

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS  
GEORGE P. TURNER : ORDER OF SUSPENSION  
\_\_\_\_\_ : DOCKET NO. 1718-107

This matter was opened by the Board of Examiners (Board) by way of an Order to Show Cause issued to George P. Turner as to why his teaching certificates should not be revoked. Turner currently holds a Teacher of Elementary Grades K-6 Certificate of Eligibility, Teacher of Students with Disabilities Certificate of Eligibility, Teacher of Elementary Grades K-6, and Teacher of Students with Disabilities certificates. After the teaching certification matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for hearing, Turner presented a proposal to the Board in which he would agree to a six-month suspension of his certificates. Turner did not admit or concede the truth of the allegations in the Order to Show Cause. After reviewing the proposal, at its meeting of November 1, 2019, the Board voted to accept it. Accordingly, on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 2019, George P. Turner's certificates are hereby SUSPENDED for six-months. It is further ORDERED that Turner 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 *N.J.S.A.* 18A:6-38.4.