect of duty in
13 violation of ORS 342.175(1)(b); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates OAR 584-020-
14 0010(1) (*Recognize the worth and dignity of all persons and respect for each individual*), OAR
15 584-020-0010(5) (*Use professional judgment*); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(o) as it incorporates
16 OAR 584-020-0035(1)(c)(D) (*Honoring appropriate adult boundaries with students in*
17 *conduct and conversations at all times*); and OAR 584-020-0040(4)(f) (*Any sexual conduct*
18 *with a student*) as that term is defined by OAR 584-020-0005(5).

19 The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon ORS
20 342.175.

21 FINAL ORDER

22 The Commission hereby revokes Christopher Marc Gilman's right to apply for a teaching
23 license.

24 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 17th day of April, 2012.

25 TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

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27 By: 
28 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director

29 NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS

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32 YOU ARE ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW MAY BE
33 OBTAINED BY FILING A PETITION FOR REVIEW WITHIN 60 DAYS FROM THE SERVICE OF
34 THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW IS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ORS 183.482 TO
35 THE OREGON COURT OF APPEALS.