



SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

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RE: Scott Storaci
OSPI Case Number: D08-08-062
Document: Suspension

Regarding your request for information about the above-named educator; attached is a true and correct copy of the document on file with the State of Washington, Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, Office of Professional Practices. These records are considered certified by the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Certain information may have been redacted pursuant to Washington state laws. While those laws require that most records be disclosed on request, they also state that certain information should not be disclosed.

The following information has been withheld: **NONE**

If you have any questions or need additional information regarding the information that was redacted, if any, please contact:

OSPI Public Records Office
P.O. Box 47200
Olympia, WA 98504-7200
Phone: (360) 725-6372
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OFFICE OF PROFESSIONAL PRACTICES

IN THE MATTER OF THE EDUCATION)	
CERTIFICATE OF)	OPP No. D08-08-062
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)	AGREED ORDER
Scott Storaci)	OF SUSPENSION
Certificate No. 325837C)	
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COMES NOW the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, under the authority granted by the laws of the state of Washington, having reviewed the file of the above-referenced case, and having considered the entire evidence contained therein, does hereby stipulate by and between the Office of Professional Practices (OPP), Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI), and Scott Storaci, that the Washington Education Certificate, No. 325837C, of Scott Storaci, shall be suspended as set forth in the Order below, based on the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law set forth below:

FINDING OF FACTS

1. Scott Storaci was issued a Washington Education Certificate, No. 325837C, on November 22, 1993. This certificate currently remains valid.
2. Scott Storaci is employed by the Richland School District.

3. On August 22, 2008, the Office of Professional Practices, within OSPI, received a complaint letter from the Superintendent of the Richland School District, Dr. Jean Lane, alleging a lack of good moral character or personal fitness, or a violation of the Code of Professional Conduct, Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 181-87, by Scott Storaci.

4. On November 2, 2000, Scott Storaci signed a copy of the Richland School District Electronic Mail and Network Information User Agreement. In 2006, Scott Storaci signed another copy of the Richland School District Electronic Mail and Network Information User Agreement.

5. During the 2007-2008 school year, Scott Storaci used his Richland School District assigned computer, at William Wiley Elementary School, to access and view sexually explicit images.

6. On August 14, 2008, during an interview with Gault Pettett, Richland School District General Counsel, Scott Storaci stated: that he had used his Richland School District assigned computer to intentionally access and view websites that contained sexually explicit images; to play personally owned video games; that he deleted the cookies, files, and internet history after intentionally accessing and viewing websites that contained sexually explicit images; that he knew it was against District policy to view sexually explicit images; and that "it was wrong. I know it".

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7. The final forensic examination report was completed on August 26, 2008 by Turiss, LLC. During forensic examination, over 300 images containing sexually explicit images were located on Scott Storaci's assigned classroom computer.

8. On September 12, 2008, Scott Storaci was issued a Notice of Reprimand and a Suspension without pay for ten (10) days from John Steach, Executive Director of Human Resources for the Richland School District.

9. On November 19, 2008, Scott Storaci participated in an interview with an OPP investigator. On February 24, 2009, Scott Storaci submitted a sworn statement to OPP.

10. Good moral character and personal fitness is a continuing requirement to maintain a Washington Education Certificate.

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CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

1. OSPI has jurisdiction over Scott Storaci and over the subject matter of this action.

2. OSPI has shown by clear and convincing evidence that Washington Education Certificate, No. 325837C, of Scott Storaci, should be suspended as provided for in WAC 181-86-070.

3. Scott Storaci has violated WAC 181-87-060, WAC 181-86-013, and/or WAC 181-86-014.

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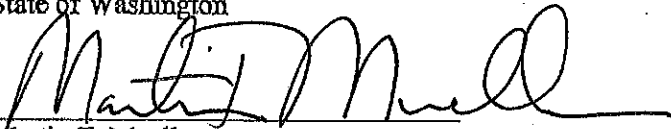
THEREFORE, it is hereby ordered and agreed that the Washington Education Certificate for PROFESSIONAL PRACTICES No. 325837C, of Scott Storaci, be suspended forty-five (45) days from the date of entry of this Order on July 2nd, 2010.

REINSTATEMENT SHALL require adherence to the following stipulations: (1) successful completion of a psychological evaluation which validates Scott Storaci's ability to have unsupervised access to children, by an evaluator mutually agreed upon by the Office of Professional Practices (OPP) and Scott Storaci; (2) that Scott Storaci provide written consent for OSPI to release documents to the evaluator for purposes of completing an evaluation and course of treatment; (3) that Scott Storaci follows and complete any and all treatment recommended in the evaluation; (4) that Scott Storaci provides a release authorizing OPP to have access to records of any and all evaluation and any and all subsequent treatment undertaken; (5) and that the cost of conformance to all reinstatement requirements will be the responsibility of Scott Storaci.

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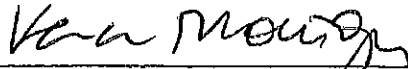
DATED This 2nd day of July, 2010.

RANDY I. DORN
Superintendent of Public Instruction
State of Washington


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Student Support

Stipulated to and approved
For entry:

Scott Storaci
Scott Storaci, Respondent



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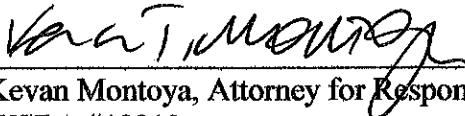
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