

POLICY

Board of Education Bernards Township

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SOLICITATIONS BY VENDORS

The Board of Education will permit outside vendors to solicit pupils and parents for the sale of goods and services on the school premises at times and places designated by the board, **PROVIDED THAT THE BOARD HAS GIVEN PRIOR APPROVAL** to the vendor and to the solicitation.

The Superintendent or his/her designee shall review each outside vendor's request to solicit sales and shall recommend only those that offer a product or service that is related to the educational goals of this District and offers good value to purchasers.

The Superintendent is authorized to grant approval for solicitation of students by groups or organizations sponsored by the Township or who are local non-profit groups without Board approval.

The Board disclaims any responsibility for any funds collected by such an outside vendor.

In the event that more than one vendor requests permission to solicit sales of a particular product or service, or the Superintendent or his/her designee seeks an outside vendor to provide a particular product or service to parents or pupils, the Superintendent or his/her designee shall seek quotations from qualified vendors in order to determine which provide the greater value to purchasers.

The Board reserves the right to withdraw its approval of any outside vendor at any time.

APPROVED: July 27, 1998

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