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Bloomsbury School District – Annual Re-Notification by AHERA - Asbestos

Dear Parents, Guardians, Staff, Students, and Members of the General Public,

The federal Asbestos Hazard Emergency Response Act (AHERA) requires all schools from pre-K to Grade 12 to conduct inspections to determine if asbestos containing materials (ACBM) are present in school buildings. If they do, a detailed Asbestos Management Plan must be developed to categorize the type of material, location, current condition, and its potential for damage. The Asbestos Management Plan details the inspection findings, and makes assessments and recommendations for how the School Board should respond.

To accomplish these goals, the School Board now has on file a NJ State Department of Health approved Asbestos Management Plan for the facility. The provisions of the plan are being implemented in a timely and on-going fashion. The School Board will also schedule and perform 3-year re-inspections and 6-month periodic surveillance inspections as required by the AHERA regulations. It is your Board's desire to provide a safe and healthy facility for all students, employees and visitors.

The purpose of this memorandum is to notify all building occupants that the Asbestos Management Plan is available for review as required by AHERA. Should you desire, please contact the School Principal for further details.

Since the last written notice, we have completed the following activities: two 6-month surveillance inspections.

Respectfully,

Matthew Garfein

Head Custodian

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