1 2 3	BEFORE THE TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OREGON
5 6 7 8	In the Matter of the) Teaching License of) DEFAULT ORDER OF RAUSHANNA Z. MAJEED-PAULEY) LICENSE REVOCATION
9	On March 23, 2010, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission
10	(Commission) issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Raushanna Z. Majeed-
11	Pauley (Majeed-Pauley) in which the Commission charged her with Gross Neglect of
12	Duty pursuant to OAR 584-020-0040(5)(d). The Notice was sent via U.S. First Class
13	Mail and U.S. Certified Mail Receipt 7009 1410 0002 1925 4720 to the address on file
14	with the Commission. Ms. Majeed-Pauley signed for the Notice on March 26, 2010.
15	The Notice of Opportunity of Hearing, dated March 23, 2010, and signed by Victoria
16	Chamberlain, Executive Director, stated:
17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24	"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."
25	Ms. Majeed-Pauley did not request a hearing. The Commission, therefore, finds Ms.
26	Majeed-Pauley to be in default and enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of
27	law and order, based on the files and records of the Commission concerning this matter.
28	FINDINGS OF FACT
29	1. The Commission has licensed Ms. Majeed-Pauley as a teacher in Oregon since
30	October 1, 2004. Her current Restricted Substitute Teaching License, issued October
31	2, 2007, expires on October 1, 2010. During all relevant times, she was employed as a
32	substitute teacher in the Central School District.
33	2. Ms. Majeed-Pauley was arrested for various offenses in Cleveland, Ohio on August 4,
34	1969; Buffalo, New York on January 31, 1970; Highland Hills, Ohio on February 2,

1 1970; Cleveland, Ohio on May 16, 1970; Atlanta, Georgia on October 1, 1971; and Cleveland, Ohio on October 12, 1971, and December 6, 1971.

- 3. Ms. Majeed-Pauley's October 1, 1971, arrest resulted in a conviction for Loitering for the Purpose of Prostitution.
- 4. On October 12, 1971, and December 6, 1971, Ms. Majeed-Pauley was arrested for and subsequently convicted of Forgery.
- 5. On or about September 29, 2004, Ms. Majeed-Pauley signed and submitted an Application For Educator License Form C-1. She answered "no" to question number 8, "Have you ever been convicted or been granted conditional discharge by any court for: (a) any felony; (b) misdemeanor; or (c) any major traffic violation, such as: driving under the influence of intoxicants or drugs; reckless driving; fleeing from or attempting to elude a police officer; driving while your license was suspended, revoked or used in violation of any license restriction; or failure to perform the duties of a driver or witness at an accident?" She signed and submitted renewal applications on August 9, 2006, and August 15, 2007. She answered "no" to question 8 on each of these applications. These answers were false; Ms. Majeed-Pauley failed to disclose any of her arrests between 1969 and 1971.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Ms. Majeed-Pauley's conviction for Forgery constitutes gross unfitness in violation of OAR 584-020-0040(5)(c) (Conviction of violating any federal, state, or local law. A conviction includes any final judgment of conviction by a court whether as the result of guilty plea, no contest plea or any other means.) Ms. Majeed-Pauley's failure to correctly answer the character questions on her initial application and renewal application constitute gross neglect of duty in violation of OAR 584-020-0040(4)(c) (Knowing falsification of any document or knowing misrepresentation directly related to licensure, employment, or professional duties).

Furthermore, pursuant to OAR 584-020-0040, the Commission will revoke the license of any educator who has been convicted of any of the crimes listed in ORS

1	342.143, or the substantial equivalent of any of those crimes if convicted in another
2	jurisdiction. Ms. Majeed-Pauley's 1971 conviction for Prostitution constitutes gross
3	unfitness pursuant to OAR 584-020-0040(5)(d) because it is substantially equivalent to
4	OAR 167.007 (Prostitution) a crime listed in OAR 584-020-0040(1). The Commission's
5	authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon ORS 342.175.
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7	FINAL ORDER
8	The Commission hereby revokes Raushanna Z. Majeed-Pauley's educator
9	license.
10	IT IS SO ORDERED THIS May of May, 2010.
11	TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION
12 13 14 15 16 17 18	By: Chamberlain, Executive Director
19 20 21	NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS
22 23 24 25 26	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.