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SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

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The Alexander City Board of Education recognizes that volunteers can make many valuable contributions to the schools and can be used as effective learning resources. Therefore, the Board endorses a volunteer program in the district, subject to suitable regulations and safeguards. These regulations and safeguards shall include volunteers operating within the written authorization of the Board and/or members of its administrative staff and under the supervision of Board employees. These regulations shall be developed and promulgated by the Superintendent or staff in cooperation with the faculty of each school.

Any volunteer (i.e., a person performing services for non-profit organization, a non-profit corporation, a hospital, or a governmental entity without compensation, other than reimbursement for actual expenses incurred) shall be immune from civil liability in any action on the basis of any act or omission of a volunteer resulting in damage or injury if:

1. The volunteer was acting in good faith and within the scope of such volunteer's official functions and duties for a non-profit organization, a non-profit corporation, hospital, or a governmental entity; and
1. The damage or injury was not caused by willful or wanton misconduct by such volunteer.

REFERENCE(S):

CODE OF ALABAMA

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