Personnel

MOUNT PLEASANT COTTAGE SCHOOL UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

SUBJECT: EMPLOYMENT/OTHER SITUATIONS WHERE FINGERPRINTING IS REQUIRED

| Type of Situation | Fingerprinting is required for the situations described below if: - The term of employment is greater than five days, - The employment involves direct contact with students under the age of 21, as determined by the employer, and - The employee is not otherwise exempt. |
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| | Please refer to 8 NYCRR Section 87.2(k) for a definition of "prospective school employee." |
| Applicant for employment in public school, charter school or BOCES | Yes |
| Applicant for employment in a private or nonpublic school | If the private or nonpublic school elects to fingerprint new employees, then it must adhere to the situations covered by this chart for all new employees. If the private or nonpublic school elects to not fingerprint new employees, then this chart is not applicable. |
| Student employee (i.e., lifeguard or tutor) not enrolled in grade level program of same covered school | Yes |
| Clerical staff in covered school who have direct contact with students | Yes |
| Janitorial staff who have direct contact with students | Yes |
| Coaches | Yes |
| Substitute Teachers | Yes |
| Paid Student Teachers or Student Interns | Yes - paid student teachers are treated like employees and, therefore, are subject to fingerprinting. |
| Hall Monitors | Yes |
| Cafeteria employees | Yes |
| Adult Continuing Education Instructors who have direct contact with students | Yes |
| Home and Hospital Instructors | Yes |
| Sports Officials | Yes |

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SUBJECT: EMPLOYMENT/OTHER SITUATIONS WHERE FINGERPRINTING IS REQUIRED (Cont'd.)

| Type of Situation (Cont'd) | Fingerprinting is required for the situations described below if: - The term of employment is greater than five days, - The employment involves direct contact with students under the age of 21, as determined by the employer, and - The employee is not otherwise exempt. Please refer to 8 NYCRR Section 87.2(k) for a |
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| Guest Lecturers or Performing Artists in a covered school more than 5 times | definition of "prospective school employee." Yes |
| Bus Aides | Yes - unless they have been cleared pursuant to the Vehicle and Traffic Law Section 1229-d. |
| Secretary at bus garage who occasionally fills in as a bus aide | Yes |
| Bus Drivers who also serve another role in covered school and have direct contact with students (i.e., janitor) | Yes |
| | Yes* |
| Individuals who have been fingerprinted for another purpose (i.e., teachers from another state, former police officers, former daycare workers*) | (If they were fingerprinted by NYCDOE after July 1, 1990, they may be able to have their fingerprint background information sent to SED - Please refer to the OSPRA 104 form for details). |
| Worker placed in the covered school under a public assistance employment program pursuant to Title 9-B of Article V of the Social Services Law | Yes |
| Employees of contract service providers who are placed within the school | Yes |
| Employees of the Supplemental Education Services providers (SES Providers) pursuant to NCLB | Yes |

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SUBJECT: EMPLOYMENT/OTHER SITUATIONS WHERE FINGERPRINTING IS REQUIRED (Cont'd.)

| Type of Situation | The situations described below are not covered by the SAVE legislation, therefore the State Education Department is not authorized to process fingerprinting applications for these types of individuals. |
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| Applicant for employment in a private or nonpublic school | If the private or nonpublic school elects not to fingerprint new employees, they cannot fingerprint any employees. |
| Volunteer | No |
| Non-Certified Special Education School Employees (certified employees are subject to fingerprinting for certification purposes) | No |
| Student employee (i.e., lifeguard or tutor) enrolled in grade level program of same covered school | No |
| Student employee who has no direct contact with students (i.e., summer maintenance helper) | No |
| Unpaid Student Teachers or Student Interns | No - unpaid student teachers are treated like volunteers and, therefore, are not subject to fingerprinting |
| Clerical staff in covered school who have NO direct contact with students | No |
| Janitorial staff who have NO direct contact with students | No |
| Adult Continuing Education Instructors who have no direct contact with students | No |
| Guest Lecturers or Performing Artists who will not be in any particular covered school 5 times or more and they have in-person supervision by a employee of the covered school | No |
| Bus Drivers who have been cleared for employment pursuant to the Vehicle and Traffic Law Sections 509-cc, 509-d and/or 1229-d | No |
| Construction workers (i.e., painters, plumbers, architects) who have NO direct contact with students | No |