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| <b>POLICY</b> | <b>5010</b><br><b>Adopted: August 22, 2006</b><br><b>Revised: July 7, 2015</b><br><br><b>Student Policies</b> |
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**SUBJECT: EQUAL OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS**

The Greater Southern Tier BOCES Board affirms its commitment to prevent discrimination against and harassment and bullying of students in accordance with federal and state laws. The BOCES does not discriminate on the basis of actual or perceived race, color, national origin, ethnic group, disability, sex, religion, religious practice, marital status, sexual orientation, or age, or under the Boy Scouts Act, in its programs, activities, or admission of students.

The District Superintendent is responsible for the recommendation of a Civil Rights Compliance Officers.

A notice of the BOCES policy of equal opportunity for students shall be published and distributed.