

IN THE MATTER OF : NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
THE CERTIFICATES OF : STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS
DAVID L. RODRIGUEZ : ORDER OF REVOCATION
_____ : DOCKET NO. 1516-186

At its meeting of September 15, 2017, the New Jersey State Board of Examiners (Board) reviewed an affidavit that the Burlington County Prosecutor's Office had forwarded regarding David L. Rodriguez. On May 17, 2017, Rodriguez pled guilty to Endangering the Welfare of a Child-Possession/View Child Pornography. On June 28, 2017, Rodriguez was sentenced to one year of probation and fined. As a result of the conviction, Rodriguez is disqualified from public school employment pursuant to *N.J.S.A. 18A:6-7.1 et seq.* Rodriguez currently holds Teacher of Agriculture and Teacher of Biological Science Certificates of Eligibility, both issued in October 2002 and Teacher of Agriculture and Teacher of Biological Science certificates, both issued in February 2004.

Rodriguez 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 September 15, 2017, the Board voted to accept Rodriguez's relinquishment with the force and effect of a revocation pursuant to *N.J.A.C. 6A:9B-4.7.*

Accordingly, on this 15th day of September 2017, it is therefore ORDERED that David L. Rodriguez's Teacher of Agriculture and Teacher of Biological Science Certificates of Eligibility and his Teacher of Agriculture and Teacher of Biological Science certificates be revoked, effective immediately.

Robert R. Higgins, Secretary
State Board of Examiners

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**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).*