

AJC article on SB226

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Mr. Tagami,

Thank you for bringing light to SB226 and the obscene materials in our school libraries through physical books and the Galileo/Ebsco databases. These materials glorify sexual assualt, rape culture and violence against girls, children and women. Ebsco markets these materials to K-12 schools and consistently rank on the National Center on Sexual Exploitation's "Dirty Dozen List". https://endsexualexploitation.org/featured/dirtydozenlist-2021/utm source=dirtydozenlist.com&utm medium= redirect&utm campaign=DDL2021

I would challenge you to print the attached examples of obscene materials currently in our schools. Redactions are mine.

I would also challenge you to post the parent testimonies about the degrading "kangaroo court" appeal process. Testimony from parents who thought their children were safe.

Finally I challenge you to tell your readers that a parent whistle blower was blocked from access after testimony but the children still have access to the obscene materials. In fact, the Department of Education knew about this problem last year and have done nothing to protect our children from these materials.

Please explain these statistics to your readers:



https://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/childabuseandneglect/childsexualabuse.html

These obscene materials trigger abusive memories in traumatized children and teenagers. Exposing them to more harmful materials causes irreparable damage. The glorification of sexual assault with taxpayer dollars NEEDS TO STOP THIS YEAR WITH SB226! We have brave legislators who are standing up for children and parents and I sincerely hope you will also.

Thank you, Noelle Kahaian Protect Student Health Georgia

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SB226 physical book examples.pdf

