

# STATE OF ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION



Eric G. Mackey, Ed.D. State Superintendent of Education

May 11, 2022

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO:

City and County Superintendents of Education

FROM:

Eric G. Mackey EAW

State Superintendent of Education

SUBJECT:

Report of Certificate Invalidations and Probations

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Alabama State Board of Education

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Eric G. Mackey, Ed.D. Secretary and Executive Officer 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: ADAMS, ANTHONY STUART

ALSDE ID: ASA-0033-4879
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: DECEMBER 10, 2021

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

CERTIFICATE

NAME: ASHMORE, WINFORD ALSDE ID: WXA-0029-9131 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: JANUARY 13, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE A CUSTOMIZED BOUNDARIES COURSE

PROVIDE CHARACTER LETTERS TO THE ALABAMA STATE DEPARTMENT

OF EDUCATION'S OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

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: BAUGH, JENNIFER MASTERS

ALSDE ID: JMB-0082-6583
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: JANUARY 31, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: VOLUNTARY SURRENDER: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE

NAME: BUGG, HEATHER BRATCHER

ALSDE ID: HRB-0039-2666
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: JANUARY 19, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: SUSPENDED: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATES

FROM 6/30/2020 THROUGH 6/29/2021

**MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

SUBMIT A LETTER FROM PRINCIPAL OR PERSONNEL RECORDS AT

THE END OF THE 2021-2022 SCHOOL YEAR

COMPLETE NASDTEC TRAINING

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

CERTIFICATES

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME: COLLIER, PATRICA GAIL BUSH

ALSDE ID: PBC-0031-3779
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: PBC-0031-3779
JANUARY 19, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: PROBATION: ALABAMA LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATES AND ALABAMA

PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATES

FROM 1/1/2022 THROUGH 12/31/2023

**MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

PROVIDE A LETTER OR A COPY OF CURRENT PERSONNEL RECORDS, TO INCLUDE HER WORK PERFORMANCE AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS, FROM THE PRINCIPAL OR OTHER SUPERVISOR, BEGINNING SPRING

2022 SEMESTER

COMPLETE NASDTEC PREVENTION AND CORRECTION COURSE COMPLETE PRE-TRIAL DIVERSON PROGRAM IN MADISON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT AND PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION OF THE COMPLETION COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HIS

**CERTIFICATES** 

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

NAME: DANIEL, KEISHA EVONN

ALSDE ID: KED-0105-7681
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: FEBRUARY 9, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: SUSPENDED UNTIL WHEREABOUTS BECOME KNOWN: ALABAMA

SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

NAME: DAVENPORT, COURTNEY LOVELL

ALSDE ID: CLD-0085-7038
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: DECEMBER 9, 2021

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

NAME: EILEEN, GERI WRIGHT

A.K.A. MCNEAL, GERI GWE-0085-3903

ALSDE ID: GWE-0085-3903 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: JANUARY 14, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

UNDERGO RANDOM DRUG TESTING AT THE RATE OF FOUR PER YEAR COMMIT NO ACTION OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HER

CERTIFICATE

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NAME: FORD, NORA ALSDE ID: NHF-0073-6854 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **FEBRUARY 17. 2022** ORDER/ACTION: LETTER OF REPRIMAND

GLEATON, KERRY EDWARD NAME:

ALSDE ID: KEG-0036-5418 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **FEBRUARY 26, 2022** ORDER/ACTION: **MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

UNDERGO RANDOM QUARTERLY BLOOD ALCOHOL TESTING FOR ONE

YEAR

PROVIDE DOCUMENTATION REGARDING MEDICAL CONDITION

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

**CERTIFICATES** 

NAME: HAGGARD, JASON ALSDE ID: JXH-0119-8064 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: DECEMBER 9, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: **DENIED: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE** 

NAME: HOLLADAY, III, WILLIAM LEE

ALSDE ID: WLH-0029-3458 **DECEMBER 17, 2021** DATE OF ORDER/ACTION:

ORDER/ACTION: **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER: ALABAMA LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATES AND** 

ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATES

NAMF: JOHNSON, JAMAAL ALSDE ID: JXJ-0119-7153 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: FEBRUARY 11, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: **DENIED: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE** 

NAME: JORDAN, MICHAEL DEWAYNE

ALSDE ID: MDJ-0036-4741 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: FEBRUARY 28, 2022 ORDER/ACTION: **MUST MEET TERM:** 

COMPLETE A CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT COURSE

**LETTER OF CAUTION** 

NAME: KIRK, VERONICA R. ALSDE ID: VRK-0035-4551

DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **JANUARY 3. 2022** 

ORDER/ACTION: **PROBATION: ALABAMA EMERGENCY CERTIFICATE** 

FROM 1/3/2022 THROUGH 1/2/2023

**MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

COMPLETE ALABAMA ETHICS COMMISSION ETHICS TRAINING COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HER

**CERTIFICATE** 

LIGHTSEY, KAYLA BRIANA SMITH NAME:

