

**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS AND PRACTICES COMMISSION**

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,  
Petitioner,**

**v.**

**KELLY A. SCHUTTE,  
Respondent.**

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**DOCKET NO. IS-24-001**

**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February 2024, it is hereby ORDERED that the Department of Education is directed to IMMEDIATELY SUSPEND the certificate and the eligibility to be employed as a charter or cyber charter school staff member or a contracted educational provider staff member of Respondent KELLY A. SCHUTTE pursuant to 24 P.S. § 2070.9b(a)(1). In electing not to contest the immediate suspension, Respondent does not admit any of the criminal allegations or that she poses a threat to the health, safety or welfare of students or other persons in the schools of this Commonwealth. Should Respondent be acquitted of the criminal charges, or should the criminal charges be dismissed or otherwise removed, the Commission shall reinstate her certificate and employment eligibility upon receipt of certified documentation of the acquittal or dismissal.

PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS AND  
PRACTICES COMMISSION

By:



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Myron Yoder  
Chairperson Pro Tempore

ATTEST:



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Shane F. Crosby  
Executive Director

Date Mailed: February 2, 2024