BIG SPRING INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Student Complaint Form Instructions for Reporting Incidents of BULLYING, SEXUAL HARASSMENT, DATING VIOLENCE and SEXUAL VIOLENCE

An administrator who receives a report of bullying, sexual harassment, dating violence, or sexual violence will address the following issues with the student who was the victim of the reported behaviors in a private meeting before assisting the student in completing the Complaint Form.

Your Right to File a Complaint

The policy of Big Spring Independent School District is that all students and employees be free from bullying, sexual harassment, dating violence, and sexual violence. All charges of bullying, sexual harassment, dating violence, and sexual violence are to be taken very seriously by students, faculty, staff, administration, and parents/guardians. The District will make every reasonable effort to handle and respond to every charge and complaint filed by students and employees in a fair, thorough, and just manner. Every reasonable effort will be made to protect the due process rights of all victims and all alleged perpetrators.

Instructions: Use this form to report bullying, sexual harassment, dating violence, and sexual violence so that school officials may investigate and take appropriate actions to increase your safety.

Complete the form, providing as much detailed information as possible so that the complaint may be properly investigated.

It is important that you report the facts as accurately and completely as possible and that you cooperate fully with the persons designated to investigate the complaint.

Where to file: Complaint forms will be available from any counselor or administrator.

Confidentiality: To conduct this investigation in a confidential manner, the school will disclose the contents of your complaint only to those persons who have a need to know of your complaint. In signing the complaint form, you authorize the school to disclose as needed the information you have provided, and may in the future provide, regarding your complaint. Your complaint form will not be shown to the alleged perpetrator.

Retaliation prohibited: Retaliation against a person who files a formal complaint is strictly prohibited and is grounds for disciplinary action, including but not limited to, suspension, DAEP, and expulsion.

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Name:	Name:			Student ID:		
Grade:	Date:		Time:	School:		
lease answer the following questions about the most serious incident. ist the name of the alleged perpetrator(s) of bullying, sexual harassment, dating violence, or sexual violence:						
Relationship between you and t	he alleged perpet	rator:				
Describe the incident:						
When and where did it happen?)					
Were there any witnesses? If yes, who?	Yes	No				
Is this the first incident? If no, how many times has it hap	Yes opened before?_	No				
Other information, including pre	evious incidents o	r threats:				
I certify that all statements mad	e in the complain	Date: t are true and comp	lete. Any intenti		rvin	
subject me to appropriate discip pursuing the investigation.	oline. I authorize s	school omcials to dis	sciose the inform	ation i provide only as necessa	ry in	
Signatures						
Student:				Date:		
School Official Receiving Complaint:				Date:		
School Official Conducting Follow-up:				Date:		
Notes of Actions Taken:						
Additional information from stud	dent or staff:					
Documentation/Follow-up			Date	Signature of Student/Staff		