

1 BEFORE THE TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION
2 OF THE STATE OF OREGON

3 In the Matter of the)
4 Licensure of) DEFAULT ORDER OF
5 TERRI ELIZABETH McCracken) LICENSE REVOCATION
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8 On December 19, 2002, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission issued a
9 Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Terri Elizabeth McCracken, in which the Commission
10 proposed to revoke the teaching license of Terri Elizabeth McCracken or otherwise impose
11 discipline under ORS 342.177. The Notice was sent via U.S. First Class Mail and U.S.
12 Certified Mail Receipt #7001 0320 0005 0740 3617 to the address for Ms. McCracken
13 obtained by the Commission. The certified mail receipt was received by Courtney K. Rayburn
14 on January 7, 2003, and returned to the Commission on January 8, 2003. Terri Elizabeth
15 McCracken did not request a hearing.

16 The Notice of Opportunity for Hearing, signed by Victoria Chamberlain, Executive
17 Director, stated:

18 If a request for hearing is not received within this 21-day period, your right to
19 hearing shall be considered waived unless your failure to request a hearing was
20 beyond your reasonable control. If you do not request a hearing or if you fail to
21 appear at a hearing, the Commission will uphold the denial of your application for
22 an Oregon teaching license.
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24 Based on the foregoing, the Commission finds Terri Elizabeth McCracken in default and
25 such default is hereby entered. Based on the records and files of the Commission, the
26 Commission enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and order.

27 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

28 1. Terri Elizabeth McCracken has been licensed by the Commission since August 8,
29 1996. On September 1, 2000, the Commission issued a Basic Teaching License to Terri
30 Elizabeth McCracken valid until July 20, 2003.

1 2. Terri Elizabeth McCracken was employed by Bethel School District as a teacher
2 beginning August 28, 2000, until resignation effective June 12, 2002.

3 3. On December 5, 2002, Terri Elizabeth McCracken was convicted of Delivery of
4 Marijuana to a Minor, ORS 475.995, in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.

5 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

6 The crime of Delivery of Marijuana to a Minor, ORS 475.995, is listed in ORS
7 342.143(3). Accordingly, the Commission is required to revoke the Oregon Basic Teaching
8 License issued to Terri Elizabeth McCracken pursuant to ORS 342.175(2).

9 **ORDER**

10 The Commission hereby revokes the Oregon Basic Teaching License issued to Terri
11 Elizabeth McCracken.

12 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7th day of March 2003.

13 TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

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15 By Victoria Chamberlain
16 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director

17 **NOTICE OF APPEAL RIGHTS**

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19 YOU ARE ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW
20 MAY 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 OF
22 ORS 183.482 TO THE OREGON COURT OF APPEALS.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I served the foregoing Default Order Denial of Reinstatement of Revoked License, certified by me as such, by mailing U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail—Return Receipt Requested, addressed to:

Terri Elizabeth McCracken
PO Box 2960
Petaluma CA 94953

Dated this 11th day of March 2003.

By: Melody Hanson
Melody Hanson
Executive Assistant to the Commission