MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA ITEM: **May 2015**

CONSIDERATION TO DISCIPLINE THE
LICENSE TO TEACH OF ANNA PELIZZARI-GOSA, CASE # HR 14-011

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:	☐ Consent Item	☒ Action Item	☐ Report Item
Section 168.071, RSMo			

DEPARTMENT GOAL NO. 3:

Missouri will prepare, develop, and support effective educators.

SUMMARY:

Anna Pelizzari-Gosa holds a career continuous professional certificate of license to teach in the area of Social Studies, grades 7–12. Her certification is current and active.

Educator Certification's staff assignment report regarding Ms. Pelizzari-Gosa indicates that she was last employed in a Missouri public school district during the 2008–2009 school year.

On December 2, 2013, Ms. Pelizzari-Gosa pled guilty and received a suspended imposition of sentence to the Felony, Stealing. Ms. Pelizzari-Gosa received five (5) years' supervised probation.

Ms. Pelizzari-Gosa received notice of the hearing, but was neither present nor represented by counsel.

PRESENTER(S):

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

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the State Board of Education revoke Ms. Pelizzari-Gosa's teaching certificate pursuant to its authority under Mo. Rev. Stat. § 168.071 (Supp. 2014).