# REGULATION—HIGH POINT REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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#### 5721 DISTRIBUTION OF INDEPENDENT PUBLICATIONS

## A. Definition

"Independent publications" are written or printed cards, letters, circulars, books, pamphlets, notices, newspapers, and other documents prepared and distributed by pupils, independent of any curricular or co-curricular activity sponsored by the Board of Education.

#### B. Distribution

- 1. Independent publications may be distributed on school premises only by the pupils enrolled in that school.
- 2. Distribution may be conducted during periods of time when the activity will not interrupt the instructional program or interfere with an exercise necessary for pupil safety, such as a fire drill.
- 3. Distribution may be conducted in places in which the activity will not obstruct the passage of persons, cause a safety hazard, or interfere with the orderly operation of the school.
- 4. The principal will establish, in consultation with recognized pupil organizations, rules setting specific times and places for the distribution of independent publications on the school premises.

### C. Littering

- 1. Distribution will be conducted in a manner that reduces the possibility of litter.
- 2. Pupils who distribute independent publications are responsible for policing the area in which the distribution takes place and assuring that all litter is promptly removed.

#### D. Enforcement

 The principal will enforce these regulations and will determine whether distribution violates the standards set forth in ¶B2 and ¶B3.



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2. A decision of the principal may be appealed to the Superintendent.

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