

SECTION: CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES

TITLE: TOBACCO USE

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PENN MANOR SCHOOL DISTRICT

523. TOBACCO USE	
1. Purpose	The Board recognizes that tobacco use during school hours and on school property presents a health and safety hazard which can have serious consequences for the user and the nonuser and the safety of the schools and is a concern of the Board.
2. Definition	For purposes of this policy, tobacco use shall mean all use of tobacco, including cigars, cigarettes, pipes and smokeless tobacco. Buildings shall mean every building which is owned or leased or contracted for and utilized by the district.
3. Authority Goals 2000 Pro-Children's Act of 1994	In order to protect students and staff from an environment that may be harmful to them, the Board prohibits smoking by classified employees in school buildings, on school grounds and on school buses.
4. Guidelines Act 168 of 1988 SC 1303-A	A violation of this policy shall be punishable by a civil fine of not more than fifty dollars (\$50.00). Incidents of possession, use and sale of tobacco by any person on school property shall be reported to the Office of Safe Schools on the required form at least once each year.