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Policy 103: Weapons Policy

Related Policies

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Amended

I. Introduction

The Board of Directors at Central Penn College is committed to providing a campus environment free from violence, including strictly prohibiting the possession or use of weapons.

II. Purpose:

This Board Policy codifies the College's current weapons practice and procedure located in the Employee Handbook. The College's weapon practices and procedures remain in effect, uninterrupted.

III. Definitions

Weapon: firearms and "offensive weapons," such as bombs, grenades, blackjacks, metal knuckles, switchblades, tasers, or any other implements used for the infliction of bodily injury which serve no common lawful purpose.

IV. Policy

The possession of any weapon by any person on college property is prohibited. This includes all buildings, parking lots and grounds owned by the College.

For purposes of this policy, weapons are defined as firearms and "offensive weapons," such as bombs, grenades, blackjacks, metal knuckles, switch blades, Tasers, or any other implements used for the infliction of bodily injury which serve no common lawful purpose.

The policy applies to persons who may be licensed to carry a concealed firearm. It does not apply to law enforcement officers or uniformed members of the armed services on campus for official business, or other individuals expressly authorized by the President and Board of Directors. Unauthorized possession of a weapon on college property is grounds for disciplinary action including termination of employment and referral to local law enforcement.

V. Effective Date:

Immediately