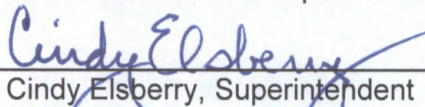


HORRY COUNTY SCHOOLS MONITORING REPORT – OE-11

I certify that the information in this report is true.

Signed:  Date: June 24, 2013
Cindy Elsberry, Superintendent

Disposition of the Board:

- ☒ In compliance
☐ Not in compliance
☐ Compliance with exception

Signed:  Date: June 24, 2013
Joe Defeo, Board Chair

Comments: _____

	Supt	Supt	Bd	Bd
	In compliance	Not in compliance	In compliance	Not in compliance
OE-11 – The superintendent shall establish and consistently enforce discipline policies to maintain safe and effective environments for all students.	✓		✓	

Interpretation: *I interpret this policy to mean that the District will develop a discipline policy that promotes a safe and orderly environment for all students. The policy will outline consequences for persons that break established rules.*

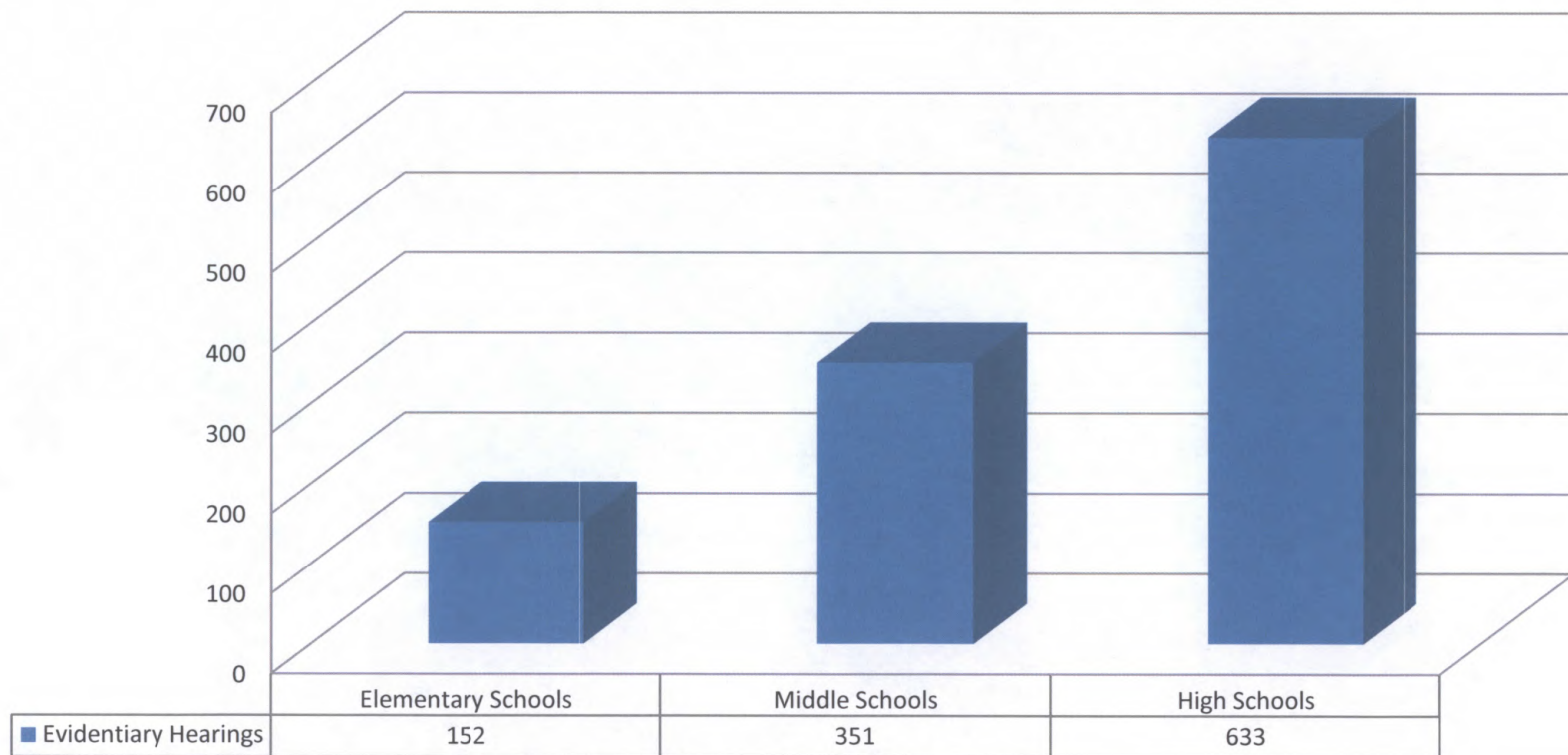
Evidence of Status of Compliance:

