Code of Ethics for Idaho Professional Educators Ethics Complaint Flow Chart



Preliminary investigation

Determine whether to open case

If case is opened, investigation begins



Executive Committee Reviews Case

Determine whether there is probable cause at one of the next two regularly scheduled PSC meetings

If probable cause is found, recommend disciplinary action

Executive committee may recommend a stipulation if probable cause is found



Administrative Complaint

An administrative complaint is filed within 30 days of the probable cause determination

Respondent may stipulate to discipline, which will be considered at the next PSC meeting, or

Respondent may request a hearing within 30 days

If respondent does not respond and is held in default, the full PSC decides the case and issues a final decision, usually at the next PSC meeting



Hearing Requested

Hearing must be held within ninety days of the request for hearing, unless the respondent and chief certification officer agree otherwise

Within 21 days of the conculsion of the hearing, the hearing panel will issue a written decision

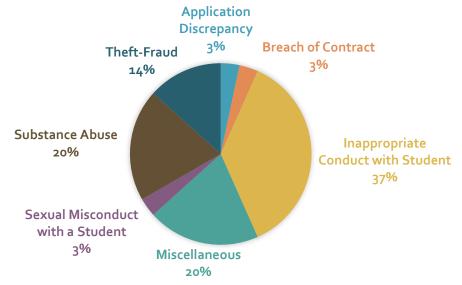
The final decision is subject to judicial review

Code of Ethics Violations

Category of Ethics Violation	2017-2018 Number of Cases Closed
Application Discrepancy	1
Breach of Contract	1
Inappropriate Conduct with Student	11
Miscellaneous	6
Sexual Misconduct with a Student	1
Substance Abuse	6
Theft-Fraud	4
Total	30

Type of Disciplinary Action	2017-2018 Number of Cases Closed
Conditioned Certificate	1
Letter of Reprimand	12
Revocation	8
Revocation (Permanent)	1
Suspension	8
Total	30

NUMBER OF CASES CLOSED BY CATEGORY OF ETHICS VIOLATION



NUMBER OF CASES CLOSED BY TYPE OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION

