Teacher Licensure Actions: V. J.

Sheri Hyatt Voluntary Surrender

The Background:

Facts: In May 2017, Respondent retired from Williamson County Schools amid allegations of

unprofessionalism with a student, including but not limited to, leaving a child at a table with little interaction or teaching for over two hours and having the same child stand on a square as a form of discipline for more than one hour after sitting for two hours.

Status: Respondent was notified by certified mail of the Board's intent to revoke her educator

license based upon these findings, and of her right to a hearing. Respondent received notice, and waived her right to a hearing, but agreed to voluntarily surrender her

Tennessee educator license.

The Recommendation:

Respondent's conduct constitutes grounds for license revocation, suspension, or formal reprimand or refusal to issue or renew a license pursuant to Board Rule 0520-02-03-.09(2)(f).

The Board staff attorney recommends that the Board enter into an agreed order with Respondent for a voluntary surrender of her Tennessee educator license.