





at this time is limited to reviewing the sanction to be imposed following a finding of a violation by the Commission. Therefore, this decision is restricted solely to a review of the Commission's recommended penalty.

Upon a thorough review of the record, the Commissioner accepts the Commission's recommendation that reprimand is the appropriate penalty in this matter. As clearly stated in its decision, the Commission finds this penalty congruent with that imposed in similar cases previously decided by the Commission. As such, the Commissioner finds no cause to disturb the Commission's recommended penalty in this matter.

Accordingly, IT IS hereby ORDERED that Charles Carey be reprimanded as a school official found to have violated the School Ethics Act.

IT IS SO ORDERED.\*

COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION

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\* This decision may be appealed to the Appellate Division of the Superior Court pursuant to *P.L. 2008, c. 36* (*N.J.S.A. 18A:6-9.1*)