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## <u>MEMORANDUM</u>

TO:

City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM:

Eric G. Mackey

State Superintendent of Education

**SUBJECT:** Report of Certificate Invalidations and Probations

The Alabama Code, Section 16-23-5(a)(1975), provides, in part, that "[t]he State Superintendent of Education may revoke any certificate issued under this chapter when the holder has been guilty of immoral conduct or unbecoming or indecent behavior." Additionally, under the Alabama Administrative Code, Rule 290-3-2-.04 (2018), the State Superintendent of Education has the authority to, among other things, "[r]evoke, refuse to issue, suspend, recall, non-renew, or impose any other condition or requirement authorized by this Rule upon a certificate for just cause." Also, the State Superintendent may suspend the certificate or license of a teacher when, after a reasonable and diligent effort, a notice of proposed action could not be served upon the teacher, Alabama Administrative Code, Rule 290-3-2-.04 (2018).

The actions listed below were taken following my previous Report of Certificate Invalidations and Probations. The actions listed should not be construed to mean that for any given person, he or she was necessarily found guilty of any immoral conduct or unbecoming or indecent behavior. For details regarding the actions listed below, please contact the Educator Certification Section.

NAME:

ADAIR, TIFFANY DAWN

TCH NUMBER:

TDA-0111-1799

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

MARCH 29, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

PROBATION: ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

FROM 3/29/2021 THROUGH 3/28/2024

MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE A PRO ETHICS OR NASDTEC COURSE

COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HER LICENSE

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME:

ALLEN, ELIZABETH DARLENE STEPHENS

TCH NUMBER:

ESA-0088-0236 MARCH 24, 2021

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: ORDER/ACTION:

REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE

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NAME:

BARROW, LEROY LEE

TCH NUMBER:

LLB-0032-2172 APRIL 12, 2021

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: ORDER/ACTION:

REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR

**CERTIFICATE** 

NAME:

BELL, FRANKIE LASHAWN ASKEW

TCH NUMBER:

FLB-0037-3487

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

APRIL 19, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE THREE TRAINING COURSES TO INCLUDE MANDATORY REPORTING TRAINING, ETHICS COMMISSION TRAINING, AND AASBO TRAINING REGARDING PROPER SCHOOL MONEY HANDLING PROCEDURES COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HIS CERTIFICATE

NAME:

BELL, JR., KENNETH VON

TCH NUMBER:

KXB-0117-7966

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

MARCH 24, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

**DENIED: ALABAMA CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATE** 

NAME:

BIBB, JR., JAMES OTIS

TCH NUMBER:

JOB-0037-1344

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

APRIL 19, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

**PROBATION:** ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATES

FROM 3/30/2021 THROUGH 3/29/2023

MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE NASDTEC PREVENTION AND CORRECTION COURSE COMPLETE SEXUAL HARASSMENT PREVENTION COURSE

COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE

TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HIS CERTIFICATES

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME:

BLANEY, JASON P.

TCH NUMBER:

JPB-0039-6991

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

MARCH 15, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

**REVOKED: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATE** 

NAME:

BRYARS, KAYLA JOY

TCH NUMBER:

KJB-0110-9211

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

MARCH 24, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

**VOLUNTARY SURRENDER:** ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

NAME:

CARMICHAEL, ANDREA DEE

TCH NUMBER:

ADC-0119-3379

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

APRIL 13, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

**DENIED: ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE** 

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NAME: CLARK, TAHIETA SHANA

TCH NUMBER: TSC-0039-5504
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: APRIL 19, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: PROBATION: ALABAMA LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATE AND ALABAMA

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATES

FROM 4/19/2021 THROUGH 6/30/2021 OR UNTIL RESPONDENT PROVIDES DOCUMENTATION THAT THE PROBATION IN HER CRIMINAL CASE HAS

BEEN REMOVED

MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE PRO ETHICS CLASS

COMPLETE ANGER MANAGEMENT CLASS

COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE

TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HER CERTIFICATES

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME: COLLIER, PATRICIA GAIL BUSH

TCH NUMBER: PBC-0031-3779
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: PBC-0031-3779
APRIL 9, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATE

AND ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATES

NAME: EDGAR, SHAQUATTA

TCH NUMBER: SXE-0115-7367 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: APRIL 7, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

NAME: FROST, LINDSEY DUNLAP

TCH NUMBER: LXD-0105-5098 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: LXD-0105-5098

ORDER/ACTION: VOLUNTARY SURRENDER: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR

**CERTIFICATES** 

NAME: HAWKINS, KENEICA

A.K.A HAWKINS, KENEICE

TCH NUMBER: KSH-0081-4503 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: APRIL 5, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

NAME: JETT, REBECCA LOUISE

TCH NUMBER: RLJ-0036-1235
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: RRJ-0036-1235
MARCH 16, 2021
ORDER/ACTION: MUST MEET TERM:

COMPLETE TWO ETHICS COURSES THROUGH THE NATIONAL EDUCATION

ASSOCIATION

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME: JONES, LANNY EARL TCH NUMBER: LEJ-0037-1631

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: MAY 27, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: PROBATION: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR
CERTIFICATE AND ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE

FROM 5/272021 THROUGH 05/26/2022

MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE THE ETHICS COMMISSION TRAINING

COMPLETE THE AASBO'S TRAINING

COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE

TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HIS CERTIFICATES

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NAME:

KEEL, DEAWOOD DCK-0025-6518

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

APRIL 14, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

TCH NUMBER:

