

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS  
CARLOS FOLLECO : ORDER OF REVOCATION  
\_\_\_\_\_ : DOCKET NO. NSC 04/01-14

At its meeting of April 5, 2001 the State Board of Examiners reviewed information regarding Carlos Folleco, who holds Teacher of Health and Physical Education and Teacher of Driver Education certificates in New Jersey. After an investigation, the Division of Youth and Family Services (DYFS) substantiated an allegation that Folleco had sexually abused a student. As a result, the Belleville Board of Education terminated Folleco from his nontenured position in the district and the Essex County Prosecutor indicted him on two counts of fourth degree criminal sexual contact. Folleco applied to enter a Pre-Trial Intervention program. The conditions of his entrance were that he have no contact with the victims, not participate in any organized activity involving youth participants, surrender his teaching certificates, and never again hold a teaching position or reapply for teacher certification. In addition, he was ordered to undergo sex-specific counseling.

The Essex County Prosecutor forwarded to the State Board of Examiners the original certificates at issue. He also submitted an affidavit in which Folleco waived his right to a hearing pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6:11-3.6 and acknowledged that the surrender of his certificates would have the force and effect of a revocation. The affidavit was reviewed at the April 2001 State Board of Examiners meeting.

Having confirmed that the certificate holder agreed to the revocation of his certificates, it is therefore, ORDERED, that Carlos Folleco's Teacher of Health and Physical Education and

Teacher of Driver Education certificates be revoked on this 5th day of April 2001.

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Secretary  
State Board of Examiners

Date of Mailing: July 13, 2001  
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