Subject: Violent or Disruptive Incident Reporting

The Board of Education is committed to promoting and maintaining the safety of all students, staff and visitors to the schools. Consistent with this commitment and in accordance with state law and regulation, the District shall submit an annual report to the Commissioner of Education regarding violent or disruptive incidents in the form prescribed by the Commissioner.

Each Building Principal shall be responsible for preparing on a regular basis a report of all the violent or disruptive incidents that have occurred in the building and forwarding the report to the Superintendent of Schools. The Superintendent shall be responsible for compiling the reports received from the Building Principals into the annual report and submitting the report to the Commissioner. The report shall contain all the information required by law and shall be filed with the Commissioner each year.

Each Building Principal shall be responsible for assuring that copies of each report at the building level are retained for the period prescribed in the record retention schedule issued by the State Education Department and published as Appendix I to the Commissioner’s Regulations.

Any violent or disruptive incident report prepared in accordance with law shall be available for inspection by the State Education Department upon request. All names and other personally identifiable information included in any report shall be confidential and shall not be disclosed to any person for use by any person for purposes other than the reporting purpose in Education Law 2802, except as otherwise authorized by law.

REF: Education Law 2802 (Uniform Violent Incident Reporting System) 8NYCRR 100.2(gg) (Uniform Violent Incident Reporting system) 8NYCRR 185.11 (Appendix I) (Records Retention and Disposition Schedule ED-1)

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