

BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

DATE: October 20, 2009

TO: **BOARD OF EDUCATION**

FROM: Dr. Joe A. Hairston, Superintendent

SUBJECT: **REPORT ON THE PROPOSED DELETION OF BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY 5300 – STUDENTS: ACTIVITIES**

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RESOURCE PERSON(S):

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board of Education considers the proposed deletion of Policy 5300. This is the first reading.

Attachment I – Policy Analysis
Attachment II – Policy 5300

**Policy Analysis for
Board of Education Policy 5300
Activities**

Statement of Issues Addressed

Board of Education Policy 5300 was last revised in 1984. The policy is being recommended for deletion with a recommendation to add relevant language to *Policy 5600 Students' Rights and Responsibilities*.

Cost Analysis

No fiscal impact is anticipated by the deletion of this policy.

Relationship to Other Board of Education Policies

Board of Education *Policy 5600, Students' Rights and Responsibilities*.

Legal Requirement

Annotated Code of Maryland, Education Article §7-104 and §7-105; COMAR 13A.08.01.09

Similar Policies Adopted by Other School Systems

1. Harford County, *Policy 02-0038-000, Student Rights and Responsibilities- Student Activities*.
2. Montgomery County, Regulation JFA-RA, *Student Rights and Responsibilities*

Draft of Proposed Policy

Attached

Other Alternatives Considered by Staff

None

Timeline:

- First reading – October 20, 2009
- Public comment – November 3, 2009
- Third reading/vote – December 1, 2009

STUDENTS: Activities

School citizenship, as reflected in student activities, is a measure of the achievement of important school goals. Students should be encouraged to participate in a variety of school activities.

Policy
Adopted: 11/21/68
Revised: 7/12/84]

Board of Education of Baltimore County