Board Policy No. 4118

CLOVIS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

PERSONNEL

Certificated

DISMISSAL/SUSPENSION/DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS - CERTIFICATED EMPLOYEES

PURPOSE: To provide guidelines for disciplinary action against certificated employees.

A. General

The Board expects all employees to exhibit professional and appropriate conduct and serve as positive role models both at school and in the community. A certificated employee may be disciplined in accordance with law, board policies, and administrative regulations.

B. <u>Disciplinary Action</u>

The Superintendent or designee may take disciplinary action as he/she deems appropriate in light of the particular facts and circumstances involved and based on the severity of the misconduct. Disciplinary actions may include, but are not limited to, verbal warnings, written warnings or reprimands, suspension, or dismissal. Any disciplinary action taken by the Superintendent or designee shall be in accordance with all applicable state and federal law, including, but not limited to Education Code section 44932 et seq.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that disciplinary actions are taken in a nondiscriminatory manner.

C. Teacher Representation

When a teacher is called to a meeting with his/her administrator(s), irrespective of the purpose of the meeting, the teacher may request to have a representative or person of his/her choosing present at the meeting.

D. Notice to Commission on Teacher Credentialing

In accordance with law, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the Commission on Teacher Credentialing when the status of a credentialed employee has been changed as a result of alleged misconduct.

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EDUCATION CODE

44008 Effect of termination of probation

44009 Conviction of specified crimes

44010 Sex offense; definitions

44011 Controlled substance offense; definitions

44242.5 Reports and review of alleged misconduct

44425 Conviction of a sex or narcotic offense

44660-44665 Evaluation and assessment of performance of certificated employees

44830.1 Criminal record summary certificated employees

44929.21 Notice of reelection decision; Districts with 250 ADA or more

44930-44988 Resignations, dismissal, and leave of absence

45055 Drawing of warrants for teachers

HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE

11054-11056 Schedule I, II, and III, substances included

11357-11361 Marijuana

11363 Peyote

11364 Opium

11370.1 Possession of controlled substances with a firearm

PENAL CODE

291 School employees arrest for sex offense

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

80303 Reports of change in employment status

80304 Notice of sexual misconduct

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