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IN THE MATTER OF THE EDUCATION)	
CERTIFICATE OF)	OPP No. D08-07-059
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STEVEN WILSON)	FINAL ORDER
Certificate No. 387141E)	OF REVOCATION
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COMES NOW the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI), under the authority granted by the laws of the state of Washington, having reviewed the file of the above-referenced case, and having considered the entire evidence contained therein, does hereby revoke the Washington Education Certificate, No. 387141E, of Steven Wilson, based on the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law set forth below:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- Steven Wilson was issued a Washington Education Certificate, No. 387141E, on May 24,
 That certificate currently remains valid.
- 2. Steven Wilson was employed by the Lake Washington School District.
- 3. On July 23, 2008, the Office of Professional Practices, within OSPI, did receive a complaint letter from Chip Kimball, Superintendent of the Lake Washington School District alleging a lack of personal fitness, or a violation of the Code of Professional Conduct, Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 181-87, by Steven Wilson.

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- 4. On or about January 9, 2006, Steven Wilson made an inappropriate comment to a female student. On January 26, 2006, Steven Wilson received a Letter of Directive from Patricia Fowler-Fung, Director of Human Resources for Lake Washington School District.
- 5. On or about June 8, 2008, through July 1, 2008, on more than one occasion, Steven Wilson had sexual contact with a 17 year old female foreign exchange student.
- 6. On July 2, 2008, an investigation was initiated by the King County Sheriff's Department; Case No. 08-159642.
- 7. On July 10, 2008, Steven Wilson was placed on Leave of Absence by Patricia Fowler-Fung, Human Resources Director for Lake Washington School District.
- 8. On July 9, 2008, Steven Wilson resigned from the Lake Washington School District.
- 9. On July 29, 2008, a <u>Certification for Determination of Probable Cause</u> was signed by Detective Casey Johnson, with the King County Sheriff's Office advising there is probable cause to believe that Steven Wilson committed the crimes of 2nd Degree Sexual Misconduct, RCW 9A.44.096(1)(b), and Tampering with a Witness, RCW 9A.72.120.
- 10. On August 18, 2009, an <u>Information</u> was filed in King County Superior Court charging Steven Wilson with two (2) Counts of Sexual Misconduct with a Minor in the Second Degree, RCW 9A.44.096(1)(b); King County Superior Case No. 08-1-07609-8 SEA. STEVEN WILSON

- 11. On February 13, 2009, Steven Wilson signed a <u>Statement of Defendant, Plea of Guilty</u> pleading guilty to the crime of Sexual Misconduct with a Minor in the Second Degree; King County Superior Case No. 08-1-07609-8 SEA.
- 12. On March 13, 2009, a <u>Judgment and Sentence</u>, Non-Felony was filed in King County Superior Court finding Steven Wilson guilty by plea of Sexual Misconduct with a Minor in the Second Degree; RCW 9A.44.096(1)(b); King County Superior Case No. 08-1-07609-8 SEA.
- 13. On April 14, 2009, OPP offered Steven Wilson the opportunity to respond to the allegations in the criminal investigation. As of June 10, 2009, Steven Wilson has not provided a response.
- 14. Good moral character and personal fitness is a continuing requirement to maintain a Washington Education Certificate.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1.	OSPI has jurisdiction over Steven Wilson and over the subject matter of this action.				
2.	OSPI has shown by clear and convincing evidence that the Washington Education				
Certifi	icate, No. 387141E, of Steven Wilson, should be revoked as provided for in WAC 181-86-				
075.					
3.	Steven Wilson has violated: WAC 181-87-080, RCW 28A.410.090, WAC 181-86-013				
and/or	WAC 181-86-014.				
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ORDER

THEREFORE, it is hereby ordered that the Washington Education Certificate, No. 387141E, of Steven Wilson be revoked.

RANDY I. DORN

Superintendent of Public Instruction

State of Washington

Martin T. Mueller

Assistant Superintendent

Student Support

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