

1 **STIPULATION OF FACTS**

2 1. Mr. Jackson holds a Basic Teaching License with a Basic Advanced
3 Mathematics Endorsement valid May 11, 2001, through September 8, 2004.

4 2. Mr. Jackson was employed by Scio School District on a temporary contract as
5 a math teacher at the high school from November 26, 2001 to June 12, 2002. On May
6 15, 2002, Mr. Jackson was reprimanded for personal use of district equipment.

7 3. A District-owned computer with Internet access was present in Mr. Jackson's
8 classroom for his use in connection with his assigned responsibilities. The District has a
9 clearly defined, acceptable use policy. The District's policy prohibits the use of
10 equipment for personal purposes.

11 4. Mr. Jackson used his classroom computer to access a personal website on a
12 daily basis.

13 5. Mr. Jackson admits that he should not have used the District computer to
14 access a personal website and has expressed remorse for doing so.

15 IT IS SO STIPULATED:

16 Scott David Jackson
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10-3-02
Date

18 Victoria Chamberlain
19 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director
20 Teacher Standards and Practices Commission

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21 **ULTIMATE FINDING OF FACT**

22 Scott David Jackson used the computer equipment owned by his employer, Scio
23 School District, located on school premises, to access a personal website. Mr. Jackson
24 was fully aware that accessing this website at the workplace with a District owned
25 computer was inappropriate and in violation of District policy.

Reprimand

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CONCLUSION OF LAW

Scott David Jackson's behavior constitutes gross neglect of duty in violation of OAR 584-020-0040(4)(b). The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon ORS 342.175.

ORDER

The Commission imposes a Public Reprimand on Mr. Jackson. This Stipulation of Facts, Order of Reprimand and Probation constitutes the reprimand. Furthermore, the Commission imposes a one (1) year probation upon Mr. Jackson subject to the condition that Mr. Jackson comply with all Standards for Competent and Ethical Performance under Chapter OAR 584, Division 020.

Violation of the terms of this probation may constitute an independent basis for the Commission to impose discipline, up to and including revocation of Mr. Jackson's teaching license subject to Mr. Jackson's right to a hearing on the issue of whether he violated probation.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 11 day of October, 2002

TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

By: *Victoria Chamberlain*
Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director

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