

1 convicted of Theft II, a Class A misdemeanor. You failed to report this conviction on your
2 Oregon application for licensure. Your response violated OAR 584-020-0040(4)(c) which
3 provides as follows "Knowing falsification of any documents or knowing misrepresentation
4 directly related to licensure, employment, or professional duties," constitutes gross neglect of
5 duty and is a basis for denial of licensure, as it is incorporated in ORS 342.143, "good moral
6 character."

7 2. On April 1, 2008, TSPC staff contacted you regarding your answers on the Application for
8 Educator License Form C-1. During this conversation you indicated that you had taken only a
9 single item from the store. Your response was false. A November 5, 2005 police report
10 indicated that you shoplifted approximately 16 items.

11 3. Each of your responses violated OAR 584-020-0040(4)(c) which provides as follows "Knowing
12 falsification of any documents or knowing misrepresentation directly related to licensure,
13 employment, or professional duties," constitutes gross neglect of duty and is a basis for denial
14 of licensure, as it is incorporated in ORS 342.143, "good moral character."

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16 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

17 Failure to respond to requests for information and to participate in interviews with a
18 Commission representative relating to a Commission investigation constitutes Gross Neglect of Duty
19 in violation of OAR 584-020-0040(4)(c). Ms. Bacon's "Knowing falsification of any documents or
20 knowing misrepresentation directly related to licensure, employment or professional duties"
21 constitutes gross neglect of duty in violation of OAR 584-020-0040(4)(c). The Commission's authority
22 to impose discipline in this matter is based upon ORS 342.175.

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3 **ORDER**

4 The Commission hereby revokes Lori Jean Bacon's right to apply for a teaching license.

5 IT IS SO ORDERED this 3 day of July, 2008.

6 TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

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8 By: 
9 Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director

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11 **NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS**

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13 YOU ARE ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW MAY BE
14 OBTAINED BY FILING A PETITION FOR REVIEW WITHIN 60 DAYS FROM THE SERVICE OF
15 THIS ORDER. JUDICIAL REVIEW IS PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ORS 183.482 TO THE
16 OREGON COURT OF APPEALS.