

1 4. During the 1997-1998 academic year Mr. McClellan assigned Jill Griffin to the position of
2 School Counselor at Vernonia High School without proper licensure after the Commission denied a
3 second school year request for Misassignment. Mr. McClellan continued to assign Jill Griffin as a
4 school counselor for the 1998-1999, 1999-2000, 2000-2001, and 2001-2002 academic years.

5 5. During the 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 academic years Mr. McClellan assigned Christopher
6 McNeil to teach Life Science at Washington Elementary without proper licensure.

7 This Stipulation is contingent upon approval and adoption of the Order by the full Commission.
8 If the Commission does not adopt this Order, neither Mr. McClellan nor the Commission are bound by
9 these stipulations and Mr. McClellan retains the right to a hearing on the allegations.

10 IT IS SO STIPULATED:

11 Lawrence Gordon McClellan
12 Lawrence Gordon McClellan

8-10-04
Date

13 Victoria Chamberlain
14 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director
15 Teacher Standards and Practices Commission

8-02-04
Date

16 **CONCLUSION OF LAW**

17 While serving as Superintendent of Vernonia School District Lawrence Gordon McClellan
18 assigned three separate educators in violation of licensure. This misconduct constitutes Gross
19 Neglect of Duty in violation of OAR 584-020-0040(4)(I) and OAR 584-050-0030(2). The
20 Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon ORS 342.175.

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ORDER

The Commission hereby imposes a one-year suspension on Mr. McClellan' right to apply for
3 licensure effective July 30, 2004. At the end of the suspension period Mr. McClellan may apply for
4 reinstatement of licensure by submitting a complete application and fees pursuant to OAR 584-050-
5 0015(3).

6 IT IS SO ORDERED this 7 day of ^{October}~~July~~, 2004.

7 TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

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By *Victoria Chamberlain*
Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director

11 APPROVED AS TO FORM

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