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Florida Alliance for Assistive Services and Technology, Inc. Policy #16-10

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Whistleblower

1. Purpose

If any employee reasonably believes that some policy, practice, or activity of the Florida Alliance for Assistive Services and Technology, Inc. (FAAST) is in violation of law, a written complaint must be filed by that employee with the Executive Director or the Board Co-Chairs.

2. Policy Process

- a. It is the intent of FAAST to adhere to all laws and regulations that apply to the organization and the underlying purpose of this policy is to support the organization's goal of legal compliance. The support of all employees is necessary to achieving compliance with various laws and regulations. An employee is protected from retaliation when bringing the alleged unlawful activity, policy, or practice to the attention of FAAST and providing FAAST with a reasonable opportunity to investigate and correct the alleged unlawful activity. The protection described below is available to employees that comply with this requirement.
- b. FAAST will not retaliate against employees who in good faith, has made a protest or raised a complaint against some practice of FAAST, or of another individual or entity with whom FAAST has a business relationship, on the basis of a reasonable belief that the practice is in violation of law, or a clear mandate of public policy.
- c. FAAST will not retaliate against employees who disclose or threaten to disclose to a supervisor or a public body, any activity, policy, or practice of FAAST that the employee reasonably believes is in violation of a law, or a rule, or regulation mandated pursuant to law or is in violation of a clear mandate of public policy concerning the health, safety, welfare, or protection of the environment