

MISSOURI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AGENDA ITEM:

June 2017

**CONSIDERATION TO DISCIPLINE THE
LICENSE TO TEACH OF DENVER STUCKEY, CASE # HR 16-043**

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

Section 168.071, RSMo

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DEPARTMENT GOAL NO. 3:

Missouri will prepare, develop, and support effective educators.

SUMMARY:

Denver Stuckey held an initial professional certificate of license to teach in the areas of Health, grades K–12 and Physical Education, grades K–12. This certificate expired on August 19, 2014. Respondent also held a temporary authorization certificate of license to teach in the area of Social Science, grades 9–12. It expired on August 15, 2014. A content substitute certificate held by Mr. Stuckey expired on August 1, 2014.

Mr. Stuckey was last employed as a high school teacher with the Clarkton C-4 School District during the 2013–2014 school year.

On February 26, 2015, Mr. Stuckey pled guilty and received a suspended execution of sentence (SES) to the Misdemeanor, Harassment by Communication. He was placed on unsupervised probation for a period of two years and was ordered to pay restitution and costs.

Mr. Stuckey was neither present at the hearing nor was he 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 Mr. Stuckey’s certificates or any claims of certification held by him pursuant to its authority under Mo. Rev. Stat. § 168.071 (2016).