AGREEMENT TO HOLD EXPULSION (SUSPENSION) IN ABEYANCE

A. It is understood that __________________________ (student) has been [ ] expelled [ ] suspended for up to ___________________________ (time period) for violating __________________________ (rule) of ___________________________________ (name) School's Student Code of Conduct by __________________________ (infraction) on _______________________ (date).

B. However, by agreement of the parties it is understood that the _______________ (time period) [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension will be held in abeyance (that is, it will not be implemented) contingent upon the following terms:

1. _________________________ (student) attends school daily, missing only for personal illness or personal business that cannot be conducted outside school hours, and on any day when _____________________ (student) must be absent for all or even part of the day, _____________ ________ (parent(s)) will call the school by 9:00 a.m. so that the reason for his/her absence is known;

2. _________________________ (student) conforms his/her behavior to meet the ________________________________ (name of school) School's Student Code of Conduct and is not involved in any additional acts that require disciplinary action (i.e., result in an out-of-school suspension or expulsion for violating any rules in ________________________________ (name of school) School's Student Code of Conduct) during the time his/her [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension is held in abeyance; and

3. _________________________ (student) gives his/her best effort in all of his/her subjects every day.

C. It is understood that, as long as Mr. and Mrs. ________________ comply with the conditions in B(1) above, and _________________________ (student) complies with the conditions in B(1), B(2), and B(3) above, then _________________________ (student) may return to school beginning __________________________ (date), and _____________________ (student)’s [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension will be held in abeyance for a period of up to ___________________________ (time period) beginning ___________________________ (date) and continuing through ___________________________ (date).

D. It is understood by the undersigned that there exists a right to appeal the [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension ordered by the Superintendent (or principal). That right exists both in law and under Board policy. By executing this agreement the undersigned acknowledges that they voluntarily and without any undue influence agree to waive their right to appeal the [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension, which include any periods reinstated by the Superintendent for the aforementioned violation during the period in which the original [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension is held in abeyance.
E.

By signing this agreement the undersigned express their desire to have the terms of the agreement immediately implemented and hereby attest that they shall do all things required of them to implement the terms of this agreement. **This is with full understanding that failure to follow through on any of the conditions contained in this agreement will result in the immediate implementation of the [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension, upon written notice of the Superintendent, without further appeal.** In such a circumstance, while the [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension will not extend beyond its original expiration date (i.e., ______________ (date)), it is understood and agreed that any new acts or occurrences could result in an additional exclusion from school (suspension and/or expulsion) beyond the end of the original [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension, depending upon the timing and/or nature of the offense. If the new act or occurrence results in an exclusion from school beyond the end of the original [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension, ______________ (student) would have any and all rights of review and/or appeal available under the __________________________________________ (name of school) School's Code of Conduct and law to respond to such charges and/or exclusions extending beyond the original [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension.

It is further understood by the undersigned that the [ ] expulsion [ ] suspension will immediately be implemented if ______________ (student) withdraws from the School District and enrolls in any other public or private school between the period of ______________ (date) and ______________ (date).

_________________________________________  _____________________________
Parent                                                                 Date

_________________________________________  _____________________________
Parent                                                                 Date

_________________________________________  _____________________________
Student                                                                               Date

_________________________________________  _____________________________
Superintendent                                                                         Date

† The student will be presented with the charge(s) against him/her and provided an opportunity to present his/her side of the story or otherwise explain his/her conduct.