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

3 4 5 6	In the Matter of the ) Licensure of ) DEFAULT ORDER DENYING BENEDICT CHARLES OCHS ) RENEWAL OF LICENSURE )
7 8	On March 21, 2003, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission issued a
9	Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Benedict Charles Ochs, in which the Commission
10	proposed to deny renewal of a license under ORS 342.135 and its administrative rules
11	implementing that legal authority OAR 584-050-0007. The Notice was sent via U.S. First
12	Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail Receipt #7001 0320 0005 0740 4751 to the address Mr.
13	Ochs provided to the Commission. The certified mail receipt was signed by Adrienne Ochs
14	and returned to the Commission on March 31, 2003. Benedict Ochs did not request a
15	hearing.
Ī	The Notice of Opportunity for Hearing, signed by Victoria Chamberlain, Executive
17	Director, stated:
18 19 20 21 22	If a request for hearing is not received within this 21-day period, your right to hearing shall be considered waived unless your failure to request a hearing was beyond your reasonable control. If you do not request a hearing or if you fail to appear at a hearing, the Commission will uphold the denial of your application for reinstatement of an Oregon teaching license.
23 24	Based on the foregoing, the Commission finds Benedict Charles Ochs in default and
25	such default is hereby entered. Based on the records and files of the Commission, the
26	Commission enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and order.
27	FINDINGS OF FACT
28	1. Mr. Ochs held a Standard Teaching License with endorsements in Standards
29	Technology Education and Mechanical Technology valid October 13, 1997, through October 30
30	2002.

1	2. On or about October 22, 2002, TSPC received an Application for Educator License
2	Form C-1 signed by Benedict Ochs along with additional documentation to apply for renewal of
3	his Standard Teaching License. Ochs did not satisfy the necessary academic requirements for
4	renewal by submitting an official transcript verifying completion of 9-quarter hours of preparation
5	germane to his licensure and completed within the last three years or a Professional
6	Educational Experience Form verifying educational experience during the 1997-2002 school
7	year(s) signed by the employing school district superintendent.
8	CONCLUSIONS OF LAW
9	Mr. Ochs' application for renewal of his Standard Teaching License is denied as he has
10	not satisfied the necessary academic requirements for renewal pursuant to OAR 584-048-0035.
11	ORDER
12	The Commission denies renewal of an Standard Teaching License to Benedict Charles
13	Ochs.
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15	IT IS SO ORDERED this day of May 2003.
16	TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION
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21	NOTICE OF APPEAL RIGHTS
22 23 24	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 default order of denial of licensure, certified by me as such, by mailing U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail—Return Receipt Requested, addressed to:

Benedict Charles Ochs 7101 NW 21<sup>st</sup> Street Ankeny IA 50021

Dated this

day of May 2003.

Bv:

Melody Hanson

Executive Assistant to the Commission

[04-26-03]