

POLICE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING COMMISSION

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ADMINSTRATIVE DECERTIFICATION

Date of Administrative Decertification: May 6, 2025

Name: Darin Cathell

Summary

On March 25, 2025, The Delaware Police Officers Standards and Training Commission (POST) received notification that Mr. Cathell had "been convicted of, or received a probation before judgment with respect to, a felony, or any local, state or federal criminal offense involving, but not limited to, theft, fraud, or violation of the public trust, or of any drug law," which served as grounds for de-certification under 11 Del. C. § 8404(a)(4)c.

On February 13, 2025, Mr. Cathell plead guilty to wire fraud. Pursuant to 11 Del. C. § 8404A, Mr. Cathell had the right to a hearing before a board composed of three Commission members (a 'Hearing Board') appointed by the Commission Chairman. POST notified Mr. Cathell of his right to exercise this option; however, no response was received. At the quarterly POST Commission meeting held on May 6, 2025, the Commission reviewed the facts of the case and voted to decertify Mr. Cathell, as a police officer in the State of Delaware. As of that date, he is no longer authorized to exercise any police powers in the State of Delaware or be employed by any Delaware law enforcement agency in a police capacity.