

UPPAC CONSENT CALENDAR:

December Board Meeting

UPPAC Investigations:

UPPAC recommends a dismissal in the following case:

1. Case No. 15-1278

UPPAC recommends a Letter of Admonishment in the following case:

1. Case No. 15-1277

UPPAC recommends a Letter of Warning in the following case:

1. Case No. 15-1285

Criminal Background Reviews:

UPPAC's Executive Secretary recommends clearance of the following criminal background reviews:

1. Case No. 15-55
2. Case No. 15-56
3. Case No. 15-57
4. Case No. 15-58
5. Case No. 15-59
6. Case No. 15-60
7. Case No. 15-61
8. Case No. 15-62
9. Case No. 15-63
10. Case No. 15-64
11. Case No. 15-66
12. Case No. 15-68

UPPAC recommends clearance of the following criminal background reviews:

1. Case No. 15-25
2. Case No. 15-39



MEMORANDUM

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TO: Utah State Board of Education

FROM: Benjamin Rasmussen, Executive Secretary
Utah Professional Practices Advisory Commission (UPPAC)

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

DATE: December 4, 2015

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The following recommendations of the Utah Professional Practices Advisory Commission (UPPAC) are transmitted for review and action by the Utah State Board of Education:

- **Case No. 15-1284**
This case came before the Board in its November meeting. The motion approved by the Board failed to take into account findings discussed in Executive Session. This matter is before the Board to consider whether to reconsider its previous decision and adopt the proposed findings to remand the case to UPPAC for a hearing.
- **Case No. Case No. 15-1256**
UPPAC recommends a letter of reprimand be issued to the educator, which will result in a CACTUS flag for no less than two years.
- **Case No. 15-1264**
UPPAC recommends a letter of reprimand be issued to the educator, which will result in a CACTUS flag for no less than two years.
- **Case No. 13-1135**
UPPAC recommends reinstatement of the educator’s license.
- **Case No. 15-1267**
UPPAC recommends suspension of the educator’s Level 1 Elementary Education License. UPPAC recommends that the educator’s license be suspended for not less than two (2) years with certain conditions from the date of Board action pursuant to a stipulated agreement. Reinstatement, following a UPPAC hearing and recommendation, is subject to Board approval.
- **Case No. 15-1242**
UPPAC recommends a letter of reprimand be issued to the educator, which will result in a CACTUS flag for no less than two years.

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- **Case No. 15-12**
UPPAC recommends denying licensure for one year from date of Board action.
- **Case No. 14-1232**
UPPAC recommends denying licensure for one year from date of Board action.
- **Case No. 15-1270**
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