Business/Non-Instructional Operations

Vending Machines

The Board of Education has determined that there shall be no installations of vending machines except as approved by the Superintendent of Schools. Beverages provided from such vending machines shall consist of only the following:

- (1) milk that may be flavored but contain no artificial sweeteners and no more than four grams of sugar per ounce,
- (2) nondairy milks such as soy or rice milk, which may be flavored but contain no artificial sweeteners, no more than four grams of sugar per ounce, no more than thirty-five per cent of calories from fat per portion and no more than ten per cent of calories from saturated fat per portion,
- (3) one hundred per cent fruit juice, vegetable juice or combination of such juices, containing no added sugars, sweeteners or artificial sweeteners,
- (4) beverages that contain only water and fruit or vegetable juice and have no added sugars, sweeteners or artificial sweeteners, and
- (5) water, which may be flavored but contain no added sugars, sweeteners, artificial sweeteners or caffeine.

Portion sizes of beverages, other than water as described in subdivision (5) of this subsection, that are offered for sale pursuant to this subsection shall not exceed twelve ounces.

Vending machines are operated as a revenue producing endeavor and as a convenience for students, staff and patrons. All revenue produced from this source shall be deposited in the designated activity fund as approved by the Board of Education/Superintendent of Schools Unless such vending machines are operated by the Board of Education and services for the blind consistent with the State law.

Legal Reference:

Statutes and State Board of Education Regulations 10-221Q 10-303 10-215b-1 Competitive foods.

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