

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA ITEM:**September 2016**

**CONSIDERATION TO DISCIPLINE THE
LICENSE TO TEACH OF MATTHEW WADE FELTS, CASE # HR 15-030**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

Section 168.071, RSMo

Consent
ItemAction
ItemReport
Item**DEPARTMENT GOAL NO. 3:**

Missouri will prepare, develop, and support effective educators.

SUMMARY:

Matthew Wade Felts holds a career continuous professional certificate of license to teach in the area of Vocal Music, grades K–12. Mr. Felts is not currently teaching in a Missouri public school.

On May 4, 2015, Mr. Felts pled guilty and received a suspended imposition sentence (SIS).

Mr. Felts was present at the hearing and was represented by counsel, Karen Teague.

PRESENTER:

William R. Thornton, General Counsel, will participate in the presentation and discussion of this agenda item.

RECOMMENDATION:

The Department recommends that the State Board of Education take no action against Mr. Felts' certificate pursuant to its authority under Mo. Rev. Stat. § 168.071 (Supp. 2014).