



1 into this Stipulation and Final Order and issuance and entry of the Stipulated Final Order below. This  
2 Order sets forth the facts upon which the parties have agreed and the sanction to be imposed. Mr.  
3 High stipulates that there are sufficient facts contained in the Commission's files and records to  
4 support the findings of fact and conclusions of law set forth below. In entering into this stipulation, Mr.  
5 High waives the right to a hearing to contest the findings of fact, conclusion of law and order set forth  
6 below.

7 **STIPULATION OF FACTS**

8 1. The Commission has licensed Mr. High since June 1, 2006. Mr. High currently holds an  
9 Initial I Teaching License valid June 1, 2006, through March 31, 2010, with a Special Education  
10 endorsement.

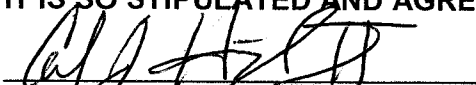
11 2. Mr. High served as a Special Education teacher at South Salem High School. Mr. High  
12 resigned from his position effective August 24, 2007.

13 3. Mr. High allowed a developmentally delayed female student to live with him and his wife  
14 after the student reported to High that she had no place to live. The student lived in the High  
15 household for approximately one month.


16 4. Mr. High arranged to be named as a representative payee on the students' bank account to  
17 assist the student in the management of her finances.

18 5. Mr. High did not report his actions to the school district or seek approval for his actions.

19 **IT IS SO STIPULATED AND AGREED TO:**

20   
21 Cofoid Jeffery High

7/11/08  
Date

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23 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director  
24 Teacher Standards and Practices Commission  
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26 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

27 Cofoid Jeffery High's failure to maintain an appropriate professional student-teacher  
28 relationship by allowing a student to live at his home and by becoming involved in a students finances  
29 is a violation of OAR 584-020-0040(4)(o) as it incorporates OAR 584-020-0035(1)(c)(A) and OAR

1 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates OAR 584-020-0010(5). (Not demonstrating or expressing  
2 professionally inappropriate interest in a student's personal life) and (Use professional judgment.)  
3 The Commission has the authority to impose discipline in this matter under ORS 342.120 through  
4 342.430 and OAR Chapter 584.

5 **FINAL ORDER**

6 The Commission adopts and incorporates herein the above finding of facts, conclusions of  
7 law, and based thereon, imposes a Public Reprimand on Cofoid Jeffery High. This Order shall serve  
8 as the Public Reprimand.

9 Issued and dated this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2008.

10 **TEACHIS STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION**  
11 **STATE OF OREGON**

12 By: *Victoria Chamberlain*  
13 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director  
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15 Approved as to form:

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17 *[Signature]*  
18 Thomas Doyle OSB# 972511  
19 Attorney for Cofoid Jeffery High

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