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EDUCATION OF THE HOMELESS STUDENTS

The District shall comply with the McKinney-Vento Education of Homeless Act. The District shall seek to eliminate barriers to school attendance for homeless students as defined by law. When feasible and consistent with a parent/guardian/unaccompanied youth's wishes, the homeless student shall be enrolled in his/her school of origin and transportation shall be provided at the district's expense.

When not feasible for a homeless student to attend his/her school of origin, as determined by the Superintendent in consultation with the parent/guardian/unaccompanied youth, the student shall be placed in a school that is in the "best interest of the student." The Superintendent shall submit such placement decisions to the parent/guardian in writing along with notice of the right to appeal and a dispute resolution procedure.

Dispute Resolution

The District shall comply with all interim measures required by law during the dispute resolution process. Parent/guardian/unaccompanied youth wishing to file an appeal of a determination made through the district-level dispute resolution procedure shall notify the homeless student liaison. The liaison shall follow the dispute resolution procedure created by the state.

Homeless Student Liaison

The Board designates the Superintendent as the homeless student liaison. This individual shall perform all duties required by law.

Complementary Documents

FDB-BR, Education of the Homeless Dispute Resolution Procedure

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