

(3) THE RESTITUTION MAY BE IN THE FORM OF MONETARY RESTITUTION NOT TO EXCEED THE LESSER OF THE FAIR MARKET VALUE OF THE PROPERTY OR \$2,500, OR THE STUDENT'S ASSIGNMENT TO A SCHOOL WORK PROJECT, OR BOTH.

7-305.

(a) Notwithstanding any bylaw, rule, or regulation made or approved by the State Board, a principal, vice-principal, or other employee may not administer corporal punishment to discipline a student in a public school in the State.

(B) THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION ~~IN CONSULTATION WITH THE CABINET COUNCIL ON CRIMINAL AND JUVENILE JUSTICE~~ SHALL:

(1) ~~ADOPT REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING~~ ESTABLISH GUIDELINES THAT DEFINE A STATE CODE OF DISCIPLINE FOR ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS WITH ~~MINIMUM STRINGENT~~ STANDARDS OF CONDUCT AND ~~SPECIFIED~~ CONSEQUENCES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE STANDARDS; AND

(2) ASSIST EACH COUNTY BOARD WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ~~REGULATIONS~~ GUIDELINES.

[(b)](C) (1) Subject to the provisions of [subsection (a)] SUBSECTIONS (A) AND (B) of this section, each county board shall adopt regulations designed to CREATE AND maintain within the ~~{schools}~~ ~~SCHOOL COMMUNITY~~ under its jurisdiction the atmosphere of order and discipline necessary for effective learning.

(2) The regulations adopted by a county board under this subsection:

(i) Shall provide for EDUCATIONAL AND BEHAVIORAL INTERVENTIONS, counseling, [or] AND STUDENT AND PARENT conferencing; and

(ii) [May permit] SHALL PROVIDE ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS, INCLUDING WHICH MAY INCLUDE IN-SCHOOL SUSPENSION, suspension, expulsion, or other disciplinary measures that are deemed appropriate.

7-306.

(a) (1) A principal, teacher, [or] school security guard, ~~OR OTHER SCHOOL BASED-STAFF SYSTEM PERSONNEL~~ in any public school may [intervene in a fight or physical struggle that takes place in his presence in a school building or on school grounds, whether the fight is among students or other individuals] TAKE REASONABLE ACTION NECESSARY TO PREVENT VIOLENCE ON SCHOOL PREMISES OR ON A SCHOOL-SPONSORED TRIP, INCLUDING INTERVENING IN A FIGHT OR PHYSICAL STRUGGLE THAT TAKES PLACE IN HIS OR HER PRESENCE, WHETHER THE FIGHT IS AMONG STUDENTS OR OTHER INDIVIDUALS.

(2) The degree and force of the intervention may be as reasonably necessary to PREVENT VIOLENCE, restore order and to protect the safety of the combatants and surrounding individuals.