We are in full compliance with this policy. Evidence is listed below:

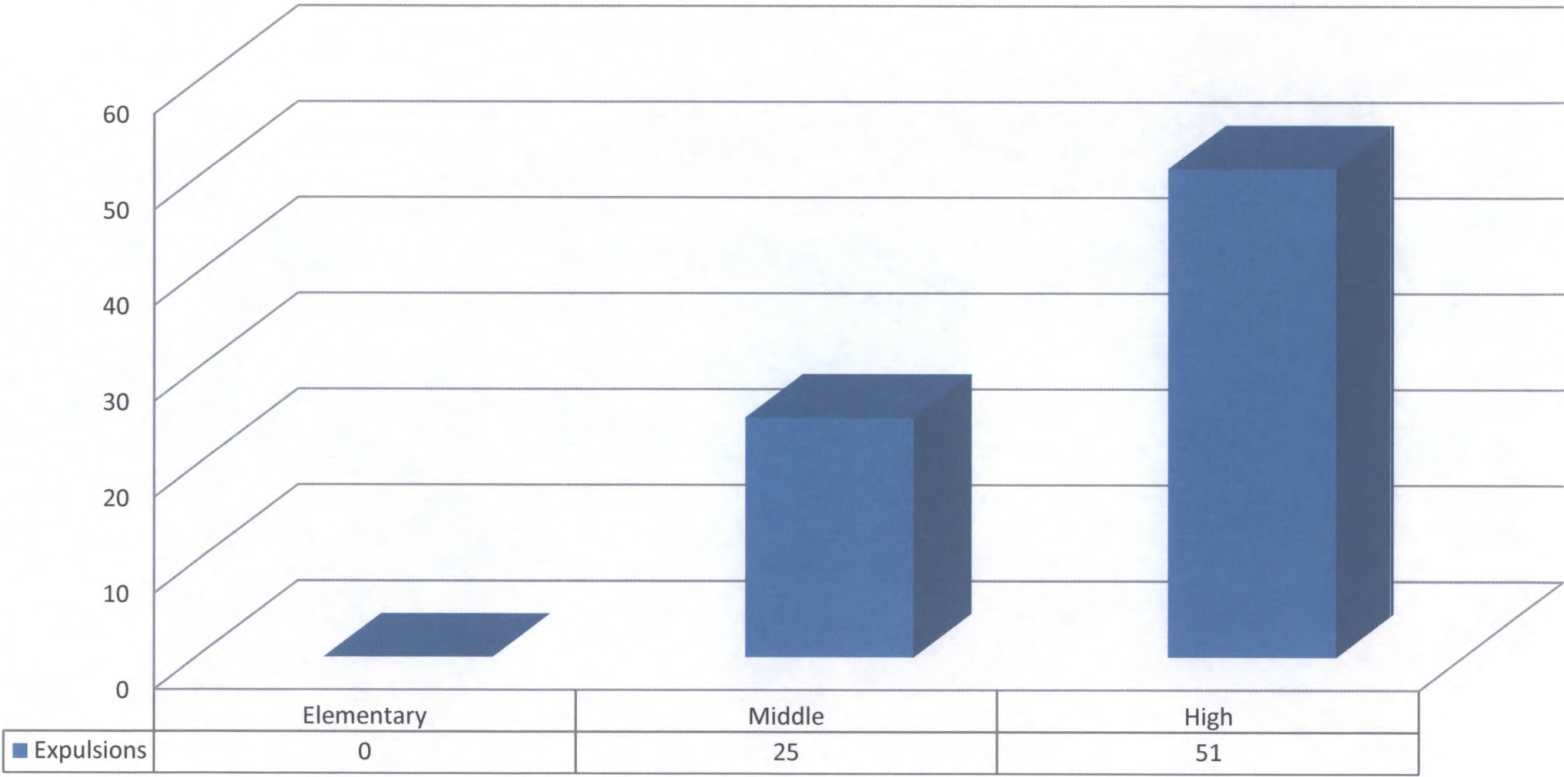
- The *HCS Parent-Student Handbook*, which was printed for the 2012-13 school year, outlines the district's policies for student conduct and describes sanctions that are applied in cases of disorderly behaviors. Parents were given copies of the handbook which is also posted on the district's website. In addition, students were given copies of the handbook which contain the aforementioned policies for student conduct.
- Student evidentiary hearings were held by District Hearing Officers for students who violated established policies for student conduct, and appropriate punishments were assigned. (See attachments 1-5 for statistics on HCS's evidentiary hearings, expulsions, and appeals to the District and to the School Board.)

