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Teacher Arrested/Report Available

Today, investigators from the office of Special Commissioner of Investigation Richard J. Condon arrested 32-year-old Richard Dulberg, a non-tenured teacher formerly assigned to the School for the Physical City in Manhattan, on the charge of Endangering the Welfare of a Child. The arrest was the result of an investigation conducted by the Special Commissioner's office, which found that Dulberg made sexual and harassing comments to several 14-year-old female students in the classes he was assigned to teach. Details regarding Dulberg's misconduct are available in a report released today.

Dulberg has resigned from his employment with the Department of Education and is not eligible to work in the New York City school system. We thank New York County District Attorney Robert M. Morgenthau whose office is handling this matter, Assistant District Attorney Lisa Friel who heads the Sex Crimes Unit, and Assistant District Attorney Emily Orfinger who is assigned to the Dulberg prosecution.

The Office of the Special Commissioner of Investigation is part of the New York City Department of Investigation and Special Commissioner Condon reports to Commissioner Rose Gill Hearn.