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Board of Education High Point Regional

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STUDENT FUND RAISING

The Board acknowledges that the solicitation of funds from students must be limited since compulsory attendance laws make the student a captive donor and since such solicitation may disrupt the program of the schools.

For purposes of this policy "student fund raising" shall include the solicitation and collection of money from students for any purpose and shall include the collection of money in exchange for tickets, papers or any other goods or services except those goods and services which are part of a Board-approved program of the schools.

The Board prohibits the collection of money in school or on school property or at any school-sponsored event by a student for his own benefit. Collection of money by school organizations approved by the Board may be permitted by the building principal. Collections by organizations outside the schools or by students on behalf of such organizations may be permitted only by the Board. Collection of money by teaching staff members for the purchase of tickets, books or other materials not required by the curriculum must be approved by the building principal.

Permission to solicit funds from students will be granted only to those organizations or individuals whose purposes are consonant with the goals of this district and the interests of the community. Solicitation must take place at such times and places and in such a manner as is specified by the Superintendent and which does not interfere with the orderly operation of the schools.

The Board shall not be responsible for the protection of or the accounting of funds collected from students by organizations outside the schools, by teaching staff members when not required to collect money for a Board-approved purpose and by approved school organizations. School organizations shall conduct their financial operations in accordance with Board policy.

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