


IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
CHRISTOPHER POND : ORDER OF SUSPENSION
_____ : DOCKET NO. 2122-114

This matter was opened by the Board of Examiners (Board) by way of an Order to Show Cause issued to Christopher Pond on October 28, 2022, as to why his teaching certificates should not be revoked. Pond currently holds a Teacher of Health and Physical Education Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing, issued August 2001; and a standard Teacher of Health and Physical Education certificate, issued November 2004.

After the matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law for hearing, Pond presented a proposal to the Board in which he would agree to a two (2) year suspension of his certificates. Pond did not admit or concede the truth of the allegations in the Order to Show Cause. After reviewing the proposal, at its meeting of August 8, 2025, the Board voted to accept it.

Accordingly, on this 8th day of August 2025, it is therefore ORDERED that Christopher Pond's Teacher of Health and Physical Education Certificate of Eligibility with Advanced Standing and standard Teacher of Health and Physical Education certificate are hereby SUSPENDED for two (2) years, effective immediately. It is further ORDERED that Pond return the above-mentioned paper certificates, if issued, 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 email, 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)*.