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Laura,

In May I had spoken to you about an opinion letter on the mask mandates, unfortunately in preparation for the August 18th meeting, I have to renew my request.

Please include the following in the opinion:

1. Is the mandate that all students, staff and visitors wear masks lawful? Under what authority?
2. Are there any exemptions in the order? Medical or otherwise?
3. What are the consequences, administratively, civilly and criminally if the district does not enforce the mandate? This should include school closings, administrative and funding sanctions, civil liability and any other negative outcomes.

I would like to have the opinion delivered to the board by August 13th, so we can discuss it at the board meeting.

Thanks for your help!

Kevin

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