
Memorandum

DATE: April 25, 2011

TO: File

FROM: Paul H. Cady, General Counsel

RE: **Department of Justice Investigation of Complaint**

The Department of Justice and the Office of Civil Rights are conducting an investigation regarding a complaint that they received “concerning allegations of harassment and discrimination in the Anoka-Hennepin School District based on sex, including peer-on-peer harassment based on not conforming to gender stereotypes.” In addition, the DOJ and OCR noted that it had come to their attention through various media outlets that students in the District who had recently committed suicide may have been the victims of incidents of harassment and bullying.