

MINUTES – ESPB Special Meeting

Monday, October 22, 2021

Zoom Video Conference

The Education Standards and Practices Board (ESPB) special meeting video conference was called to order at 8:00am.

Board members present were Siri Coleman, Kathy Lentz, Carly Retterath, Patti Stedman, Cory Steiner, and Brenda Tufte.

Members Andrea Fox, Sonya Hansana, Ben Johnson, Joshua Standing Elk, and Superintendent Kirsten Baesler were absent.

Also present by video conference were Executive Director Rebecca Pitkin and Amy Bigelow from ESPB and Carl Karpinski from Attorney General's office.

Thompson, Ronald – Mr. Thompson has been convicted of the charge of luring minors by computer. Under NDCC 15.1-13-26, the board is required to revoke the license of an individual who has been found guilty of a crime against a child or a sexual offense. Cory Steiner made a motion to revoke Mr. Thompson's license. Motion seconded by Kathy Lentz. Board members who voted yes were Siri Coleman, Kathy Lentz, Carly Retterath, Patti Stedman, Cory Steiner, and Brenda Tufte. None opposed. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:02am.

Chair

Secretary/Executive Director