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Sent via standard mail and to intakeasst@ffrf.org.

Mr. Langer:

On October 22, 2024, you sent an email to Dr. Matt Smith, Arlington Independent School District superintendent, indicating you had not received a response to a previous inquiry on September 19, 2024. Actually, you received a letter to Hirsh Joshi, the original inquirer, on September 25, 2024. A copy of that letter is attached hereto, indicating we were conducting an investigation into the allegations.

AISD has now completed its investigation. The investigation determined there were necessary adjustments in the practices on the campus. As a result, the personnel involved have been given guidance with regard to: message communication including SportsYou app; lesson content management to ensure all Bible verses and lesson materials are not communicated in SportsYou app and removed from whiteboards; training, guidance, and counseling for all athletic staff involved on the constitutional limits regarding religious expression within public schools (the counseling included the clarification that they are not to promote religious views during school activities or instructional time).

There will be monitoring and feedback to prevent future incidents, including a system of regular oversight and monitoring of all extracurricular activities, including athletics. This will ensure that coaches, staff, and volunteers adhere strictly to district policies and legal guidelines concerning the separation of church and state.

We appreciate you bringing these matters to the district's attention and welcome any future feedback should you have concerns.



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If you have any questions, you may contact me at the number(s) above.

Sincerely,

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