

1 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 2 1. Douglas Hugh Meikle has been licensed as a teacher in Oregon by the
3 Commission since April 13, 1987. Meikle's Initial Administrator License, issued
4 on April 2, 2008, expires on August 4, 2014. Meikle's Standard Teaching
5 License issued September 1, 2009, with a Basic Elementary endorsement,
6 expires on August 4, 2011.
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- 8 2. On December 9, 2009, Meikle was interviewed by Portland Police regarding
9 allegations that Meikle frequented the SE 82nd Avenue area of Portland in an
10 effort to engage the services of prostitutes. During this interview Meikle admitted
11 that he frequented the area in question for the purpose of prostitution, and that
12 Meikle had allowed two prostitutes, SN and JR live with him. During the time that
13 JR lived with Meikle, she was approximately 16 years old. During Meikle's
14 interview with Portland Police he stated that he had sex with both SN and JR
15 while they lived with him.
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- 17 3. JR reported to her DHS caseworker that while she lived with Meikle, he asked
18 her to help with bills and expenses and that Meikle expected her to prostitute in
19 order to contribute to the household finances.

20 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

21 Donald Hugh Meikle' conduct described in paragraphs 2 and 3 above constitutes
22 gross neglect of duty and gross unfitness in violation of ORS 342.175(1)(b) and ORS
23 342.175(1)(c); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates OAR 584-020-0010(5) (*Use*
24 *professional judgment*); and OAR 584-020-0040(5)(e) (*Admission of or engaging in acts*
25 *constituting criminal conduct, even in the absence of a conviction*) specifically: OAR
26 584-020-0040(1)(m) (*ORS 163.415 -- Sexual Abuse in the Third Degree*), OAR 584-
27 020-0040(1)(s) (*ORS 163.445 -- Sexual Misconduct*), OAR 584-020-0040(1)(kk) (*ORS*
28 *167.007 -- Prostitution*), OAR 584-020-0040(1)(ll) (*ORS 167.012 -- Promoting*
29 *Prostitution*), and OAR 584-020-0040(1)(mm) (*ORS 167.017 -- Compelling Prostitution*).
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1 The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon
2 ORS 342.175.

3 **FINAL ORDER**

4 The Commission hereby revokes Donald Hugh Meikle's Initial Administrator
5 License and his Standard Teaching License effective February 11, 2011.

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7 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 11th day of May, 2011.

8 TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

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10 By: 
11 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director
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17 **NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS**

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19 YOU ARE ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW MAY
20 BE OBTAINED BY FILING A PETITION FOR REVIEW WITHIN 60 DAYS FROM THE
21 SERVICE OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW IS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS
22 OF ORS 183.482 TO THE OREGON COURT OF APPEALS.
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I served the foregoing order by mailing a true copy thereof certified by me as such by U.S. First Class Mail to the Attorney of record for Donald Hugh Meikle:

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Dated this 12th day of May, 2011.

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