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SECTION 700 - Educational Program

# **POLICY 716: COPYRIGHT**

## **BACKGROUND**

The Board of Trustees expects employees to be aware of and uphold the requirements of the Copyright Act and the Copyright Modernization Act.

### **POLICY**

Division employees and students will only copy and distribute materials, including works created by employees or students, in accordance with the guidelines and procedures of this policy.

The Division will not accept responsibility for an employee or student who wilfully and knowingly contravenes the Copyright Act, Copyright Modernization Act, or who copies materials excluded from the fair dealing guidelines without permission of the author or publisher.

### **GUIDELINES**

1. Division employees will not be required by their supervisors to perform any service that is a violation of the Copyright Policy.

### ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

716 AP 001 – Copyright

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE - EXHIBIT

716 E 001 – Fair Dealing Guidelines

### REFERENCES

Copyright Act

Copyright Modernization Act

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