## **STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION**

## **STATE OF GEORGIA**

TONY BRINSON,	:	
	:	
Appellant,	:	
	:	
VS.	:	<b>CASE NO. 2001-25</b>
	:	
ATLANTA CITY	:	
BOARD OF EDUCATION,	:	
	:	DECISION
Appellee.	:	

This is an appeal by Tony Brinson (Appellant) from a decision by the Atlanta City Board of Education to terminate his teaching contract because of insubordination, willful neglect of duties, and other good and sufficient cause under the provisions of O.C.G.A. § 20-2-940. Although Appellant filed an appeal with the State Board of Education, he did not file a brief or request an oral argument as directed. Appellant, therefore, is deemed to have abandoned his appeal. *See, Scott S. v. Wilkes Cnty. Bd. of Educ.*, Case No. 1996-14 (Ga. SBE, July 11, 1996). Accordingly, the appeal is hereby DISMISSED.

This	day of April 2001.		
		Bruce Jackson	
		Vice Chairman for Appeals	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> When he filed his appeal, Appellant claimed that certain witnesses should not have testified, but he failed to enumerate any reasons why their testimony should have been suppressed.