1	BEFORE THE TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION
2	OF THE STATE OF OREGON
3 4 5 6 7	In the Matter of the Control of FACTS AND STIPULATION OF FACTS AND FINAL ORDER OF PUBLIC REPRIMAND
7	On December 5, 2017, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission
8	(Commission) received a report the Astoria School District indicating possible
9	professional misconduct on the part of licensed educator, Virginia Larsson (Larsson).
10	After review of the matters alleged, Larsson and the Commission agree that their
11	respective interests, together with the public interest, are best served by a stipulation to
12	certain facts and the imposition of a Public Reprimand.
13	This Order sets forth the facts upon which the parties have agreed and the
14	sanction to be imposed. Larsson stipulates that there are sufficient facts contained in the
15	Commission's files and records to support the findings of fact and conclusions of law set
16	forth below. In entering into this stipulation, Larsson waives the right to a hearing to
17	contest the findings of fact, conclusions of law and order set forth below.
18	By signing below, Larsson acknowledges, understands, stipulates, and agrees to
19	the following: (i) she has been fully advised of her rights to notice and a hearing to
20	contest the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and order set forth below, and fully and
21	finally waives all such rights and any rights to appeal or otherwise challenge this
22	Stipulation of Facts and Final Order of Public Reprimand (Stipulation and Final Order);
23	(ii) this Stipulation and Final Order is a public document and disclosed to the public
24	upon request by the Commission; (iii) this Stipulation and Final Order is contingent
25	upon and subject to approval and adoption by the Commission. If the Commission does
26	not approve and adopt this Stipulation and Final Order, then neither Larsson nor the
27	Commission are bound by the terms herein; (iv) she has fully read this Stipulation and
28	Final Order, and understands it completely; (v) she voluntarily, without any force or
29	duress, enters into this Stipulation and Final Order and consents to issuance and entry of
30	the Stipulated Final Order below; (vi) she states that no promise or representation has
31	been made to induce her to sign this Stipulation and Final Order; and (vii) she has
32	consulted with an attorney regarding this Stipulation and Final Order and has been fully
33	advised with regard to her rights thereto, or waives any and all rights to consult with an
34	attorney prior to entering into this Stipulation and Final Order and issuance and entry of
35	the Stipulated Final Order below.

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1 STIPULATION OF FACTS 2 1. The Commission has licensed Larsson since August 13, 2013. Larsson holds a Professional Teaching License, with an endorsement Advanced Mathematics 3 (PK-12), valid from October 31, 2017 through January 29, 2023. During all 4 relevant times, Larsson was employed by the Astoria School District (ASD). 5 6 2. On December 5, 2017, the Commission received a report from ASD indicating 7 Larsson had engaged in possible professional misconduct. The district reported 8 9 Larsson engaged in inappropriate physical contact with a student in an attempt to redirect the student. On December 11, 2017, the Commission received a second 10 11 report from ASD regarding an additional physical interaction with another 12 student who Larsson physically redirected in a manner that violated district 13 policies. 14 15 3. Investigation determined that on three separate occasions during the 2017-2018 16 school year, Larsson physically and/or verbally interacted with disruptive 17 students in a manner that violated district policies and established professional 18 standards. ASD issued Larsson progressive discipline for the policy violations. On 19 May 7, 2018, Larsson resigned her employment with ASD. 20 21 4. Larsson acknowledged that the student age range and local school culture was 22 not a good fit for her and her prior experience teaching older, more mature 23 students at a district that embraced a culture designed to hold students more 24 accountable. 25 26 27 IT IS SO STIPULATED: 9 27 19 Date 10/3/2019 28 29 30 31 32 Trent Danowski, Deputy Director 33 Teacher Standards and Practices Commission

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1	CONCLUSION OF LAW
2	The conduct described in sections two through five above constitutes gross neglect
3	of duty in violation of ORS 342.175(1)(b); OAR 584-020-0040(4)(n) as it incorporates
4	OAR 584-020-0010(5) (Use professional judgment), OAR 584-020-0020(2)(d) (Skill in
5	the supervision of students), OAR 584-020-0025(2)(a) (Establishing and maintaining
6	classroom management that is conducive to learning), and OAR 584-020-0025(2)(e)
7	(Using district lawful and reasonable rules and regulations).
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9	The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter is based upon
10	ORS 342.175.
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12	ORDER
13	The Commission adopts and incorporates herein the above findings of fact and
14	conclusions of law, and based thereon, imposes a Public Reprimand on Virginia
15	Larsson's Oregon educator license.
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17	Issued and dated this day of November, 2019.
18	TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION
19	STATE OF OREGON
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22	Dr. Anthony Rosilez, Executive Director