COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

In Re: Westley Holmes, II : PSPC Docket No. DI-91-01

ORDER

AND NOW, this 26th day of May, 1992, upon consideration of
the Brief on Exceptions filed by the Department of Education to
the decision of the hearing officer in the above-captioned
matter, the response thereto and oral argument, it is hereby
ORDERED that the decision of the hearing officer is REVERSED.

The Commission has found and concludes, upon hearings, that
the respondent, Westley Holmes, II, has committed an act of
IMMORALITY for which discipline must be imposed pursuant to
section 5(a)(11) of the Teacher Certification Law, as amended, 24
P.S. §12-1255(a)(11). Based upon the record, the Commission
finds that the appropriate discipline is revocation of all
professional certifications issued by the Department of Education
to the respondent, Westley Holmes, II. The Commission also finds
that immediate discipline is necessary to protect the health,
safety or welfare of the students or other persons in the schools
of this Commonwealth.
Therefore, pursuant to section 15(b) of the Teacher Certification Law, as amended, 24 P.S. §12-1265(b), it is hereby ORDERED that the Department shall REVOKE all outstanding certificates immediately upon issuance of this order, and the Department shall notify immediately the appropriate persons and entities as required by 22 Pa. Code §49.64f.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION

By: [Signature]
Howard R. Seleman
Chairperson

Attest: [Signature]
Warren D. Evans
Executive Director

DATED: 5/24/92

Commissioners Clarice Chambers, Rosalind Jones-Johnson and Mina H. Shuman did not participate in the consideration or decision in this case.