Digital Streaming Services, Commercial DVDs/ Videos and Digital Recordings in JDACs and TFs

530.1 PURPOSE:

To establish guidelines regarding the use of digital streaming services, commercial DVDs/Videos, and digital recordings in JDACs and TFs.

530.2 DEFINITIONS:

<u>The Federal Copyright Act of 1976:</u> Public Law 94-553, 90; Statute 2541 governs how copyrighted materials may be utilized publicly. Neither the rental nor the purchase or lending of a videocassette or DVD carries with it the right to exhibit such a movie publicly outside the home unless the site where the video is used is properly licensed for public exhibition. This legal copyright compliance requirement applies to schools, public libraries, daycare facilities, parks, recreation departments, summer camps, churches, private clubs, prisons, lodges, businesses, etc. This legal requirement applies regardless of whether an admission fee is charged, whether the institution or organization is commercial or non-profit, and whether a government agency is involved.

<u>Digital Streaming Services:</u> A method of accessing media content, such as music, movies, TV shows, etc. on-demand in real-time, from the internet without having to download it.

530.3 RESPONSIBILITIES:

- I. <u>All Staff:</u>
 - A. Shall not use, possess, or display personal or unapproved digital streaming services, commercial DVDs, videos, or digital recordings to youth.
 - B. Ensure youth do not use unapproved digital streaming services, commercial DVDs, videos, or digital recordings.
 - C. Ensure any digital streaming services, commercial DVDs, videos, and digital recordings have been approved by the facility superintendent and/or School Principal before display to youth.
 - D. Address violations of this procedure immediately and report them to a supervisor.
- II. Facility Superintendent:
 - A. May permit the display of approved digital streaming services to youth.
 - B. Ensure approved digital streaming services are used in compliance with existing laws and/or the company's established terms and conditions.
- III. School Principal:
 - A. May permit the display of approved digital streaming services, commercial DVDs, videos, and/or digital recordings intended for educational purposes to youth.

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B. Ensure approved digital streaming services, commercial DVDs, videos, and digital recordings are used in compliance with existing laws and/or the company's established terms and conditions.

530.4 GUIDELINES:

- A. Refer to the Cellular Enabled Electronic Devices in JDACs and TFs, Computer Information Security/User Sign-On & Access Controls, and Electronic Communications procedures for further parameters regarding the use of computers, internet, and other electronic devices, etc.
- B. The improper/unauthorized use of digital streaming services, commercial DVDs/ Videos, electronic devices, computers, Department information systems, internet, and networks may be considered cause for disciplinary action up to and including termination.