IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS

JAMES DARDEN : ORDER OF REVOCATION

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At its meeting of May 11, 2009, the State Board of Examiners reviewed an affidavit James Darden had forwarded. As the result of a Court Order resolving criminal charges brought against him, Darden had to forfeit his teaching certificates. Darden currently holds a Teacher of English Certificate of Eligibility With Advanced Standing, issued in February 1998 and a Teacher

Darden agreed to forfeit his certificates 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 May 11, 2009, the Board voted to accept Darden's relinquishment with the force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C.* 6A:9-17.8.

Accordingly, on this 11th day of May 2009 it is therefore ORDERED that the revocation of James Darden's Teacher of English Certificate of Eligibility With Advanced Standing and Teacher of English certificate 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).

Date of Mailing:

of English certificate, issued in July 1998.

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