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Title: Racial Nondiscrimination for Private Schools

Policy: It is the policy of the West Deanery Unified Catholic Schools, Inc., (“School”) to “operate the School in a racially nondiscriminatory manner.” The School “shall admit students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin and afford such students with all the rights, privileges, programs, and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the School. Further, the School shall take affirmative action to assure that its School does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs, and athletic and other school-administered programs.

The statement of racial nondiscrimination shall be included in all its brochures, catalogues, advertisements and websites dealing with student recruitment, admissions, programs, and scholarships.” WDUCS Bylaws Article XVII Miscellaneous Section 17.5

Purpose: The School is operating under the guidance of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Indianapolis regarding Racial Nondiscrimination.

Scope: WDUCS – grades Pre-K through High School

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Procedure:

1.0 **Application**

1.1 That the School is owned and operated by West Deanery Unified Catholic Schools, Inc.

1.2 Racial Nondiscrimination is part of its bylaws – WDUCS Bylaws Article XVII Miscellaneous Section 17.5

1.3 The records of the School establish compliance with the Nondiscrimination Policy.

- 1.4 All scholarships or other comparable benefits provided by the School are offered on a racially nondiscriminatory basis. The availability of such financial assistance is known throughout the general community being served by the School.
- 1.5 The School includes a statement of its Nondiscrimination Policy as to students in all its brochures, catalogues, advertisements and websites dealing with student recruitment, admissions, programs, and scholarships.