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POLICY ON RECONSIDERATION OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Persons not in agreement with the school on its selection of books or other instructional material and who wish a particular book or material to be reviewed must submit in writing to the Principal a request for reconsideration of instructional materials.

The Principal, upon receipt of a "Request for Reconsideration" will acknowledge receipt to the complainant and list anticipated steps to be taken. The Principal will then notify the Book Review Committee and schedule meetings necessary to review the complaint and to write a report.

The final report will be forwarded to the complainant and the Superintendent of Schools. If the complainant is dissatisfied, the next step is to submit the request to the Superintendent of Schools for action. If the complainant does not accept the Superintendent's decision, the complainant may request a review by the Hollis Brookline Cooperative School Board, whose decision will be final.

During the investigation the instructional material will remain in use unless a Selection Committee votes to remove or restrict the material until a final decision is made.

Adopted: May 21, 2008

1st Reading: May 18, 2022