

# School District of Hillsborough County



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December 12, 2003

Ms. Ana Tirabassi  
Church of Scientology of Tampa  
3102 N. Habana Avenue  
Tampa, FL 33607

Dear Ms. Tirabassi

The District Review Committee met on December 4, 2003, and discussed your request to distribute information and make presentations in our schools regarding your drug awareness programs. This request was not approved. The committee members indicated that our school district has had a comprehensive drug prevention program in place for a number of years and that this would be a duplication of services. In addition, according to your literature, your proposed presentations are not secular because they are based on the teachings of L. Ron Hubbard. There was no hard research or evaluation component other than results of perception surveys. The proposal lacked details regarding the actual content of each lesson/presentation or outline of exactly what you intend to say or distribute.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gail Crosby".

Gail A. Crosby  
Supervisor of Parent/Family & Community Involvement

cc: Randy Poindexter, Deputy Superintendent for Administration