

CHARACTER QUESTIONS

As part of the application process for admission to the Southern Oregon University (SOU) Graduate Teacher Education Program, you must answer the following set of character questions. Answer each character question with a "YES" or "NO" in the blank to the left of the question. ***If the answer is "YES" to questions #8-10, attach a certified true copy of the court record to this report.*** Explain fully on a separate sheet of paper **any** "YES" answers to questions.

- ___ 1. Have you ever left any educational or school-related employment, voluntarily or involuntarily, while the subject of an inquiry, review or investigation of alleged misconduct? Have you ever left educational or school-related employment when you had reason to believe an investigation for misconduct was underway or imminent?
- ___ 2. Are you currently the subject of an inquiry, review or investigation for alleged misconduct or alleged violation of professional standards of conduct by either an employer or a licensure agency?
- ___ 3. Have you ever been placed on leave by your employer for any alleged misconduct?
- ___ 4. Have you ever had any adverse action taken on a professional certificate, license or charter school registration? Have you ever been placed on probationary status for alleged misconduct while holding a professional license, certificate, registration, or credential?
- ___ 5. Have you ever been denied any professional license for which you applied or granted a professional license on a conditional or probationary basis for any alleged misconduct?
- ___ 6. Have you ever surrendered a professional license of any kind before its expiration?
- ___ 7. Have you ever been disciplined by any public agency responsible for licensure of any kind, including but not limited to educational licensure?
- ___ 8. Have you ever been convicted or been granted a diversion or conditional discharge by any court for any: (a) felony; (b) misdemeanor; or (c) major traffic violation, including but not limited to: driving under the influence of intoxicants or drugs; reckless driving; fleeing from or attempting to elude a police officer; driving while your license was suspended, revoked or used in violation of any license restriction; or failure to perform the duties of a driver or witness at an accident?
- ___ 9. Have you ever been arrested or cited for any offense listed in question 8 above which is still pending in the courts? This includes any diversion, conditional discharge or postponed adjudication that has not been dismissed by the courts at the time this application is signed.
- ___ 10. Have you ever had any civil judgment or other court order, including but not limited to a restraining order, entered against you resulting from allegations of abuse, assault, battery, harassment, intimidation, neglect, stalking, or other threatening behavior toward other persons?

Applicant's signature (required): _____

Date: _____