



## POLICE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING COMMISSION

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### ADMINISTRATIVE DECERTIFICATION

**Date of Administrative Decertification:** August 12, 2025

**Name:** Michael Coleman

#### Summary

On October 6, 2023, The Delaware Police Officers Standards and Training Commission (POST) received notification that Mr. Coleman had “Retired or resigned prior to the entry of findings of fact concerning an alleged breach of internal discipline for which the individual could have been legitimately discharged had the individual not retired from or resigned that individual’s position prior to the imposition of discipline by the employing agency,” which served as grounds for de-certification under 11 Del. C. § 8404(a)(4)e.2.

On October 17, 2023, Mr. Coleman was charged federally with one count of bank fraud. On January 31, 2024, Mr. Coleman plead guilty to bank fraud.

Pursuant to 11 Del. C. § 8404A, Mr. Coleman 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. Coleman of his right to exercise this option; however, no response was received. At the quarterly POST Commission meeting held on August 12, 2025, the Commission reviewed the facts of the case and voted to decertify Mr. Coleman, 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.