



1 **STIPULATION OF FACTS**


2 1. The Commission has licensed Basile since January 25, 2022. Basile holds a  
3 Preliminary Teaching License, with an endorsement in Foundational  
4 Mathematics (PK-12), valid from January 25, 2022, through August 8, 2025.  
5 During all relevant times, Basile was employed by the Mt. Angel School District  
6 (MASD).

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8 2. On April 13 and 14, 2022, the Commission received the same complaint from two  
9 patrons which alleged Basile may have committed acts which constitute gross  
10 neglect of duty and/or gross unfitness. Specifically, the complaints report alleged  
11 Basile directed insensitive comments to students during a math class she was  
12 teaching.

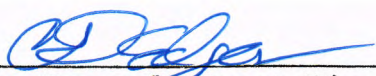
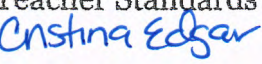
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14 3. Investigation determined on April 12, 2022, several Hispanic students were  
15 talking in Spanish, in a disruptive manner before the start of the mathematics  
16 class Basile was to teach at Mt. Angel Middle School. The students continued to  
17 talk after the class had begun. Basile attempted several times to get the students'  
18 attention and refocus it to the class. While attempting to relate to the students,  
19 Basile made a comment in Spanish asking them to speak English. One of the  
20 students asserted her family heritage and Spanish being their native language.  
21 Basile then tried to again to redirect the disruptive students by commenting in  
22 English something to the effect that in that math class, at that moment, the  
23 language spoken should be English.

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25 4. On May 9, 2022, Basile resigned her position and signed a separation agreement  
26 with the MASD.

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28 IT IS SO STIPULATED:

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32 Jennifer L. Basile

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39 Trent Danowski, Deputy Director  
40 Teacher Standards and Practices Commission  
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1 **CONCLUSION OF LAW**

2 The conduct described section three (3) above constitutes gross neglect of duty in  
3 violation of ORS 342.175(1)(b); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates OAR 584-  
4 020-0010(5) (*Use professional judgment*), OAR 584-020-0020(2)(d) (*Skill in the*  
5 *supervision of students*), and OAR 584-020-0025(2)(a) (*Establishing and maintaining*  
6 *classroom management that is conducive to learning*).

7 The Commission’s authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon  
8 ORS 342.175.

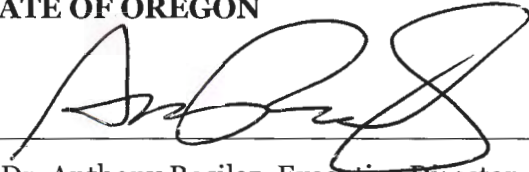
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10 **ORDER**

11 The Commission adopts and incorporates herein the above findings of fact and  
12 conclusions of law, and based thereon, imposes a Public Reprimand on Jennifer L.  
13 Basile’s Oregon educator license.

14 Furthermore, the Commission imposes as a condition of the Public Reprimand  
15 that within six (6) months from the adoption of this order, Basile shall successfully  
16 complete a Commission approved training on diversity and provide the Commission  
17 evidence of this.

18 Issued and dated this 21 day of June, 2023.

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

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24 By  \_\_\_\_\_  
25 Dr. Anthony Rosilez, Executive Director  
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