IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

STEPHEN T. KAPPRE : ORDER ACCEPTING RELINQUISHMENT

: DOCKET NO. 2223-148

At its meeting of October 30, 2025, the New Jersey State Board of Examiners (Board) reviewed an affidavit it received from Sarah A. Spanarkel, Supervising Assistant Prosecutor with the Gloucester County Prosecutor's Office regarding Stephen T. Kappre. Kappre currently holds a Teacher of Music Certificate of Eligibility, issued November 1, 2008, and a Teacher of Music Standard certificate, issued July 1, 2011.

Kappre 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 October 30, 2025, the Board voted to accept Kappre's relinquishment with the force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C.* 6A:9B-4.10.

Accordingly, on this 30th day of October 2025, it is therefore ORDERED that Stephen T. Kappre's Teacher of Music Certificate of Eligibility and Teacher of Music Standard certificate are hereby ORDERED RELINQUISHED, with the force and effect of a revocation, effective immediately. It is further ORDERED that Kappre 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).