

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

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4                    In the Matter of the                    )                    STIPULATION OF FACTS,  
5                    Teaching License of                    )                    AND FINAL ORDER OF  
6                    CAROL L. GRAUER                    )                    REPRIMAND  
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8                    On February 5, 2008, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission  
9                    (Commission) received a report from Roy Williams, Superintendent, Sheridan School  
10                    District indicating that Carol Grauer (Grauer) attended a high school basketball game, as  
11                    a spectator, under the influence of alcohol.

12                    Grauer fully cooperated with the Commission's investigation in this matter. After  
13                    review of the matters alleged, Grauer and the Commission agree that their respective  
14                    interests, together with the public interest, are best served by a stipulation to certain  
15                    facts and the imposition of public reprimand.

16                    This document sets forth the facts upon which the parties have agreed and the  
17                    stipulated sanction to be imposed. Grauer stipulates that there is sufficient evidence in  
18                    the Commission's files and records to support the findings of fact, conclusions of law,  
19                    and order set forth below.

20                    By signing below, Grauer acknowledges, understands, stipulates, and agrees to  
21                    the following: (i) she has been fully advised of her rights to notice and a hearing to  
22                    contest the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and order set forth below, and fully and  
23                    finally waives all such rights and any rights to appeal or otherwise challenge this  
24                    Stipulation of Facts and Final Order of Reprimand (Stipulation and Final Order); (ii) this  
25                    Stipulation and Final Order is a public document and disclosed to the public upon  
26                    request by the Commission; (iii) this Stipulation and Final Order is contingent upon and  
27                    subject to approval and adoption by the Commission. If the Commission does not  
28                    approve and adopt this Stipulation and Final Order, then neither Grauer nor the  
29                    Commission are bound by the terms herein; (iv) she has fully read this Stipulation and

1 Final Order, and understands it completely; (v) she voluntarily, without any force or  
2 duress, enters into this Stipulation and Final Order and consents to issuance and entry  
3 of the Stipulated Final Order below; (vi) she states that no promises or representation  
4 has been made to induce her to sign this Stipulation and Final Order; and (vii) she has  
5 consulted with an attorney regarding this Stipulation and Final Order and has been fully  
6 advised with regard to her rights thereto, or waives any and all rights to consult with an  
7 attorney prior to entering into this Stipulation and Final Order and issuance and entry of  
8 the Stipulated Final Order below.

9 **STIPULATION OF FACTS**

- 10 1. The Commission has licensed Carol Grauer since August 17, 1979. Grauer  
11 currently holds a Basic Teaching License valid October 22, 2006, through  
12 October 22, 2009, with Basic Physical Education and Basic Health Education  
13 endorsements.
- 14 2. Ms. Grauer was employed by the Sheridan School District as a full time teacher  
15 from 1979 until her resignation on December 31, 2008.
- 16 3. On January 11, 2008, Ms. Grauer appeared at a Sheridan High School  
17 basketball game, as a spectator, under the influence of alcohol.

18 IT IS SO STIPULATED AND AGREED TO:

19 Carol L. Grauer 5/19/09  
20 Carol Grauer Date  
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22 Victoria Chamberlain 5-27-09  
23 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director Date  
24 Teacher Standards and Practices Commission  
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**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

On January 11, 2008, Carol Grauer attended a school sponsored event under the influence of alcohol. This conduct constitutes gross neglect of duty in violation of OAR 584-020-0040(4)(g). The Commission has the authority to impose discipline in this matter under ORS 342.120 through 342.430 and OAR Chapter 584.

**FINAL ORDER**

The Commission hereby adopts and incorporates herein the above findings of fact, conclusions of law, and based thereon hereby imposes a Public Reprimand upon Grauer.

Issued and dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2009.

**TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION  
STATE OF OREGON**

By   
Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director

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