**Banning Lewis Ranch Academy**

**Rationale and Replacement Plan for Waiver Request**

**C.R.S. 22-1-110 – Effect of Use of Alcohol and Controlled Substances to be Taught.**

This law requires schools to teach the effects, the social dangers of use andthe illegal aspects of use of alcohol and controlled substances.

**Basic Information:**

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**Rationale**: Banning Lewis Ranch Academy should have the authority to determine the educational program and instructional material and strategies used to teach these topics and the extent to which these topics will be integrated into the curriculum.

**Manner in which BLRA will Comply:**

BLRA is responsible for identifying the instructional materials and strategies used to teach these topics and the extent to which these topics will be integrated into the curriculum.

**Duration of the Waiver:**

BLRA requests that the waiver be for the duration of its contract with Falcon 49 School District which is through June 30, 2035.

**Financial Impact:** BLRA anticipates that the requested waiver will have no financial impact on the Falcon 49 School District or the BLRA budget.

**How the Impact of the Waiver will be Evaluated:** The impact of the waiver will be measured by the same performance criteria and assessments that apply to the school, as set forth in BLRA’s charter school contract.

**Expected Outcome:** BLRA expects that as a result of this waiver it will be able to implement its curriculum and ensure that students meet BLRA’s standards.