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ADMINISTRATIVE DECERTIFICATION

Date of Administrative Decertification: February 10, 2026

Name: Kenneth Haynes

Lead Charge: Conduct Unbecoming, Neglect of Duty, and Discrimination

Summary

On October 7, 2025, The Delaware Police Officer Standards and Training Commission (POST) received notification that Mr. Haynes 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.

POST received notification from Mr. Haynes’s former employer, Delaware State Police, that an internal investigation found multiple violations of departmental standards. Mr. Haynes’s actions were determined to be inconsistent with department policies and expectations, which would result in termination had he remained employed.

Pursuant to 11 Del. C. § 8404A, Mr. Haynes 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. Haynes of his right to exercise his option; however, no response was received. At the quarterly POST Commission meeting held on February 10, 2026, the Commission reviewed the facts of the case and voted to decertify Mr. Haynes, 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.