

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
THE CREDENTIAL OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS  
ALEX KARAS : ORDER OF REVOCATION  
\_\_\_\_\_ : DOCKET NO: 0607-128

At its meeting of November 2, 2006, the State Board of Examiners reviewed information the Office of Criminal History Review (OCHR) had forwarded regarding Alex Karas. On August 18, 2006, Karas had been arrested for aggravated sexual assault and official misconduct. Karas currently holds a County Substitute credential, issued in November 2005. At its meeting of December 7, 2006, the Board of Examiners voted to issue Karas an Order to Show Cause.

Karas agreed to forfeit his credential with the force and effect of a revocation and all attendant consequences and submitted an affidavit to that effect to the New Jersey State Board of Examiners. At its meeting of March 29, 2007, the Board voted to accept Karas' relinquishment with the force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 6A:9-17.8*.

Accordingly, on this 29th day of March 2007 it is therefore ORDERED that the revocation of Alex Karas' County Substitute credential be effective immediately. It is further ORDERED that Karas return his credential to the Secretary of the State Board of Examiners, Office of Licensure, PO Box 500, Trenton, NJ 08625-0500 within 30 days of the mailing date of this decision.

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Robert R. Higgins, Acting Secretary  
State Board of Examiners

Date of Mailing: APRIL 24, 2007

Appeals may be made to the State Board of Education pursuant to the provisions of *N.J.S.A. 18A:6-28*.