

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS  
GERARD L. GALASSO : ORDER OF REVOCATION  
\_\_\_\_\_ : DOCKET NO: 0708-283

At its meeting of June 5, 2008, the State Board of Examiners reviewed information the Ocean County Prosecutor's Office had forwarded regarding Gerard Galasso. Galasso was arrested and charged with two counts of criminal sexual contact. He was admitted into the Pre-Trial Intervention Program on the condition that he relinquish his teaching certificates. Galasso currently holds a Teacher of English certificate, issued in January 1974, a Student Personnel Services certificate, issued in March 1974, a Principal/Supervisor certificate, issued in April 1979 and an Assistant Executive Superintendent certificate, issued in March 1990.

Galasso agreed to forfeit his certificates 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 June 5, 2008, the Board voted to accept Galasso's relinquishment with the force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 6A:9-17.8*.

Accordingly, on this 5th day of June 2008 it is therefore ORDERED that the revocation of Gerard Galasso's Teacher of English, Student Personnel Services, Principal/Supervisor and Assistant Executive Superintendent certificates be effective immediately.

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Robert R. Higgins, Secretary  
State Board of Examiners

Date of Mailing:

Appeals may be made to the Commissioner of Education pursuant to the provisions of *N.J.A.C. 6A:4-1.3(b)*.