January 3, 2014

Mr. Jack K. Pickup, Jr.

Re: Revocation of Professional Educator License
PEL ID # 2081889

Dear Mr. Pickup:

The State Superintendent of Education has revoked your Professional Educator License PEL ID # 2081889 pursuant to Section 21B-75 of the School Code. A copy of the Superintendent’s Order is enclosed for your information.

Sincerely,

Angela Wartowski
Investigator/Legal Department

cc: Vicki Phillips, SEPLB (via email)
Regional Superintendent Bruce Brown, Region 05 South Cook County
Regional Superintendent Kay Poyner Brown, Region 06 West Suburban Cook County
Regional Superintendent Dr. Vanessa Kinder, Region 07 South Suburban Cook County
Regional Superintendent Royceallee Wood, Lake County ROE

Enclosure: Order
PROOF OF SERVICE

I certify that I served the foregoing Order by depositing copies thereof in the United States Mail, via certified mail, postage prepaid, on January 3, 2014, addressed to the following at the address shown:

Mr. Jack K. Pickup, Jr.

I further certify that I served the foregoing referenced documents by electronic mail, on January 3, 2014, to the following at the addresses shown:

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Illinois State Board of Education
IN THE MATTER OF THE REVOCATION
OF THE PROFESSIONAL EDUCATOR
LICENSE OF JACK K. PICKUP, JR.
PEL ID #2081889

ORDER

THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION, being charged with the authority and responsibility for suspending or revoking licenses to teach in the State of Illinois, finds and orders as follows:

WHEREAS on November 19, 2013, a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing and Statement of Charges was issued to Jack K. Pickup, Jr. ("Pickup"), the provisions of which are hereby incorporated into this Order, recommending that his professional educator license be revoked for unprofessional and immoral conduct in violation of Section 21B-75 of the School Code (105 ILCS 5/21B-75);

WHEREAS Section 21B-75 of the School Code states that "if the State Superintendent of Education does not receive from an individual a request for a hearing within 10 days after the individual receives notice, the suspension or revocation shall immediately take effect in accordance with the notice";

WHEREAS THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION did not receive from Pickup a request for hearing within 10 days of Pickup’s receipt of the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing and Statement of Charges;

WHEREAS, Pickup’s failure to timely request a hearing results in the sanction recommended by the State Superintendent being imposed as a matter of law;

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED THAT Professional Educator License PEL ID #2081889 of Jack K. Pickup, Jr. be hereby revoked, effective as of the date of this Order.

This is a final administrative determination and is subject to review pursuant to provisions of the Administrative Review Law (735 ILCS 5/3-101 et seq.) and 105 ILCS 5/21B-90.

Dated at Springfield, Illinois, this 17th day of December, 2013.

Christopher A. Koch, Ed.D
State Superintendent of Education