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**The School District of Manatee No-Contact Order**

It is hereby requested that \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ must cease and desist all communication and interaction with the following persons (use only first names and last initial on this document):

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 All parties involved in any level of ongoing conflict, bullying, or harassment may receive this document in order to help resolve the issue. The document is not an indicator of guilt and is intended to provide protection for anyone who is the target of unwelcome and unrelenting contact.

According to school board policy 5.15, bullying is the mistreatment of an individual or group due to a perceived advantage in power and a willful intent to cause harm.  These acts can be socially, emotionally, or physically damaging in nature to include, but not limited to: teasing; name-calling; rumor-spreading; exclusion; intimidation; threats; personal property damage or theft; public humiliation; stalking; pushing; shoving; or other physical assaults.

 Harassment involves any threatening, insulting, or dehumanizing gesture, which places a student or school employee in reasonable fear of harm to his or her person or damage to his or her property; has the effect of substantially interfering with a student's educational performance, opportunities, or benefits; or; has the effect of substantially disrupting the orderly operation of a school.

Bullying or harassment of any student or employee of The School District of Manatee County is prohibited:

1. During any education program or activity conducted by a district school.
2. During any school-related or school-sponsored program/ activity; or on a school district bus;
3. Through the use of computers or other electronic devices which is initiated or accessed by any school district data system; or
4. Through the use of any off-campus data system which disrupts the academic environment of any district school or activity.

 The parties listed above on this document shall have no further contact with each other, to the extreme that they may not look at, speak, send messages, or use other individuals to deliver communications to anyone listed. If any of the above behaviors or any other acts, which may be considered bullying or harassment are initiated against those individuals outlined in this document, then consequences will be applied by the school. This action may include the loss of privileges, schedule changes, or a referral for reassignment to an alternative educational program.

 I acknowledge I am aware of this order and that I may face more serious consequences if the conflict continues.

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Parent/Guardian signature Date

Student signature Date

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