

PRACTICE REVIEW PANEL HEARING
SEPTEMBER 29, 2000
RALPH MARTIN BROWN

PANEL MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

[REDACTED] Chair
[REDACTED] Teacher member
[REDACTED] Teacher member
[REDACTED] Teacher member
[REDACTED] Teacher member
[REDACTED] Public member

LEGAL COUNSEL TO PANEL:

[REDACTED] Alberta Justice

REGISTRAR:

[REDACTED] Registrar
Professional Development and Certification
Alberta Learning

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT:

[REDACTED]
Professional Development and Certification
Alberta Learning

TEACHER:

Ralph Martin Brown was not in attendance

EVIDENCE:

Teacher, Ralph Martin Brown engaged in conduct in respect to his [Age Redacted] [REDACTED] that resulted in his 1999 summary conviction for sexual assault.

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REGISTRAR'S SUBMISSION:

Under section 19(1) of the *Practice Review of Teachers Regulation*, the teacher, Ralph Martin Brown, acted in a manner that constituted unprofessional conduct and that conduct is detrimental to the best interests of students, the public or teachers generally.

PANEL'S FINDINGS:

The Panel finds that, in light of the conduct and the conviction of Ralph Martin Brown of sexual assault and in accordance with Section 19(1) of the *Practice Review of Teachers Regulation*, the conduct of Ralph Martin Brown leading to his conviction constitutes unprofessional conduct. The Panel further finds that conduct is detrimental to the best interests of students, the public or teachers generally.

PANEL'S RECOMMENDATION:

Accordingly, under section 20(b) of the *Practice Review of Teachers Regulation*, the Panel recommends that the Alberta teaching certificate of Ralph Martin Brown be cancelled.



Oct 11, 2000
Date