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IN THE MATTER OF THE EDUCATION)	
CERTIFICATE OF)	OPP No. D14-07-063
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RONALD SCHENK)	FINAL ORDER OF
Certificate No. 450858F)	MANDATORY PERMANENT
_____)	REVOCATION

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 permanently revoke the Washington Education Certificate, No. 450858f, of Ronald Schenk, based on the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law set forth below:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Ronald Schenk was issued a Washington Education Certificate, No. 450858F, on July 22, 2009. That certificate currently remains valid.

2. Ronald Schenk was employed by the Yakima School District as a substitute teacher.

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3. On July 8, 2014, the Office of Professional Practices, within OSPI, became aware that Ronald Schenk had been convicted of a felony offense included with WAC 181-86-013(2).

4. On April 16, 2013, Ronald Schenk was involved in a domestic dispute with Paul Grant, an adult male, and subsequently stabbed him multiple times, with the intention of killing him..

5. On April 17, 2013, a Declaration of Probable Cause was filed in Yakima County Superior Court, alleging that Ronald Schenk stabbed Paul Grant, an adult male, in the chest and back multiple times in an attempt to kill him. Ronald Schenk was arrested and booked for 1st Degree Assault-DV; Yakima Police Department Case No. 13Y014863.

6. On May 13, 2014, Ronald Schenk signed a Statement of Defendant on Plea of Guilty to Non-Sex Offense (Felony). In the Statement of Defendant on Plea of Guilty, Ronald Schenk admitted that he assaulted Paul Grant by stabbing him with a knife multiple times, wanting him dead; Yakima County Superior Court Case No. 13-1-00602-8.

7. On May 13, 2014, a Felony Judgment and Sentence was entered in Yakima County Superior Court to include a 24 Months Deadly Weapon Enhancement; Yakima County Superior Court Case No. 13-1-00602-8.

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8. On May 14, 2014, an Order Amending Judgment and Sentence was entered in Yakima County Superior Court ordering Ronald Schenk to be confined for 132 months plus an additional 24 Months Deadly Weapon Enhancement; Yakima County Superior Court Case No. 13-1-00602-8.

9. On August 7, 2014, Ronald Schenk was given the opportunity to submit a statement to an OPP investigator.

10. Ronald Schenk has pleaded guilty or been convicted of a crime identified in Revised Code of Washington; RCW 28A.410.090(3). Such a plea or conviction authorizes OSPI to permanently revoke the Education Certificate.

11. 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 Ronald Schenk and over the subject matter of this action.

2. OSPI has shown by clear and convincing evidence that the Washington Education Certificate No. 450858F, of Ronald Schenk, should be revoked for unprofessional conduct and/or lack of good moral character or personal fitness. RCW 28A.410.090; WAC 181-86-075; WAC 181-87-050; WAC 181-86-013; WAC 181-86-014.

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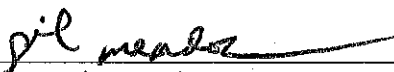
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ORDER

Therefore, it is hereby ordered that the Washington Education Certificate, No. 450858F, of Ronald Schenk be permanently revoked.

DATED This 27 day of October, 2014.

RANDY I. DORN
Superintendent of Public Instruction
State of Washington



Gil Mendoza, Ed. D
Deputy Superintendent
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