

STATE OF ALASKA

ALASKA POLICE STANDARDS COUNCIL

In the Matter of)
)
 Stewart Blakeslee,) **APSC No. 2017-17**
)
Respondent,)
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ORDER OF REVOCATION

The Alaska Police Standards Council of the State of Alaska, having duly convened on the 21st day of August, 2018, and having reviewed and discussed the Accusation against the Respondent, which was served July 18, 2018, in accordance with AS 44.62.380, takes official notice that a Notice of Defense or a Request for Hearing has not been received from Respondent as required by AS 44.62.390. The Council also takes official notice that under AS 44.62.530, if the Respondent does not file a Notice of Defense, the Council may take action based upon other evidence and an Accusation may be used with notice to the Respondent.

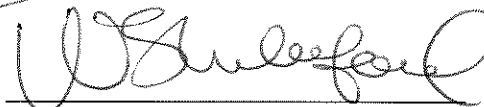
Accordingly, the Council has considered the Accusation dated July 10, 2018.

Based on the Council's consideration of the facts recited in the referenced Accusation,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED

1. That the allegations made in the Accusation against the Respondent dated July 10, 2018, are hereby adopted and the Accusation is made, by reference, a part of this Order as though set forth fully herein.
2. That the Respondent's correctional officer certificate in the State of Alaska is hereby revoked; and
3. That this Order of Revocation shall take effect in accordance with AS 44.62.520(a).

DATED this 21st day of August 2018.



Wendi Shackelford, Chairman
Alaska Police Standards Council

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ACCUSATION

Sarah Hieb, Administrative Investigator of the Alaska Police Standards Council (APSC), State of Alaska, is seeking to revoke the correctional officer certificate of Respondent Stewart Blakeslee under the legal authority of AS 18.65.245(2), the Council’s regulations in 13 AAC 85.270, and under the procedures governed by the Administrative Procedure Act in AS 44.62.330, *et. seq.* The Administrative Investigator alleges as follows:

1. On or about March 23, 2015, the Respondent was hired by the Alaska Department of Corrections (DOC) as a correctional officer.
2. On or about May 12, 2016, the Respondent was certified by APSC as a correctional officer in the State of Alaska.
3. On or about July 7, 2017, Respondent was arrested and remanded to Wildwood Correctional Complex and criminally charged with two counts of Distribution of Child Pornography and eighteen counts of Possession of Child Pornography, all felonies.
4. On or about July 12, 2017, Respondent resigned from DOC. The Personnel action form received by APSC stated he was under investigation for

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wrongdoing when he resigned, they recommended de-certification, and he was not eligible for re-hired.

5. On or about June 21, 2018, Respondent was sentenced to eight years with four suspended on a consolidated count of possession of child pornography, a felony.


6. AS 18.65.245(2) provides that the APSC may revoke the certificate of a correctional officer who fails to meet the standards adopted under AS 18.65.242(a).

7. 13 AAC 85.270(b)(1)(A) provides that the council will revoke a basic certification upon a finding that the holder of the certificate has, after hire as a correctional officer, been convicted of any felony.

COUNT I

Paragraphs 1-7 are incorporated by reference. Based upon the facts described above, the Respondent was convicted of a felony after hire as a correctional officer, which is grounds for mandatory revocation under 13 AAC 85.270(b)(1)(A).

DATED this 10th of July, 2018, at Juneau, Alaska.



Sarah Hieb, Administrative Investigator
Alaska Police Standards Council