VENTURA COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BOARD POLICY NO. 5145.11 ADOPTED: 02/24/97

CLASSIFICATION: Students REVISED:

SUBJECT: Release, Removal and Interviewing of Students

by the Police During School Hours

Students may be released to, removed, or interviewed by officers of law enforcement agencies only as prescribed in the regulations adopted by the Board.

The standard of care required of school officials is that degree of care which a prudent person, charged with his/her duties, would exercise under the same circumstances.

School officials are to assure that, during the process of investigation and apprehension, the safety and welfare of all students and personnel is of extreme importance and should be preserved at all times.

Administrative directions, defining procedures to be followed by law enforcement officials and school staff, shall be maintained at each school site for reference as needed.

This policy does <u>not</u> regulate the interviewing or searching of a student by a school official. (See Administrative Regulation 5145.)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

48906 Notification of parent/guardian of release of student