

1 BEFORE THE TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION  
2 OF THE STATE OF OREGON  
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4 In the Matter of the ) DEFAULT ORDER OF  
5 Teaching License of ) LICENSE REVOCATION AND  
6 SUSAN CHRISTINA ALDERSON ) REVOCATION OF RIGHT TO APPLY  
7 ) FOR LICENSE  
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10 On May 18, 2010, the Teacher Standards and Practices Commission (Commission)  
11 issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing to Susan Christina Alderson (Alderson) in which the  
12 Commission charged her with Gross Neglect of Duty pursuant to OAR 584-020-0040(4)(g), (i),  
13 (j), (m) and (n). The Notice was sent via U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail Receipt  
14 7009 1410 0002 1902 5221 to the address on file with the Commission. The Certified Mail was  
15 signed for on May 19, 2010. The Notice of Opportunity of Hearing, dated May 18, 2010, and  
16 signed by Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director, stated:

17 "If you want a hearing, you must file a written request for a hearing with the Commission  
18 within 21 days of the date of this notice."  
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20 Ms. Alderson did not request a hearing. The Commission, therefore, finds Ms. Alderson  
21 to be in default and enters the following findings of fact, conclusions of law and order, based on  
22 the files and records of the Commission concerning this matter.  
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24 **FINDINGS OF FACT**

25 1. On February 2, 2010, in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County,  
26 Susan Alderson pled guilty, and was convicted of 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Rape, two counts; 1<sup>st</sup> Degree  
27 Sodomy, two counts; 3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Sexual Abuse, two counts; and 2<sup>nd</sup> degree Sexual Abuse, two  
28 counts.  
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30 **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

31 Susan Christina Alderson's criminal convictions for Rape, Sodomy and Sexual Abuse  
32 constitute gross neglect of duty in violation of: OAR 584-020-0040(1)(g) (ORS 163.375), OAR  
33 584-020-0040(1)(j) (ORS 163.405), OAR 584-020-0040(1)(m) (ORS 163.415) and OAR 584-  
34 020-0040(1)(n) (ORS 163.425). The Commission's authority to impose discipline in this matter  
35 is based upon ORS 342.175.


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**FINAL ORDER**

The Commission hereby revokes the Standard Teaching License issued to Susan Christina Alderson and revokes her right to apply for a teaching license.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS 9<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2010.

TEACHER STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

By:   
Victoria Chamberlain, Executive Director

**NOTICE OF APPEAL OR RIGHTS**

**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.**

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that I served the foregoing notice of final order, certified by me as such, by mailing U.S. First Class Mail and U.S. Certified Mail—Return Receipt Requested, addressed to:

Susan Christina Alderson  
Marion County Correctional Facility  
4000 Aumsville Hwy  
Salem OR 97301

Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2011.

By: Melody Hanson  
Melody Hanson  
Executive Assistant