

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

IN THE MATTER OF:)
) **License No. 000249024**
STEPHANIE COLE)

ORDER OF REVOCATION

The Tennessee State Board of Education (“Board”) disposes of this matter as follows:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. At all times pertinent hereto, Stephanie Cole (“Respondent”) was a licensed teacher in the State of Tennessee.
2. On March 2, 2016, Respondent was convicted of first degree murder (felony) and sentenced to life in prison.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

Pursuant to T.C.A. §§ 49-5-417 and 40-35-501(i)(2)(A) and Board Rule 0520-02-03-.09(1), (2)(a), and (2)(f), Respondent’s license is subject to automatic revocation.

ORDER

The Board hereby revokes Respondent’s educator license effective on the date of this order. During the period of revocation, Respondent shall not serve as a volunteer or be employed, directly or indirectly, as an educator, paraprofessional, aide, substitute teacher, or in any other position during the period of revocation. Restoration of Respondent’s license shall be at the discretion of the Board, pursuant to Board policy 5.500 – License Restoration Policy.

Approved by the Board this 19th day of October, 2018.

TENNESSEE STATE BOARD OF
EDUCATION

BY: 

Lillian Hartgrove, Chair

ATTEST: 

Sara Morrison, Executive Director

Sworn to and subscribed before me this ____26____ day of October, 2018.



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After entry, a copy of this Order will be mailed to Respondent's last known address:

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