

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA ITEM: **April 2017**

**CONSIDERATION TO DISCIPLINE THE
LICENSE TO TEACH OF JULIA A. SILLS, CASE # HR 16-023**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: Section 168.071, RSMo	<input type="checkbox"/> Consent Item <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Action Item <input type="checkbox"/> Report Item
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DEPARTMENT GOAL NO. 3:

Missouri will prepare, develop, and support effective educators.

SUMMARY:

Julia A. Sills holds a lifetime certificate of license to teach in the area of Vocational Home Economics, grades 7-12. Her certificate was current and active at all times material herein. Ms. Sills has not been reported as an educator in a Missouri public school for the past 10 years.

On September 15, 2014, Ms. Sills pled guilty and received a suspended imposition of sentence (SIS) to the Felony, Theft/Stealing (Value of Property or Services \$500 or More but Less Than \$25,000). Ms. Sills was placed on five years of supervised probation.

Ms. Sills was neither present at the hearing nor was she represented through counsel.

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 revoke Ms. Sills' certificate pursuant to its authority under Mo. Rev. Stat. § 168.071 (2016).