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IN THE MATTER OF THE TENURE

HEARING OF MORRIS KIMBLE, SCHOOL:

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF TRENTON, :

DECISION

MERCER COUNTY.

Decision on motion by the Commissioner of Education, July 27, 1999

For the Petitioner-Respondent, Sumners, George & Dortch (Thomas W. Sumners, Jr., Esq., of Counsel)

For the Respondent-Appellant, Robert M. Schwartz, Esq.

The decision of the Commissioner of Education denying the respondent's motion to summarily dismiss tenure charges of unbecoming conduct is affirmed for the reasons expressed therein. Like the Commissioner, we note that our decision does not preclude the respondent from arguing during the proceedings in the Office of Administrative Law that the charges against him constitute inefficiency rather than unbecoming conduct.

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