

BP 5830 WEAPONS ON CAMPUS

References:

Penal Code Sections 626.9 and 626.10

Firearms or other weapons shall be prohibited on any District property or in any facility operated by the District, except for activities conducted under the direction of District officials, as authorized by an official law enforcement agency, or exceptions noted in Penal Code Section 626.10.

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References:

Penal Code Sections 626.9(h) and (i), 626.10(b), 16780 and 17230

Firearms, knives, explosives, or other dangerous objects, including but not limited to any facsimile firearm, knife, or explosive, are prohibited on any District property, or in any facility operated by the District. The prohibition of firearms on any District campus, District center, or in any District facility includes both loaded and unloaded firearms, and applies to persons holding a valid license to carry a concealed firearm. The only exception will be for law enforcement personnel authorized to carry a weapon and engaged in the performance of his/her duties. Those individuals, other than the District's own law enforcement, must check in with the District's police department to advise of their presence on district property.

Activities involving firearms or other weapons conducted under the direction of District officials or as authorized by an official law enforcement agency shall be reported to the Chief of Police, College Safety and Police before taking place.

Bringing or possessing any dirk, dagger, ice pick, or knife having a fixed blade longer than 2 1/2 inches upon the grounds of any District College campus, District Center, or any other facility of the District is strictly prohibited, unless the person is authorized to possess such a weapon in the course of his or her employment; has been authorized by the Chief of Police, College Safety and Police, or designee to have the dirk, dagger, ice pick, or knife; is a duly appointed peace officer engaged in the performance of his or her duties; or is a student possessing these items as necessary in the course of their instruction with the District.

Any person who, without the written permission of the Chancellor, or designee, brings or possesses a less lethal weapon, as defined in Section 16780, or a stun gun, as defined in Section 17230, upon the grounds of the District is guilty of a misdemeanor.

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