



ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES MEMORANDUM

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Charitable Organizations Supporting Children

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MEMO TO: All Staff

FROM: Director of Education

PURPOSE Compatible with the social teaching of the Church, it is the practice of the School System to encourage active involvement in helping others who are less fortunate. Schools are encouraged to support a variety of mission or charitable activities, which are compatible with the values we teach.

REFERENCES Board Policy – IV 007, “Asset Protection”

COMMENT AND GUIDELINES

The participation of a school in fund raising to support charitable activities, which can be supported by the values of our Faith Community, is a decision of the local school.

Schools are encouraged to support a variety of charitable organizations which address the primary needs of children including but not limited to the Holy Childhood Association, Canadian Food for Children, Mother Teresa Charities and Share Lent, which are compatible with the values we teach.

If fund raising activities are undertaken for UNICEF Canada, a covering letter should accompany the donations with instructions to direct the funds to be used for the “**Global Polio Eradication Campaign**”

When sending a donation to UNICEF Canada, in addition to directing the funds, request a return letter guaranteeing the use of funds of the above purposes.