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May 30, 2023

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

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Attn: Jackson Parker
DEPT MR 142017
263 Huntington Ave
Boston, MA 02115

Re: Response to Freedom of Information Law Request

Dear Mr. Parker:

This will respond to your New York State Freedom of Information Law ("FOIL") request received by me on April 14, 2023, and follows my initial response to you acknowledging receipt of that request dated April 18, 2023. I am responding to your request as the Records Access Officer of the Ravana-Coeymans-Selkirk Central School District. In your request, as revised, you seek:

All materials and correspondence between the district Board of Education, district Administration, district Equity Committee or Office, Faculty, Staff, Third Party Contractors and Consultants related to the following terms, subjects or concepts between January 1, 2022 to the date this request is fulfilled:

- a. Equity
- b. Culturally Responsive
- c. Implicit Bias
- d. People of Color
- e. Social Justice
- f. Diversity
- g. Decolonize
- h. Intersectionality

Please be advised that your request is denied. In that regard, upon initial search and investigation the District has determined that there are over 4000 records potentially responsive to your request. In order to respond to your request, the District would be required to review all potentially responsive records, determine if such records are in fact responsive, and redact such records as may be necessary under applicable federal or state law or as otherwise permissible under FOIL. The sheer breadth and scope of potentially responsive records supports the District's denial of your request on the basis of its failure to reasonably describe the records being requested and the unreasonable effort and expense imposed upon the District to attempt to fulfill this overly broad request. For the foregoing reasons your request is denied.

Any appeal of this decision should be made within thirty (30) days, in writing to the Superintendent of School and can be contacted at Ravana-Coeymans-Selkirk CSD, P.O. Box 100, Ravana, NY 12143, email address: bbailey@rcscsd.org or 518-756-5200 Ext. 6003

Sincerely,
Suzanne Starr
Records Access Officer
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