STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

STATE OF GEORGIA

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION FOR THE CITY OF SAVANNAH AND THE COUNTY OF CHATHAM,

vs.

CASE NO. 1975-13

ELIZABETH W. WASHINGTON

ORDER

This appeal came before the State Board of Education from the Board of Public Education for the City of Savannah and County of Chatham from a decision by that board not to renew a teaching contract of Elizabeth W. Washington for the 1975-1976 school year. Miss Washington, a "tenure" teacher under the Fair Dismissal Act, appealed to the Employee Board of Appeals. This Board of Appeals after hearing the evidence found in favor of Miss Washington and reversed the decision not to renew Miss Washington's contract of employment. That decision was appealed to the full Board of Education which reversed the Employee Board of Appeals and ruled against Miss Washington. Miss Washington then appeals to the State Board of Education.

Upon careful review of the entire record the State Board of Education reverses that Board of Public Education for the City of Savannah and County of Chatham.

Mr. Hendricks, Mr. Whaley, Mr. Kilpatrick, Mr. Stewart and Ms. Huseman voting to reverse; Mr. Stembridge, Mrs. Smith, Mr. Rice voting to affirm the Board of Education's decision.

This the 13th day of November, 1975.

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Vice Chairman for Appeals