



SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

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IN THE MATTER OF THE EDUCATION	)	
CERTIFICATE OF	)	OPP No. D24-01-007
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PAMELA ALDY	)	FINAL ORDER
Certificate No. 595597F	)	OF REVOCATION
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After receiving and investigating a notification from the National Association of State Directors of Teacher Education and Certification (NASDTEC) regarding the above referenced educator, and based upon the facts available as of the date of this Proposed Order, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, through his undersigned designee, institutes this proceeding and finds, as described below, that PAMELA ALDY (“Educator”) engaged in acts of unprofessional conduct to include Revised Code of Washington (RCW) 28A.410.090(6) and does hereby REVOKE the Educator’s Washington Education Certificate No. 595597F based on the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

I. FINDINGS OF FACT

1. On January 24, 2023, the Educator was issued Washington Education Certificate No. 595597F. The Educator’s certificate, a Residency ESA – First Issue, has no expiration date.
2. During the 2020–21 school year, the Educator was employed by the Lincoln Public Schools in Lincoln, Nebraska as a school psychologist.
3. On December 7, 2023, the Office of Professional Practices (“OPP”) within the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (“OSPI”) received notice from NASDTEC that the Educator’s Nebraska education certificate had been revoked for two (2) years for unprofessional conduct.

4. On April 1, 2021, the Educator was observed consuming an alcoholic beverage upon school premises within the Lincoln Public Schools. A subsequent test of the Educator's breath to determine blood-alcohol content resulted in readings of .091 and .106. The Educator was placed on administrative leave the same day.
5. On April 12, 2021, the Lincoln Public Schools canceled the Educator's employment contract for the remainder of the 2020–21 school year. A complaint concerning the Educator was sent to the Nebraska Department of Education (DOE) the same day.
6. On May 19, 2021, the Educator received notification from Nebraska DOE that she was under investigation for allegations of professional misconduct.
7. On December 7, 2021, the Educator consumed an alcoholic beverage upon school premises at Brook Valley South School, within the Educational Service Unit (ESU) 3. During an interview by ESU 3 administrators, the Educator divulged that she was under investigation by Nebraska DOE.
8. On November 29, 2022, the Educator submitted an application for ESA Residency Certificate to OSPI. In the Character & Fitness Supplement, a required component of the certification application, the Educator falsely answered 'No' to the following questions:
 - a. Are you currently or have you ever been the subject of any certificate of licensing investigation or inquiry by any certification or licensing agency for allegations of misconduct?
 - b. Have you ever been dismissed, discharged, or fired from any employment position involving children or dependent adults?
 - c. Are you currently or have you ever been the subject of any investigation or inquiry by an employer because of allegations of misconduct?

9. On September 29, 2023, the Nebraska DOE issued a Final Order revoking the Educator's Nebraska education certificate for a period of two (2) years.

II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. Revised Code of Washington ("RCW") Chapter 28A.410 gives the Professional Educator Standards Board the authority to develop regulations determining eligibility for and certification of personnel employed in the common schools of the state of Washington. OSPI acts as the administrator of those statutes and regulations and has the authority to issue, reprimand, suspend, and revoke education certificates. RCW 28A.410.010; RCW 28A.410.090. Chapters 181-86 and 181-87 of the WAC further implement OSPI's authority.

2. OSPI has jurisdiction over the Educator and the subject matter of this action.

3. Pursuant to WAC 181-86-175, RCW 28A.410.090 (6), there is clear and convincing evidence that the Educator violated relevant Washington state laws and rules when she intentionally falsified information on an application for Washington education certification.

4. Pursuant to WAC 181-86-013, there is clear and convincing evidence that the Educator lacks the good moral character and/or personal fitness necessary to serve as a certificated employee in schools in the state of Washington, including the character and personal fitness to have contact with, to teach, and to perform supervision of children.

5. Pursuant to RCW 28A.410.090(6), any such certificate or permit authorized under this chapter or chapter 28A.405 RCW shall be revoked by the authority authorized to grant the certificate upon a finding that the certificate holder obtained the certificate through fraudulent means, including the fraudulent misrepresentation of required academic credentials or prior criminal record.

6. Pursuant to WAC 181-86-075, a revocation is appropriate discipline when: (2) the superintendent of public instruction has determined that the education practitioner has not committed a felony crime under WAC 181-86-013 (1) or (2) but the superintendent of public instruction has determined the education practitioner has committed an act of unprofessional conduct or lacks good moral character or personal fitness and revocation is appropriate.

7. Based on the foregoing facts and considering them in light of the eleven factors enumerated in WAC 181-86-080, and in light of WAC 181-86-075, RCW 28A.410.090(6), and WAC 181-86-013, the Educator's education certificate should be revoked for obtaining a Washington education certificate by fraudulent means.

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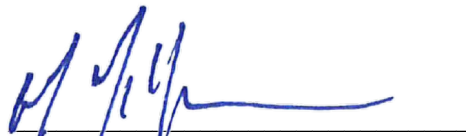
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III. ORDER

THEREFORE, it is hereby ordered that the Washington Education Certificate No. 595597F of PAMELA ALDY is **REVOKED**.

DATED this 20th day of August, 2026.

CHRIS REYKDAL
Superintendent of Public Instruction
State of Washington



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