1 2 3	BEFORE THE TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OREGON
3 4 5 6 7	In the Matter of the CORRECTED FINAL DEFAULT Teaching License of ORDER OF REVOCATION OF DONALD HUGH MEIKLE CORRECTED FINAL DEFAULT ORDER OF REVOCATION OF TEACHING LICENSE
8	On February 11, 2011, the Commission issued a Default Order of Revocation of
9	Teaching License to Donald Hugh Meikle. Due to a clerical error in the Default Order,
0	the Commission hereby issues this Corrected Final Order .
1	On December 1, 2010, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission
12	(Commission) issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Donald Hugh Meikle
13	(Meikle) in which the Commission charged him with Gross Neglect of Duty pursuant to
14	OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n), OAR 584-020-0010 (5), OAR 584-020-0040(5)(e), OAR 584-
15	020-0040(1)(m), OAR 584-020-0040(1)(s), OAR 584-020-0040(1)(II), OAR 584-020-
16	0040(1)(mm). The Notice was sent via U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail
17	Receipt 7010 0290 0001 6831 4701 to the address on file with the Commission. The
18	regular mail was not returned to the Commission. Meikle signed for the certified mail on
19	December 6, 2010. The Notice of Opportunity of Hearing, dated December 1, 2010,
20	and signed by Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director, stated:
21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	"IF A REQUEST FOR HEARING IS NOT RECEIVED WITHIN THIS 21-DAY PERIOD, YOUR RIGHT TO A HEARING SHALL BE CONSIDERED WAIVED UNLESS YOUR FAILURE TO REQUEST A HEARING WAS BEYOND YOUR REASONABLE CONTROL. IF YOU DO NOT REQUEST A HEARING OR IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT A HEARING, THE COMMISSION WILL ADOPT AN ORDER OF DEFAULT WHICH MAY INCLUDE THE REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION OF YOUR LICENSE OR OTHER DISCIPLINE."
29	Meikle did not request a hearing. The Commission, therefore, finds Meikle to be in
30	default and enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and order, based on
31	the files and records of the Commission concerning this matter.

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1		FINDINGS OF FACT	
2	1.	Douglas Hugh Meikle has been licensed as a teacher in Oregon by the	
3		Commission since April 13, 1987. Meikle's Initial Administrator License, issued	
4		on April 2, 2008, expires on August 4, 2014. Meikle's Standard Teaching	
5		License issued September 1, 2009, with a Basic Elementary endorsement,	
6		expires on August 4, 2011.	
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8	2.	On December 9, 2009, Meikle was interviewed by Portland Police regarding	
9		allegations that Meikle frequented the SE 82 nd Avenue area of Portland in an	
10		effort to engage the services of prostitutes. During this interview Meikle admitted	
11		that he frequented the area in question for the purpose of prostitution, and that	
12		Meikle had allowed two prostitutes, SN and JR live with him. During the time that	
13		JR lived with Meikle, she was approximately 16 years old. During Meikle's	
14		interview with Portland Police he stated that he had sex with both SN and JR	
15		while they lived with him.	
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17	3.	JR reported to her DHS caseworker that while she lived with Meikle, he asked	
18		her to help with bills and expenses and that Meikle expected her to prostitute in	
19		order to contribute to the household finances.	
20		CONCLUSIONS OF LAW	
21		Donald Hugh Meikle' conduct described in paragraphs 2 and 3 above constitutes	
22	gros	s neglect of duty and gross unfitness in violation of ORS 342.175(1)(b) and ORS	
23	342.175(1)(c); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates OAR 584-020-0010(5) (Use		
24	profe	essional judgment); and OAR 584-020-0040(5)(e) (Admission of or engaging in acts	
25	constituting criminal conduct, even in the absence of a conviction) specifically: OAR		
26	584-	020-0040(1)(m) (<i>ORS 163.415 Sexual Abuse in the Third Degree</i>), OAR 584-	
27	020-0040(1)(s) (ORS 163.445 Sexual Misconduct), OAR 584-020-0040(1)(kk) (ORS		
28	167.007 - Prostitution), OAR 584-020-0040(1)(II) (ORS 167.012 Promoting		
29	Prostitution), and OAR 584-020-0040(1)(mm) (ORS 167.017 Compelling Prostitution		
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1	The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon
2	ORS 342.175.
3	FINAL ORDER
4	The Commission hereby revokes Donald Hugh Meikle's Initial Administrator
5	License and his Standard Teaching License effective February 11, 2011.
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7	IT IS SO ORDERED THIS // day of May, 2011.
8	TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION
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18 19 20 21 22 23	YOU ARE ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW MAY BE OBTAINED BY FILING A PETITION FOR REVIEW WITHIN 60 DAYS FROM THE SERVICE OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW IS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ORS 183.482 TO THE OREGON COURT OF APPEALS.