

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

4 In the Matter of the) DEFAULT ORDER OF
5 Teaching License of) LICENSE REVOCATION AND
6 ALAN J. COORTS) REVOCATION OF RIGHT TO
7) APPLY FOR A LICENSE
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9 On April 14, 2006, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission (Commission)
10 issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Alan J. Coorts (Coorts) in which the Commission
11 charged him with conviction of crimes listed in ORS 342.143(3). The Notice was sent via U.S.
12 First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail Receipt #7005 0390 0005 5794 9184 to the address
13 obtained by the Commission. The U.S. Certified Mailing receipt was signed by Lola Sierra,
14 agent for Coffee Creek Correctional Facility, and returned to the Commission on April 19, 2006.
15 The Notice of Opportunity of Hearing, dated April 14, 2006, and signed by Victoria Chamberlain,
16 Executive Director, stated:

17 "You, Alan J. Coorts, are entitled to a hearing on the proposed action of the
18 Commission. If you want a hearing, you must file a written request for a hearing
19 with the Commission within 21 days of the date of this notice. Attached to this
20 notice is a copy of the procedures, right of representation and other rights of
21 parties relating to the conduct of a hearing as required under ORS 183.413(2)."
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23 Mr. Coorts did not request a hearing. The Commission, therefore, finds
24 Mr. Coorts to be in default and enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of law
25 and order, based on the files and records of the Commission concerning this matter.

26 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

- 27 1. Mr. Coorts was originally licensed by the Commission on August 27, 2001.
28 Mr. Coorts currently holds an Initial Teaching License issued January 22, 2003, valid until
29 October 26, 2006, with a Special Education Endorsement.
- 30 2. Mr. Coorts began employment with Salem-Keizer School District as a licensed
31 teacher on August 27, 2002. On April 15, 2005, Mr. Coorts resigned in lieu of termination.

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 and U.S. Certified Mail—Return Receipt Requested, addressed to:

Alan J. Coorts SID/15927885
Coffee Creek Correctional Facility
24499 SW Grahams Ferry Road
PO Box 9000
Wilsonville, OR 97070

Dated this 22nd day of May, 2006.

By:

Melody Hanson
Melody Hanson, Executive Assistant