ALSDE ID: KSL-0039-5646 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: JANUARY 27, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: **MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

> COMPLETE NASDTEC PREVENTION AND CORRECTION COURSE COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HER

**CERTIFICATES** 

LETTER OF REPRIMAND

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NAME: LINDSEY, STEPHEN MARK

ALSDF ID: SML-0120-1675 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: FEBRUARY 4, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: **MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

> UNDERGO RANDOM ALCOHOL TESTING AT A RATE OF FOUR PER YEAR COMMIT NO ACT OR ENGAGE IN ANY CONDUCT THAT WOULD GIVE RISE TO GROUNDS SUPPORTING DISCIPLINARY ACTION AGAINST HIS

**CERTIFICATE** 

NAME: MARSHALL, SR., WAYNE MORRIS

ALSDE ID: WXM-0113-4649 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **FEBRUARY 18. 2022** 

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

AND ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

NAME: MCCOY, ERIKA BELLE HARDY

ALSDE ID: EHM-0100-7593 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **DECEMBER 14. 2021** 

ORDER/ACTION: PROBATION: ALABAMA LEADERSHIP CERTICATES AND ALABAMA

> PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR CERTIFICATE FROM 12/14/2021 THROUGH 12/13/2022

**MUST MEET TERM:** 

COMPLETE MANDATORY REPORTING AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT

**TRAINING** 

NAME: MCKENNEY, MICHAEL ALFONZO

ALSDE ID: MXM-0115-8074 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: FEBRUARY 25, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: **PROBATION:**ALABAMA SUBSTITUTE LICENSE

FROM 2/25/2022 THROUGH 2/24/2023, TO RUN CONCURRENTLY WITH

PROBATION IN CRIMINAL CASE

NAME: MCKNIGHT, MICHELLE MARLANE FAULK

ALSDE ID: MFM-0034-5636 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **JANUARY 18, 2022** 

ORDER/ACTION: **MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

> UNDERGO DRUG TESTING AT THE RATE OF UP TO THREE TESTS DURING THE NEXT SIX-MONTHS, TO END BY JUNE 30, 2022

WORK WITH CURRENT EMPLOYER TO ENSURE AT LEAST THREE DRUG

TESTS ARE GIVEN BY THE END OF JUNE 30, 2022

**LETTER OF CAUTION** 

NAME: PEAKE, ANTWANA NATHAN

ALSDE ID: ANP-0108-4670 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **JANUARY 19, 2022** 

ORDER/ACTION: **MUST MEET ALL TERMS:** 

PROVIDE THE ALABAMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DEPARTMENT'S OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL A FITNESS OF DUTY LETTER, FROM A MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL, VERIFYING

NO LONGER IN DANGER TO STUDENTS

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

LICENSE

PRYOR, HOLLY ADELINE NAME:

ALSDE ID: HAM-0028-6934 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: **JANUARY 9, 2022** 

ORDER/ACTION: **VOLUNTARY SURRENDER: ALABAMA PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR** 

**CERTIFICATE** 

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NAME: RICHARDSON, II, JOHNNIE L.

ALSDE ID: JXR-0109-3201 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: MARCH 2, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED UNTIL WHEREABOUTS BECOME KNOWN: ALABAMA

JROTC CERTIFICATE

NAME: RIVERS, ARTHUR LEE

ALSDE ID: ALR-0119-9591
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: DECEMBER 29, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: **DENIED:** ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERITFICATE

NAME: STEPHENS, OLIVIA L.
ALSDE ID: OLS-0039-8342
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: JANUARY 4, 2022
ORDER/ACTION: MUST MEET TERM:

COMPLETE AN ANGER MANAGEMENT OR CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT

**COURSE** 

LETTER OF CAUTION

NAME: TAPIA, SHANNON MARIE SPEARS

ALSDE ID: SSL-0102-3025 DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: DECEMBER 8, 2021

ORDER/ACTION: REVOKED AND NON-RENEWAL: ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE

NAME: WILKINSON, TIMOTHY RYAN

ALSDE ID: TRW-0035-0562
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: FEBRUARY 4, 2022
ORDER/ACTION: MUST MEET ALL TERMS:

COMPLETE NASDTEC BOUNDARIES COURSE

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

CERTIFICATES
LETTER OF CAUTION

NAME: WINDHAM, JAKARRA LAMAMIA

ALSDE ID: JXW-0119-2345
DATE OF ORDER/ACTION: FEBRUARY 18, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: DENIED: ADMISSION TO ALABAMA TEACHER EDUCATOR PROGRAM

NAME: ZELLERS, II, CHARLES ALSDE ID: CXZ-0120-2403 FEBRUARY 9, 2022

ORDER/ACTION: **DENIED:** ALABAMA BUS DRIVER CERTIFICATE

EGM:SYH:KB

Enclosure: The Requirement to Report Misconduct

cc: Private School Administrators

Deans of Colleges of Education

Mrs. Angela Martin Mr. J. Jason Swann Ms. Shavon Y. Harris



## 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.