

IN THE MATTER OF THE) NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
 TEACHING CERTIFICATE) STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
 OF ROSALYN VINSON) DECISION
 _____) DOCKET NO. 0708-270
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This matter was opened by the Board of Examiners by way of an Order to Show Cause issued to Rosalyn Vinson as to why her Teacher of the Handicapped and Supervisor certificates and Principal Certificate of Eligibility should not be suspended for a period of two years. The Order alleged that Vinson was involved in an attempt to defraud the Camden Board of Education by seeking to receive payment for attendance at School Leadership Council meetings that never occurred and then covering up the facts during the district's investigation by filing fabricated documents and giving false information. After receiving the Order to Show Cause, Vinson presented a settlement proposal to the Board seeking a two year suspension of her certificates, retroactive to July 5, 2007, the date of the Commissioner's decision removing her from her tenured position. After reviewing the settlement proposal, at its meeting of September 11, 2008, the Board of Examiners voted to accept the proposal.* Accordingly, on this 11th day of September, Rosalyn Vinson's Teacher of the Handicapped certificate, issued in June 1988, Supervisor certificate, issued in December 2003 and Principal Certificate of Eligibility, issued in April 2004, are hereby suspended for a period of two years beginning on July 5, 2007.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

 Robert R. Higgins, Secretary
 State Board of Examiners

*Decision ratified on January 13, 2009

Date of Decision: October 16, 2008

Date of Mailing: