

Concerned Citizens of Cape May County NJ
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Dear

This correspondence is in reference to a matter of vital importance regarding the youth of our country. It has recently come to our attention that a disturbing agenda regarding the education of our children in the public sector is about to launch. *Our schools are under siege*. The animal's name is "CSCOPE". We, parents, grandparents and law-abiding, citizens, Christians and Jews of voting age, implore you to look into this matter immediately. Remember, we pay the *high* taxes that provide your salaries. We will not be kept in the dark when it comes to our children's well-being.

In Houston, Texas, this lunacy has come to the forefront and is being used as a teaching management tool with lesson plans that have come under scrutiny with parents, teachers and legislators over the past year. Problems including lack of management oversight, lack of transparency (no parents allowed to know), very questionable lesson plans, i.e. (Christopher Columbus is a bad guy) and questionable legal documents (8 pages), that teachers must sign (non-disclosures). Texas State Senator Dan Patrick has co-authored with State Senator Donna Campbell, a bill to reform CSCOPE (TX; SB 1406). The bill was filed and received on 3/7/13. We have been in touch with the Senators and are awaiting to hear results of the filing.

Known by the name **CScope** in Texas, we have become aware that other states have come under attack by the same species but under the name "Common Core". An on-line search revealed that forty-five states including the District of Columbia have already adopted the CC initiative and plan to implement in 2013-14. New Jersey and Pennsylvania are among the states planning to implement. *We say "NO"*. We are just learning the details and harm these programs will place on our children and we are not about to let this happen.

You are expected as leaders, educators, and legislators to take up the gauntlet to stop this insanity before our children are infected. Educate yourselves, as well as the parents, who have entrusted their most precious possessions into your care. We want the truth. The curricula that our children are taught should not to be kept under a dark veil of secrecy. Keep our textbooks real and true. Let our kids learn how our country came to be, what it stands for and above all do not take away this freedom.

You have a moral obligation and responsibility to do what is right. *We will support you only if you support us*. We look forward to hearing from you very soon, as to your findings, and how you plan to proceed to opt out of these programs. Please do not consider this a request. This is an **urgent demand! We expect a written response from the addressees. Thank you and may God guide your course.**

Respectfully Submitted,

Attachment (signatures)

