

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
SCOTT VAN HOVEN : ORDER OF REVOCATION
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At its meeting of May 21, 2015, the New Jersey State Board of Examiners (Board) reviewed an affidavit that the Morris County Prosecutor's Office had submitted regarding Scott Van Hoven. In April 2015, Van Hoven pled guilty to Criminal Sexual Contact and Official Misconduct. As part of his plea, Van Hoven agreed to forfeit his public employment. Van Hoven currently holds a Teacher of Music Certificate of Eligibility, issued in August 2001 and a Teacher of Music certificate, issued in August 2002.

Van Hoven agreed to relinquish his certificates with the force and effect of a revocation and all attendant consequences in his affidavit to that effect to the Board. At its meeting of May 21, 2015, the Board voted to accept Van Hoven's relinquishment with the force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 6A:9B-4.8*.

Accordingly, on this 21st day of May 2015 it is therefore ORDERED that Scott Van Hoven's Teacher of Music Certificate of Eligibility and his Teacher of Music certificate be revoked effective immediately.

Robert R. Higgins, Secretary
State Board of Examiners

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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)*.