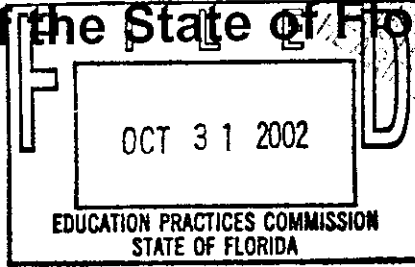


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# Before the Education Practices Commission of the State of Florida



CHARLIE CRIST, as  
Commissioner of Education,

Petitioner,

vs.

WILLIAM R. HENDRICKS,

Respondent.

EPC CASE N°02-0349 -RT  
DOAH CASE N° 02-1914PL  
EPC INDEX N° 02-267 -FOF

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## Final Order

This matter was heard by a Teacher Panel of the Education Practices Commission (EPC) pursuant to Sections 231.261(8) and 120.57(1), Florida Statutes, on October 25, 2002, in Orlando, Florida, for consideration of the Recommended Order entered in this case by Don W. Davis, Administrative Law Judge, dated September 5, 2002. A copy of the Recommended Order is attached and made a part hereof. Both parties filed exceptions to the Recommended Order. Those exceptions were denied.

After reviewing the complete record accompanying the Recommended Order, and being otherwise fully advised in the premises, the Panel hereby adopts the findings of fact, conclusions of law and recommendation contained in the Recommended Order, and said Recommended Order is hereby adopted in full and becomes the Final Order of the Education Practices Commission..

It is therefore ORDERED that Respondent's Florida educator's certificate is hereby PERMANENTLY REVOKED and he is PERMANENTLY BARRED from applying for another.

This Order becomes effective upon filing with the Clerk of the Education Practices Commission.

DONE AND ORDERED, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2002.

Margaret A Wolfe  
MARGARET WOLFE, Presiding Officer

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**NOTICE OF RIGHT TO JUDICIAL REVIEW**

A PARTY WHO IS ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY THIS FINAL ORDER IS ENTITLED TO JUDICIAL REVIEW PURSUANT TO SECTION 120.68, FLORIDA STATUTES. REVIEW PROCEEDINGS ARE GOVERNED BY THE FLORIDA RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE. SUCH PROCEEDINGS ARE COMMENCED BY FILING ONE COPY OF A NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE EDUCATION PRACTICES COMMISSION AND A SECOND COPY, ACCOMPANIED BY FILING FEES PRESCRIBED BY LAW, WITH THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL, FIRST DISTRICT, OR WITH THE DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL IN THE APPELLATE DISTRICT WHERE THE PARTY RESIDES. THE NOTICE OF APPEAL MUST BE FILED WITHIN THIRTY (30) DAYS OF RENDITION OF THIS ORDER.

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the foregoing Order in the matter of Crist vs. Hendricks, was furnished to R. John Westberry, Attorney at Law, 1108-A North 12th Street, Pensacola, FL 32501, by U.S. Mail, this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2002.

Kathleen M. Richards

KATHLEEN RICHARDS, Clerk