IN THE MATTER OF NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

THE CREDENTIAL OF STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

DEMOND EDWARDS ORDER OF REVOCATION

DOCKET NO: 0809-170

At its meeting of January 13, 2009, the State Board of Examiners reviewed an affidavit the Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office had forwarded regarding Demond Edwards. On August 19, 2008 Edwards pled guilty to harassment. The Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office provided the State Board of Examiners with information that in October 2008 Edwards was sentenced to five years' probation. The Court also ordered him to surrender his teaching

credential as part of his sentence. Edwards currently holds a Substitute Credential that expires in

January 2010.

Edwards agreed to forfeit his credential with the force and effect of a revocation and all attendant consequences in his affidavit to that effect to the New Jersey State Board of Examiners. At its meeting of January 13, 2009, the Board voted to accept Edwards' relinquishment with the

force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C.* 6A:9-17.8.

Accordingly, on this 13th day of January 2009 it is therefore ORDERED that the revocation of Demond Edwards' Substitute Credential be effective immediately.

Robert R. Higgins, Secretary State Board of Examiners

Appeals may be made to the Commissioner of Education pursuant to the provisions of N.J.A.C. 6A:4-1.3(b).

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