



SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

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SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC
INSTRUCTION

v.

KARL ACKERMAN
Certificate No. 340175R

FINAL ORDER
OF PERMANENT REVOCATION

OPP No. D96-08-124

Thirty calendar days have transpired since the mailing to you of a Proposed Order of Permanent Revocation. Your failure to make a timely appeal of such order authorizes this agency to issue a Final Order of Permanent Revocation based on the Finding(s) of Fact and Conclusion(s) of Law set forth in the Proposed Order of Permanent Revocation. The following is hereby entered:

FINDING(S) OF FACT

1. You hold a currently valid Washington educational certificate allowing you to teach in this state. That certificate was issued on 8/11/95 and expires on 8/31/99.
2. On March 19, 1996, you were found guilty by bench trial, in the Superior Court of the state of Washington, in and for the County of Spokane, of Child Molestation in the Second Degree. This is a felony crime in this state (RCW 9A.44.086[1]).

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3. Between October 1, 1994 and October 9, 1995, you did engage in sexual contact with a girl who was then twelve and thirteen years of age, a crime against the laws of the state.
4. You are currently serving a six month sentence in a Spokane County facility, as ordered by the court.
5. You have been ordered to not remain in the presence of any minors under the age of 18 without a responsible adult present, who has been informed of your conviction(s) and the circumstances surrounding it/them and approved by your community corrections officer.
6. You have been ordered to register as a sex offender with the County Sheriff in the county of your residence.
7. You have been ordered to undergo and successfully complete a sex offender treatment program.

CONCLUSION(S) OF LAW

1. Based on the above Finding(s) of Fact, the Superintendent of Public Instruction has determined KARL ACKERMAN lacks the good moral character and personal fitness required by WAC 180-75-081 to serve as a certificated employee in the schools of this state.

2. You have demonstrated a behavioral problem which endangers the educational welfare or personal safety of students, which is in violation of WAC 180-75-081(3).

3. Due to the nature of your crime, the revocation of your certificate will be permanent, without option for reinstatement, as outlined in the Revised Code of Washington (RCW), section 28A.410.090(2) which states:

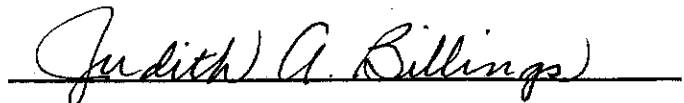
Any such certificate or permit authorized under this chapter or chapter 28A.405 RCW shall be revoked by the authority authorized to grant the certificate upon a guilty plea or the conviction of any felony crime involving.....sexual offenses under chapter 9A.44 RCW where a minor is the victim.....

Mandatory permanent revocation upon a guilty plea or the conviction of felony crimes specified under this subsection shall apply to such convictions or guilty pleas which occur after July 23, 1989.

ORDER

Therefore, the Washington Educational Certificate of KARL ACKERMAN, Certificate No. 340175R, is hereby permanently revoked.

DATED This 17th day of September, 1996.



JUDITH A. BILLINGS
Superintendent of Public Instruction
State of Washington