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

4 5 6 7 8	In the Matter of the) DEFAULT ORDER OF Teaching License of) LICENSE REVOCATION AND STEPHEN THOMAS HEILMAN) REVOCATION OF RIGHT TO APPLY FOR A LICENSE
9	On March 2, 2004, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission (Commission)
10	issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Stephen Thomas Heilman (Heilman) in which the
11	Commission charged him with conviction of a crime listed in ORS 342.143(3). The Notice was
12	sent via U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail Receipt #7002 3150 0004 3437 3444 to
13	the address obtained by the Commission. The certified mail receipt was signed by Mr. Heilman
14	and returned to the Commission on March 8, 2004. The Notice of Opportunity of Hearing, dated
15	March 2, 2004, and signed by Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director, stated:
16 17 19 20 21 22	"You, Stephen Thomas Heilman, are entitled to a hearing on the proposed action of the Commission. If you want a hearing, you must file a written request for a hearing with the Commission within 21 days of the date of this notice. Attached to this notice is a copy of the procedures, right of representation and other rights of parties relating to the conduct of a hearing as required under ORS 183.413(2)."
23	Mr. Heilman did not request a hearing. The Commission, therefore, finds
24	Mr. Heilman 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. Heilman holds a Standard Teaching License issued October 25, 2001, valid until
28	October 8, 2006.
29	2. Mr. Heilman served as a teacher for the Silverton School District from September 1,
30	1977, to October 31, 2003.
31	3. On February 9, 2004, Stephen Thomas Heilman was convicted of Sexual Abuse III,
32	ORS 163.415, in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion.
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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW The crime of Sexual Abuse III as defined in ORS 163.415 is listed in ORS 342.143(3). The Commission is required to revoke the Oregon Standard Teaching License issued to 3 4 Stephen Thomas Heilman and revoke his right to apply for a license pursuant to ORS 342.175(2). 5 **ORDER** 6 The Commission hereby revokes the Oregon Standard Teaching License issued to 7 8 Stephen Thomas Heilman and revokes his right to apply for a teaching license. 9 TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION 10 11 12 13 lictoria Chamberlain, Executive Director NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS 17

YOU ARE ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW MAY BE

OBTAINED BY FILING A PETITION FOR REVIEW WITHIN 60 DAYS FROM THE SERVICE

OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW IS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ORS

183.482 TO THE OREGON COURT OF APPEALS.

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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 to the Attorney of record for Stephen Thomas Heilman:

Barbara J. Diamond Attorney at Law Smith Diamond & Olney 1500 NE Irving, Suite 370 Portland OR 97232-4207

Dated this 29 day of May 2004.

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Melody Hanson, Executive Assistant