CLOVIS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

COMMUNITY RELATIONS WILLIAMS UNIFORM COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

PURPOSE: To establish a uniform complaint procedure to resolve complaints specified in Education Code section 35186 regarding the Williams settlement.

The Board recognizes that the District has primary responsibility for ensuring that it complies with state and federal laws and regulations governing educational programs. Persons responsible for conducting investigations shall be knowledgeable about the matters that they are assigned to investigate.

The District shall follow procedures set forth in the accompanying administrative regulation only to investigate and resolve the following:

- 1. Complaints regarding the insufficiency of textbooks and instructional materials. (Education Code 35186, 5 CCR 4681)
- Complaint regarding teacher vacancy or misassignment. (Education Code 35186, 5 CCR 4682)
- 3. Complaints regarding the condition of school facilities. (Education Code 35186, 5 CCR 4683)

Complaints regarding matters that do not fall under this policy shall be investigated and resolved using the procedures set forth in the applicable policy and administrative regulation.

The Board prohibits retaliation in any form for the filing of a complaint or for participation in complaint procedures. The District shall protect all complainants from retaliation. (5 CCR 4621) Such participation shall not in any way affect the status, grades, or work assignments of the complainant.

The Board acknowledges and respects pupil and employee rights to privacy. Complaints shall be investigated in a manner that protects these rights as required by law. The identity of any complainant shall be kept confidential as appropriate and permitted by law.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that employees responsible for compliance and/or investigations of complaints are knowledgeable about the laws and programs for which they are assigned to investigate. (5 CCR 4621) Such employees may have access to legal counsel as determined by the Superintendent or designee.

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EDUCATION CODE

234.1 Prohibition of discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying
1240 County superintendent of schools, duties
17592.72 Urgent or emergency repairs, School Facility Emergency Repair Account
33126 School accountability report card
35186 Williams uniform complaint procedures
35292.5-35292.6 Restrooms, maintenance and cleanliness
48985 Notice to parents in language other than English
60119 Hearing on sufficiency of instructional materials

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5 4600-4670 Uniform complaint procedures 4680-4687 Williams uniform complaint procedures

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20 6314 Title I schoolwide program

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