

**Ordering Goods and Services — Contracts****General**

All contracts between the district and outside agencies shall conform to prescribed standards as required by law. All contracts between the district and outside agencies shall be prepared under the supervision of the Superintendent or his/her designee, and where appropriate, subject to approval of the legal adviser to the district.

**Affirmative Action**

The school district shall not enter into any contract with a person, agency, or organization if it has knowledge that such person, agency or organization discriminates on the basis of race, color, religious creed, age, marital status, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, or physical handicap or disability, either in employment practices or in the provision of benefits or services to students or employees.

Legal References: Connecticut General Statutes §§ 46a-58 to 46a-81

Title VII, Civil Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. 2000e et seq. as amended by Title IX, Equal Employment Opportunity Act

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; 42 U.S.C. 1134n et seq.

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