**DENIED: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE** 

NAME:

KINNEY, APRIL AXK-0115-5016 TCH NUMBER: DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: MARCH 24, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE

NAME:

TCH NUMBER: DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: BPL-0118-5309 DECEMBER 3, 2020

LANE, BILLY

ORDER/ACTION:

PROBATION: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE

FROM 9/15/2020 THROUGH 3/14/2021

MUST MEET TERM:

COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HIS CERTIFICATE

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME:

MCMILLAN, CHRISTOPHER EUGENE

TCH NUMBER:

CEM-0037-1391

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

MARCH 15, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR

CERTIFICATE

NAME:

NICHOLS, TIMETHIA JAMELL

TCH NUMBER:

TJN-0037-5226 APRIL14, 2021

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: ORDER/ACTION:

REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR

**CERTIFICATES** 

NAME:

OWENS, TOMICA ROWE

TCH NUMBER:

TXO-0117-6538

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

APRIL 12, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

**DENIED: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATE** 

NAME:

PICKARD, AMY ELIZABETH BUGG

TCH NUMBER:

APB-0118-7129

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

APRIL 5, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

**MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

UNDERGO RANDOM DRUG TESTING (BREATHALYZER ONLY) FOR ONE

YEAR AT THE RATE OF FOUR PER YEAR

COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HER SUITABILITY

NAME:

ROSALES, RUBEN ADRIAN

TCH NUMBER:

RXR-0107-1133

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

APRIL 13, 2021

ORDER/ACTION:

MUST COMPLETE ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE AN EDUCATOR ETHICS COURSE OFFERED THROUGH THE ALABAMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND/OR ALABAMA

**EDUCATION ASSOCIATION** 

COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HIS CERTIFICATE City and County Superintendents of Education Page 5 June 30, 2021

NAME: SALTER, DARIUS KE'SHUN

TCH NUMBER: DXS-0116-9956
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: MARCH 11, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

NAME: SALTER, KAREN LYN TCH NUMBER: KLS-0112-0636

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: APRIL 9, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

NAME: WILLIAMS, ANDRO DEWAYNE

TCH NUMBER: ADW-0035-9239
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: MARCH 29, 2021
ORDER/ACTION: MUST MEET TERM:

COMPLETE STATE EMPLOYEE ETHICS TRAINING

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME: WILLOUGHBY, RONALD JASON

TCH NUMBER: RJW-0038-0710 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: APRIL 9, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATE

AND ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATES

NAME: WITT, CARRIE C. CABRI

TCH NUMBER: CCW-0033-4836
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: MARCH 22, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATE

NAME: WOOTEN, JACOB TCH NUMBER: JAW-0107-5944 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: APRIL 5, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR

CERTIFICATE

EGM:SHC:KB

Enclosure: The Requirement to Report Misconduct

cc: Private School Administrators

Deans of Colleges of Education

Dr. Daniel Boyd Mrs. Angela Martin Dr. Jayne A. Meyer

Mr. J. Jason Swann

Mrs. Shavon H. Cummings

FY21-2088



## The Requirement to Report Misconduct

Each superintendent shall submit to the Alabama State Superintendent of Education within ten calendar days of the decision, the name and social security number of each employee holding an Alabama certificate or license who is terminated, or non-renewed, resigns, or is placed on administrative leave for cause, and shall indicate the reason for such action. Superintendents shall provide personnel records and all investigative information immediately upon request by the Alabama State Superintendent of Education. Superintendents shall not be required to report teachers who are non-renewed without cause. Failure to comply may result in disciplinary action against the employing superintendent.

Ala. Admin. Code r. 290-3-2-.04(2)

### **Events That Trigger a Requirement to Report**

- · Employment is terminated for cause
- Contract is non-renewed for cause
- Resignation is received "for cause" (under suspicious circumstances)
- Placement on administrative leave for cause

### **Examples of Misconduct Requiring a Report**

- Allegations of sexual contact or a sexual relationship between a teacher and a child or student.
   This includes, but is not limited to, rape, sodomy, dating, explicit text messages, "sexting," inappropriate intimate contact, possession of child pornography, or professions of romantic love.
- Allegations of the maltreatment of a child or student. This includes, but is not limited to, child abuse, child neglect, beating a student, choking a student, slapping a student, throwing a drink or food into a student's face, or humiliating a student.
- Allegations of illegal drug use, sale, distribution, or manufacture by a teacher. This includes, but is
  not limited to, public intoxication especially at school, the use of marijuana especially if by a bus
  driver, the illegal distribution of any drug, the illegal manufacturing of any drug, or the abuse of
  prescription drugs.
- Allegations of property crimes. This includes, but is not limited to, stealing from a school system, misusing public or student money, or using public resources or positions for private gain.
- Allegations of cheating on standardized student assessments. This includes, but is not limited to, violating any testing rule established by the Alabama State Department of Education.
- Allegations of falsifying or manipulating student data. This includes, but is not limited to, falsifying attendance records, transcripts, or grades.
- Allegations of falsifying professional qualifications or important documents.
- · Allegations of the harassment of colleagues.

Reports should be mailed to:

Mr. Corey Martin, Assistant Coordinator Background Review
Alabama State Department of Education
Office of Teaching and Leading
Educator Certification Section
P.O. Box 302101
Montgomery, AL 36130-2101

Additional questions may be directed to the Educator Certification Section at (334) 694-4557.