IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

ROGER A. SCHNEIDER : ORDER OF REVOCATION

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At its meeting of January 19, 2018, the New Jersey State Board of Examiners (Board) reviewed an affidavit that the Morris County Prosecutor's Office had forwarded regarding Roger A. Schneider. On October 11, 2017, Schneider pled guilty to Cruelty and Neglect of Children. As a result of the conviction, Schneider was disqualified from public school employment pursuant to *N.J.S.A.* 18A:6-7.1 *et seq.* Schneider currently holds a Teacher of Social Studies Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing, issued in January 2009, a Teacher of Social Studies certificate, issued in June 2010 and a Principal Certificate of Eligibility, issued in June 2014.

Schneider 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 January 19, 2018, the Board voted to accept Schneider's relinquishment with the force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C.* 6A:9B-4.7.

Accordingly, on this 19th day of January 2018, it is therefore ORDERED that Roger A. Schneider's Teacher of Social Studies Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing, Principal Certificate of Eligibility and his Teacher of Social Studies certificate are hereby revoked, effective immediately.

Robert R. Higgins, Secretary

State Board of Examiners

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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).