

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
ARTHUR ERNST : ORDER OF SUSPENSION
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This matter was opened by the Board of Examiners (Board) by way of an Order to Show Cause issued to Arthur Ernst as to why his teaching certificates should not be revoked. Ernst currently holds a Teacher of Music Certificate of Eligibility With Advanced Standing, issued in June 2009 and a Teacher of Music certificate, issued in June 2010. After the teaching certification matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for hearing, Ernst presented a proposal to the Board in which his certificates would be voluntarily suspended from the time the Board voted to accept the suspension until resolution of the criminal proceedings against him. After reviewing the proposal, at its meeting of September 21, 2012, the Board voted to accept it. Accordingly, on this 21st day of September 2012, Arthur Ernst's Teacher of Music Certificate of Eligibility With Advanced Standing and Teacher of Music certificate are hereby SUSPENDED indefinitely pending resolution of the criminal charges against him. The suspension shall take effect immediately.

Robert R. Higgins, Secretary
State Board of Examiners

Date of Decision:

Date of Mailing: