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SUBJECT: BULLETIN NO. N-14
ABOLITION OF CORPORAL PUNISHMENT

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I. BACKGROUND

By action taken on October 15, 1984, the Board of Education determined that the use of corporal punishment as a disciplinary option at any grade level and with any student was abolished and that corporal discipline in any form is not to be used within this District.

II. PURPOSE

The purpose of this bulletin is to restate and reinforce this policy of the District. Superintendent encourages the use of positive approaches to discipline and classroom management to ensure that students conform to proper standards of behavior permitting them to derive greater benefits from the educational program.

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