The Public's Right to Know

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The amended Freedom of Information Law, which took effect on January 1, 1978, gives an individual the right of access to many public records.

The people have a right to view official district documents such as the minutes of the board, its written policies, it s financial records, and its curriculum guides.

It will be the policy of the Hicksville School District to make available for public inspection all official records and reports subject to such inspection in accordance with the provisions of Article 6 of the Public Officers Law. However, no records pertaining to individual students or staff members will be released for inspection to any unauthorized person.

The school district has adopted regulations governing when, where, and how an individual can view public records. The procedural regulations can be seen at all places where records are kept.

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