STUDENT CONDUCT PERSONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMMUNICATION DEVICES/ELECTRONIC DEVICES

FNCE (LOCAL)

PROPOSED REVISIONS

Note:

For searches of personal telecommunications communication devices or other personal electronic devices, see FNF.

Personal Electronic Communication Devices

The District prohibits a A student from using shall not use a personal electronic communication device without permission from an authorized District employee at on school property during the instructional school day.

Telecommunication Devices

An electronic telecommunication device is a device that uses electronic signals to create, transmit, and receive information or a communication from or to a person. The Superintendent shall develop guidelines related to While on school property, the violation of this policy that provide the following:

- An authorized District employee may confiscate a <u>student</u> <u>shall store any</u> personal telecommunications device, or other electronic device, including a mobile telephone, used in violation of applicable guidelines.
- 2. The student's parent shall be allowed to retrieve a confiscated device after receiving notification from the District. The student may be allowed to retrieve a confiscated communication device in accordance with the District's guidelines.
- 3. In accordance with law, charging an administrative fee to the owner of the device or the student's parent of not more than \$15 before the device is released may occur in accordance with the District guidelines regulations.

Penalties

A student who violates this policy <u>or any regulations</u> shall be subject to <u>established disciplinary measures</u>. [See the <u>discipline in accordance with the Board-adopted Student Code of Conduct].</u>

Notification

An authorized District employee shall confiscate a student's parents shall be notified within 24 hours after a personal telecommunicationscommunication device that is confiscated used in violation of this policy or any applicable regulations.

If a personal communication device is not retrieved, the District shall dispose of the device after providing the notice required by law.

Exceptions

A student shall be authorized to use a personal communication device on school property during the school day only under the following circumstances:

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- 1. The student's use is necessary for implementation of the student's individualized education program, a 504 plan, or a similar program or plan;
- 2. The student's use is required due to a documented need based on a directive from a qualified physician; or
- 3. The student's use is necessary to comply with a health or safety requirement imposed by law or as part of the District or campus safety protocols.

Implementation The Superintendent shall develop regulations to implement this policy.

<u>Compliance</u> Annually, the Superintendent shall report to the Board on the implementation and compliance of this policy.