Administrative Regulation #7246B Acceptable Use Information for Students and Parents

Related Policy: #7245 - Technology Resources Uses, Privileges, and Responsibilities

#7246 - Internet Safety and Security

Related Regulation: #7245A - Technology Resources Uses, Privileges, and Responsibilities

#7245B – Recording Devices Uses, Privileges, and Responsibilities #7246A – Acceptable Use Information for Educators and Employees

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The Agency shall to the extent practical AactA 1(e7() Td 0 T4 1 Td s(A)2su Uoiento rAbilAţr/TT1 -1f14

to the Internet, email, chat rooms and other forms of direct electronic communications provided by the Agency.

 The Agency shall use technology protection measures to block or filter, to the extent practical, access of visual depictions that are *obscene*, *pornographic*, *and harmful to minors* over the network. The Agency reserves the right to monitor users' online activities and to access, review, copy, and store or delete any electronic communication or files and disclose them to others as it deems necessary. Users should have no expectation of privacy regarding their use of Agency property, network and/or Internet access or files, including email.

Educators directly involved with students in Agency programs should be familiar with the "Regulations for Acceptable Use: Information for Students and Parents." It shall be the responsibility of Agency staff to educate, supervise and monitor appropriate usage. In addition, each network may have its own set of policies and procedures. It is the user's responsibility to abide by the policies and procedures of these other networks.

Acceptable Network Usage

Each year schools must verify that students using the network(s) have signed the form acknowledging the Regulations for Acceptable Use. Students who are under 18 must have their parents or guardians sign this form and schools must keep it on file. Once signed that permission/acknowledgement form remains in effect until revoked by the parent, or the student loses the privilege of using the Agency's network due to violation of this policy or is no longer a student. **By using the network, users have agreed to this policy.** Even without signature, all users must follow this policy and report any misuse of the network to a teacher, supervisor or other appropriate administrator. If a user is uncertain about whether a particular use is acceptable or appropriate, he or she should consult a teacher, supervisor or other appropriate administrator.

Network Access

Access to the network is available to teachers and students as a source of information and a vehicle of communication. Students will be able to access the Internet through their teachers. Individual student accounts and e-mail addresses may be issued to students as authorized.

- Equity Opportunity The Internet shall be available to all students within the Agency and its instructional programs.
- Making Internet access available to students carries with it the potential that some students might encounter information that may not be appropriate for students. Because information on the Internet appears, disappears, and changes, it is not always possible to predict or control what students may locate.

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