

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
THE CERTIFICATE OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS  
BILL WINTERS : ORDER OF SUSPENSION  
\_\_\_\_\_ : DOCKET NO. 2021-133

This matter was opened by the Board of Examiners (Board) by way of an Order to Show Cause issued to Bill Winters as to why his teaching certificates should not be revoked. Winters currently holds a Teacher of Social Studies certificate.

After the matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for hearing, Winters presented a proposal to the Board in which he agreed to a one-year suspension of his certificate, effective January 1, 2022. Winters did not admit or concede the truth of the allegations in the Order to Show Cause. After reviewing the proposal, at its meeting of December 16, 2021, the Board voted to accept it.

Accordingly, on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021, it is therefore ordered that Bill Winters' Teacher of Social Studies Certificate is hereby suspended for one-year, effective January 1, 2022. It is further ORDERED that Winters return the above-mentioned certificates to the Secretary of the State Board of Examiners, Office of Certification and Induction, P.O. Box 500, Trenton, NJ 08625-0500 within 30 days of the mailing date of the decision.

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Rani Singh, Secretary  
State Board of Examiners

**Date of Mailing:  
via certified and regular mail**

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