

1 2. On February 3, 2017, the Commission received a report from the Lincoln County
2 School District advising that Cordy was under investigation by law enforcement for
3 possible criminal conduct related to crimes against a minor. On January 31, 2017,
4 the Commission also received the same report from the Oregon Department of
5 Human Services. Police reports indicate that during the summer of 2016, while
6 employed as a counselor at Camp Silver Creek, Cordy solicited nude photographs
7 from a then 17 year old counselor at the camp (MB). MB did send Cordy nude
8 photographs of herself. Cordy also solicited similar photographs from other student
9 aged counselors who did not send Cordy any photographs.

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11 Cordy, on several occasions, provided alcohol to MB while at camp. On the last day
12 of camp, Cordy took MB to a hotel room Cordy had rented and provided her with
13 alcohol. Cordy engaged in sexual activities with MB, on multiple occasions at camp
14 and at the hotel, which included kissing, oral sex, and digital penetration.

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16 3. On February 2, 2018, Cordy was convicted of three counts of Sexual Abuse in the
17 Second Degree, ORS 163.425. Cordy was sentenced to 21 months incarceration on all
18 three charges, two of which were to be served concurrently and one consecutively,
19 for a total of 42 months of incarceration. Cordy was also sentenced to 24 months
20 post-prison supervision and required to register as a sex offender.

21 22 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

23 Rohan Cordy's criminal convictions constitute gross neglect of duty in violation of
24 ORS 342.175(1)(b); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates OAR 584-020-0010(5)
25 (*Use professional judgment*); and OAR 584-020-0040(1) (*The Commission will deny,*
26 *revoke or deny the right to apply for a license or charter school registration to any*
27 *applicant or educator who, has been convicted of any of the crimes listed in ORS*
28 *342.143, or the substantial equivalent of any of those crimes if convicted in another*
29 *jurisdiction*), including ORS 163.425 – *Sexual Abuse in the Second Degree*. This
30 conduct also constitutes gross unfitness in violation of ORS 342.175(1)(c); OAR 584-
31 020-0040(5)(c) (*Conviction of violating any federal, state, or local law. A conviction*
32 *includes any final judgment of conviction by a court whether as the result of guilty*

1 *plea, no contest plea or any other means*); OAR 584-020-0040(5)(d) (*Commission of*
2 *an act listed in OAR 584-020-0040(1)*); and OAR 584-020-0040(5)(e) (*Admission of or*
3 *engaging in acts constituting criminal conduct, even in the absence of a conviction*).
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5 Pursuant to ORS 342.175(3) and OAR 584-020-0040(1) the Teacher Standards
6 and Practices Commission must revoke Cordy's license and Cordy's right to apply for a
7 license based on conviction of any of the crimes listed in ORS 342.143(3)(a), or the
8 substantial equivalent of any of those crimes.
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10 Furthermore, the conduct underlying Cordy's convictions constitutes gross
11 neglect of duty in violation of ORS 342.175(1)(b); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it
12 incorporates OAR 584-020-0010(5) (*Use professional judgment*); OAR 584-020-
13 0040(4)(o) as it incorporates OAR 584-020-0035(3)(a) (*Maintain the dignity of the*
14 *profession by respecting and obeying the law, exemplifying personal integrity and*
15 *honesty*). Additionally, your criminal convictions and conduct related to your
16 convictions constitute "gross unfitness" in violation of ORS 342.175(1)(c); OAR 584-
17 020-0040(3)(c) and (d) as defined by OAR 584-020-0040 (5) (*Gross unfitness is any*
18 *conduct which renders an educator unqualified to perform his or her professional*
19 *responsibilities*).
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21 The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon
22 ORS 342.175.

23 FINAL ORDER

24 The Commission hereby revokes Rohan Gabriel Cordy's Oregon educator license
25 and revokes Rohan Gabriel Cordy's right to apply for an Oregon educator license.

26 IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 9th day of August, 2018.

27 TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

28 By: Anthony J. Rosilez
29 Dr. Anthony Rosilez, Executive Director

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NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS

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.