

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
LAURA M. KANE : 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 Laura M. Kane as to why her teaching certificates should not be revoked. Kane currently holds Teacher of Elementary K-6 Certificate of Eligibility, Teacher of Elementary K-6 Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing, Teacher of Students with Disabilities Certificate of Eligibility, and a Teacher of Elementary K-6 certificate.

After the matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for hearing, Kane presented a proposal to the Board in which she agreed to a 60-day suspension of her certificates pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 6A:9B-4.7*. The Board adopted the terms of the consent order. Kane did not admit or concede the truth of the allegations in the Order to Show Cause. After reviewing the proposal, at its meeting of January 23, 2020, the Board voted to accept it.

Accordingly, on this 23rd day of January, 2020, it is therefore ordered that Laura Kane's Teacher of Elementary K-6 Certificate of Eligibility, Teacher of Elementary K-6 Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing, Teacher of Students with Disabilities Certificate of Eligibility, and a Teacher of Elementary K-6 certificate are hereby SUSPENDED for 60 days, effective immediately. It is further ORDERED that Kane 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.

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)*.