

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

IN THE MATTER OF:)
) **License No. 000582544**
JOSEPH F. LUETKEMEYER)

ORDER

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

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. At all times pertinent hereto, Joseph Luetkemeyer (“Respondent”) was a licensed teacher in the State of Tennessee.
2. On or about January 25, 2017, Respondent pled guilty to theft of property (school merchandise) over \$1,000.00, a felony, and theft of property (school merchandise) over \$500.00, a misdemeanor in the Criminal/Circuit Court for Cumberland County, Tennessee. Respondent was ordered to supervised probation for six (6) years beginning August 9, 2017 to August 9, 2023.
3. On September 1, 2017, Respondent was notified by certified mail of the Board’s intent to revoke his license based upon these findings and of his right to a hearing. Respondent received the certified letter but did not request a hearing.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

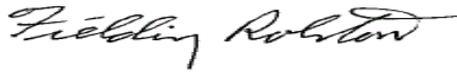
Respondent’s conduct constitutes grounds for license suspension or revocation pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 49-1-302(a)(5)(A)(iv) and Board Rule 0520-02-03-.09(2)(f).

ORDER

The Tennessee State Board of Education 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.

Approved by the Board this 20th day of October, 2017.

TENNESSEE STATE BOARD OF
EDUCATION

BY: 

B. Fielding Rolston, Chair

ATTEST: 
Sara Morrison, Executive Director

Sworn to and subscribed before me this ____26th____ day of October, 2017.



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

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