MANDATORY CODE OF CONDUCT REPORTING – ALL EMPLOYEES

The Code of Conduct for New Hampshire Educators, sections 510.01- 510.05 of the N.H. Dept. of Education Administrative Rules (the "NH Code of Conduct") imposes various reporting requirements upon each "Credential Holder" as that term is defined by N.H. Dept. of Ed. Administrative Rule 501.02 (h). The reporting requirements include, among others:

- 1. reporting any "suspected violation of the code of conduct" (see NH Code of Conduct at Ed 510.05 (a)); and
- 2. self-reporting within five (5) days any arrest for violations of crimes enumerated in RSA 189:13-a, V ("Section V Offenses") (see NH Code of Conduct, at Ed 510.01 (b)(2)).

By way of District Policy GBEA, the Board has adopted the provisions of the NH Code of Conduct as employment rules and standards applicable to all employees and consultant/independent contractor, irrespective of whether or not such persons are Credential Holders. Consequently, each District employee designated volunteer, or contracted service provider (collectively referred to in this policy as a "Covered Individual"), is required to report certain acts, incidents and misconduct as provided in this policy.

Please see GBEAB-R Procedures

Legal References:

N.H. Dept. of Education Administrative Rule – Ed 510.01- 510.05, Code of Conduct for NH Educators

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