



# Before the Education Practices Commission of the State of Florida

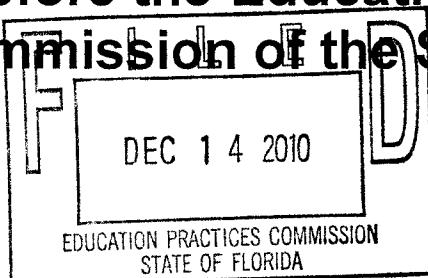
DR. ERIC J. SMITH  
Commissioner of Education,

Petitioner,

vs.

JILLIAN F. JARDAS,

Respondent



EPC CASE N° 10-0121-RT  
DOAH CASE N° 10-2203PL  
INDEX N° 10-438-FOF  
PPS N° 089-2996  
CERTIFICATE N° 1072218

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## Final Order

This matter was heard by a Teacher Panel of the Education Practices Commission pursuant to Sections 1012.795, 1012.796 and 120.57(1), Florida Statutes, on November 5, 2010 in Tallahassee, Florida, for consideration of the Recommended Order entered in this case by Susan B. Harrell, Administrative Law Judge dated August 16, 2010. Respondent was represented by counsel.

After reviewing the complete record accompanying the Recommended Order, the Recommended Order, and being fully advised in the premises, the Commission hereby adopts the findings of fact, (paragraphs 1-20), conclusions of law, (paragraphs 21-32), and the recommendation contained in the Recommended Order. A copy of the Recommended Order, attached to and made a part hereof, is hereby adopted in full and becomes the Final Order of the Education Practices Commission.

It is therefore **ORDERED** that:

1. Respondent's Florida educator's certificate is hereby suspended for a period of 1 month.

2. Upon employment in any public or private position requiring a Florida educator's certificate, Respondent shall be placed on 1 employment year of probation with the conditions that during that period, she shall:

A. Immediately notify the investigative office in the Department of Education upon employment or termination of employment in the state in any public or private position requiring a Florida educator's certificate.

B. Have Respondent's immediate supervisor submit annual performance reports to the investigative office in the Department of Education.

C. Pay to the Commission during the first 6 months of each probation year the administrative costs (\$150) of monitoring probation assessed to the educator.

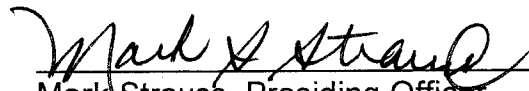
D. Violate no law and shall fully comply with all district school board policies, school rules, and State Board of Education rules.

E. Satisfactorily perform all assigned duties in a competent, professional manner.

F. Bear all costs of complying with the terms of a final order entered by the Commission.

This Order takes effect upon filing with the Clerk of the Education Practices Commission.

DONE AND ORDERED, this 9 day of December, 2010.

  
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Mark Strauss, Presiding Officer

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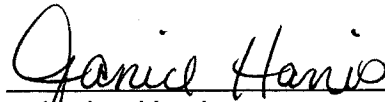
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**NOTICE OF RIGHT TO JUDICIAL REVIEW**

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 was furnished to Jillian F. Jardas, 14507 Prism Circle, Box 204 Building 6, Tampa, Florida 33613; and Robert F. McKee, Esquire, Kelly and McKee, P.A., Post Office Box 75638, Tampa, Florida 33675-0638 by Certified U.S. Mail this 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010.



Janice Harris,  
Education Practices Commission