



MEMORANDUM

TO: Utah State Board of Education

FROM: Carol B. Lear, J. D., Executive Secretary
Utah Professional Practices Advisory Commission (UPPAC)

SUBJECT: Recommendation of the Utah Professional Practices Advisory Commission (UPPAC)

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The following recommendation of the Utah Professional Practices Advisory Commission (UPPAC) is transmitted for action by the Utah State Board of Education:

(1) Case No. 13-1181

The Commission recommends suspension of the educator's Level 2 Career and Technical Education License in UPPAC Case No. 13-1181. The educator may request a reinstatement hearing following satisfaction of all conditions in the stipulated agreement and completion of a criminal background check, no sooner than one (1) year from the date of Board action. Any UPPAC recommendation for reinstatement following a hearing is subject to Board approval.

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(2) Case No. 13-1115

The Commission recommends suspension of the educator's Level 1 Elementary and Title I Paraprofessional Education License in UPPAC Case NO. 13-1115. The Commission previously recommended a suspension of the educator's license for a period of not less than one (1) year and the recommendation was not accepted. The Commission is now recommending a suspension for not less than three (3) years. The educator may request a reinstatement hearing following satisfaction of all conditions in the stipulated agreement and completion of a criminal background check, no sooner than three (3) years from the date of Board action. Any UPPAC recommendation for reinstatement following a hearing is subject to Board approval.

(3) Case No. 13-1130

The Commission recommends suspension of the educator's Level 2 Special Education License in UPPAC Case No. 13-1130. The Commission previously recommended a suspension of the educator's license for a period of not less than three (3) years and the recommendation was not accepted. The Commission is now recommending a suspension for not less than five (5) years. The educator may request a reinstatement hearing following satisfaction of all conditions in the stipulated agreement and completion of a criminal background check, no sooner than five (5) years from the date of Board action. Any UPPAC recommendation for reinstatement following a hearing is subject to Board approval.

(4) Case No. 13-1180

The Commission recommends suspension of the educator's Level 1 Secondary Education License in UPPAC Case No 13-1180. The educator may request a reinstatement hearing following satisfaction of all conditions in the stipulated agreement and completion of a criminal background check, no sooner than two (2) years from the date of Board action. Any UPPAC recommendation for reinstatement following a hearing is subject to Board approval.

UPPAC is charged with maintaining and promoting a high standard of professional ethics among Utah educators. It is advisory to the State Board of Education in making recommendations regarding educator licensing and may take other disciplinary action respecting educator misconduct.