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REG-001-1917	Committing robbery	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-1929	Physical assault	Suspension Appeal	Quashed
REG-001-1938	Fighting	Suspension Appeal	Upheld  <b><u>RECOMMENDATION:</u></b> That if there are no other incidents of a similar nature by June 30, 2019, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-1941	Fighting	Suspension Appeal	Reduce the record of suspension to 1 Day  <b><u>RECOMMENDATION:</u></b> That if there are no other incidents of a similar nature by June 30, 2019, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-1943	Fighting	Suspension Appeal	Upheld
REG-001-1912	Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Upheld
REG-001-1975	Using a weapon to cause or to threaten bodily harm to another person – Knife	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld

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REG-001-1944	Sexual harassment	Suspension Appeal	Upheld  <u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> That if there are no other incidents of a similar nature by May 29, 2019, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-1935	Possessing a weapon, including a firearm - Replica Firearm	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld  <u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> That staff work proactively with the family to identify options for accessing local relevant community services and resources that could benefit the pupil. Further, that staff consider providing any needed assessments for the pupil; including the possibility of a psycho-educational assessment for him in order to better understand his unique learning needs and requirements.
REG-001-1980	Fighting	Suspension Appeal	Upheld  <u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> That if there are no other incidents of a similar nature by June 30, 2019, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-1978	Committing robbery – Knife	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld

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REG-001-1990	Using a weapon to cause or to threaten bodily harm to another person – Firearm	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-1984	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	Suspension Appeal	Suspension Record Reduced to 15 Days  <u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> In the interest of supporting the pupil; the committee urges the school and family to work cooperatively to seek out and engage with available supports and/or assessments (which could include but are not limited to an IPRC) that would respond to the unique learning needs and learning strengths that the pupil possesses.
REG-001-1992	Aid/Incite harmful behavior	Suspension Appeal	Suspension Record Reduced to 1 Day  <u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> That if there are no other incidents of a similar nature by June 30, 2020, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-1983	Serious Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct – Knife	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2006	Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Quashed

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REG-001-1999	Using a weapon to cause or to threaten bodily harm to another person – Knife	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-1998	Serious Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-1976	Serious Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-1982	Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Upheld  <b>RECOMMENDATION:</b> That if there are no other incidents of a similar nature by June 30, 2019, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-2016	Using a weapon to cause or to threaten bodily harm to another person – Knife	SCHOOL ONLY	The Committee has decided NOT to EXPEL the student. The Discipline Committee decided to uphold a 15-day suspension.
REG-001-2000	Fighting	Suspension Appeal	Quashed

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REG-001-2013	Fighting	Suspension Appeal	<p>At the hearing the parties; after having made their submissions and the committee having retired to consider the matter...the parties asked to address the committee once again.</p> <p>The parties advised the committee that they had mutually agreed to reduce record of this suspension to 3 days. Both parties spoke to their consent and support to this agreement.</p> <p>The matter was then adjourned by the committee.</p>
REG-001-1997	Using a weapon to cause or to threaten bodily harm to another person – Extend	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-2017	Committing robbery	SCHOOL ONLY	<p>Upheld</p> <p><b>RECOMMENDATION:</b> That the staff and family work cooperatively to consider the next school placement for the pupil, including consideration of an alternative/small school setting that best meets his unique learning needs.</p>
REG-001-2018	Committing robbery	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld

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REG-001-2021	Using a weapon to cause or to threaten bodily harm to another person – Knife	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Reduced - ONE SCHOOL ONLY
REG-001-2010	Fighting	Suspension Appeal	Quashed
REG-001-2019	Theft	Suspension Appeal	Upheld  <u>RECOMMENDATION:</u>  a) That the school and family work collaboratively and proactively to access available supports for the pupil; in the best interest of his ongoing social and educational development and success.  b) That if there are no other incidents of a similar nature by June 30, 2019, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.

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REG-001-2027	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2033	Uttering a threat to inflict serious bodily harm on another person motivated by bias, prejudice or hate	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2036	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2023	Physical assault	Suspension Appeal	Upheld  <b>RECOMMENDATION:</b> That if there are no other incidents between today's date and June 30, 2019, that lead to formal suspension that the Principal remove record of this suspension from the students OSR.

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REG-001-2035	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-2038	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2044	Possessing a weapon - Baseball bat	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2008	Hate and/or bias-motivated occurrences	Suspension Appeal	Suspension record Reduced to 2 Days  <b><u>RECOMMENDATION:</u></b> That if there are no other incidents by June 30, 2020, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-1996	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld



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REG-001-2061	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2042	Trafficking in cannabis	Suspension Appeal	Upheld  <b><u>RECOMMENDATION:</u></b> That if there are no other incidents by June 30, 2020, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-2048	Physical assault	Suspension Appeal	Quashed
REG-001-2064	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld

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REG-001-2037	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-2026	Committing sexual assault	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2062	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2069	Serious Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2039	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld

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REG-001-2051	Physical assault	Suspension Appeal	Upheld
REG-001-2052	Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Suspension Reduced to 1 Day
REG-001-2074	Serious Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Suspension Reduced to 10 Days
REG-001-2060	Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Suspension Reduced to 2 Days  <u>RECOMMENDATION:</u> That if there are no other incidents by June 30, 2020, that lead to formal suspension that record of this suspension be removed from the students OSR.
REG-001-2067	Possessing a weapon - Knife	SCHOOL ONLY	The Committee has decided NOT to EXPEL the student. The Discipline Committee decided to uphold the 20-day suspension.
REG-001-2065	Possessing a weapon, including a firearm - Replica Firearm	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-2070	Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Quashed

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REG-001-2063	Bullying - Previous suspension, presence in school creates risk	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-2071	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	Suspension Appeal	Suspension Record Reduced to 3 Days  <b><u>RECOMMENDATION:</u></b> That if there are no other incidents by June 30, 2020, that lead to formal suspension that the Principal remove record of this suspension from the students OSR.
REG-001-2082	Inappropriate use of electronic communication/media	Suspension Appeal	Upheld
REG-001-2083	Committing sexual assault	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2081	Breach of the Board's or a school's Code of Conduct	Suspension Appeal	Quashed
REG-001-2084	Trafficking in weapons or in illegal drugs - illegal drugs	ALL SCHOOLS OF THE BOARD	Upheld
REG-001-2072	Racial harassment	Suspension Appeal	Quashed

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REG-001-2089	Committing physical assault on another person that causes bodily harm requiring treatment by a medical practitioner	SCHOOL ONLY	Upheld
REG-001-2076	Aid/Incite harmful behavior	Suspension Appeal	Quashed