- Unruly student behavior that disrupted the learning environment was addressed in accordance with the district's policies for student conduct. (*See attachments 6-9 for high school, middle school, and elementary school data comparisons.*)
- Quarterly meetings and trainings were held with school administrators to discuss discipline issues, concerns, and procedures.
- Appeal Board trainings and reviews were held as necessary for District Appeal Board members to review procedures, district policies, and laws.

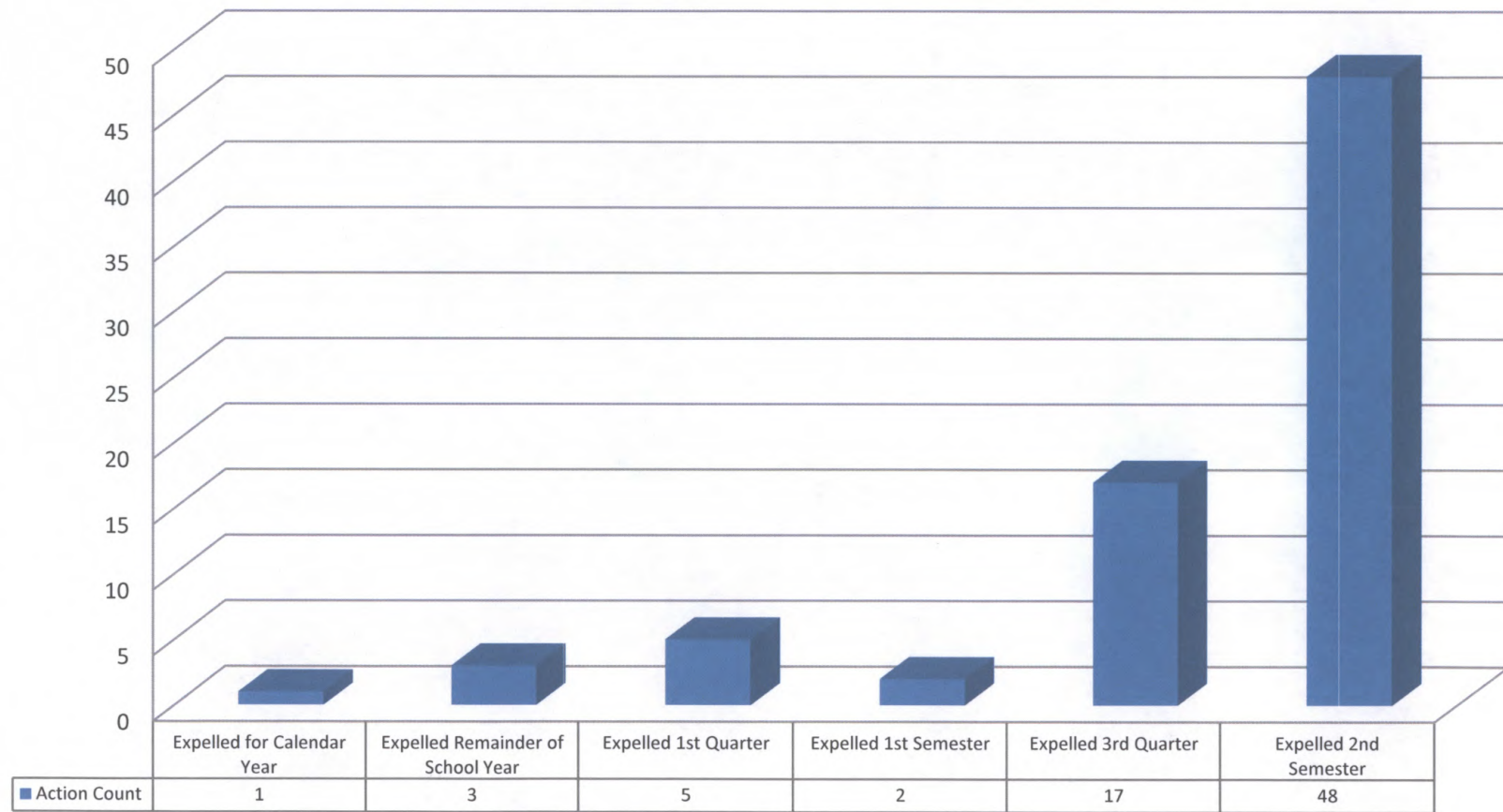
**2012-2013
Evidentiary Hearings
Total - 1,136**



**2012-2013
Expulsions
Total - 76**

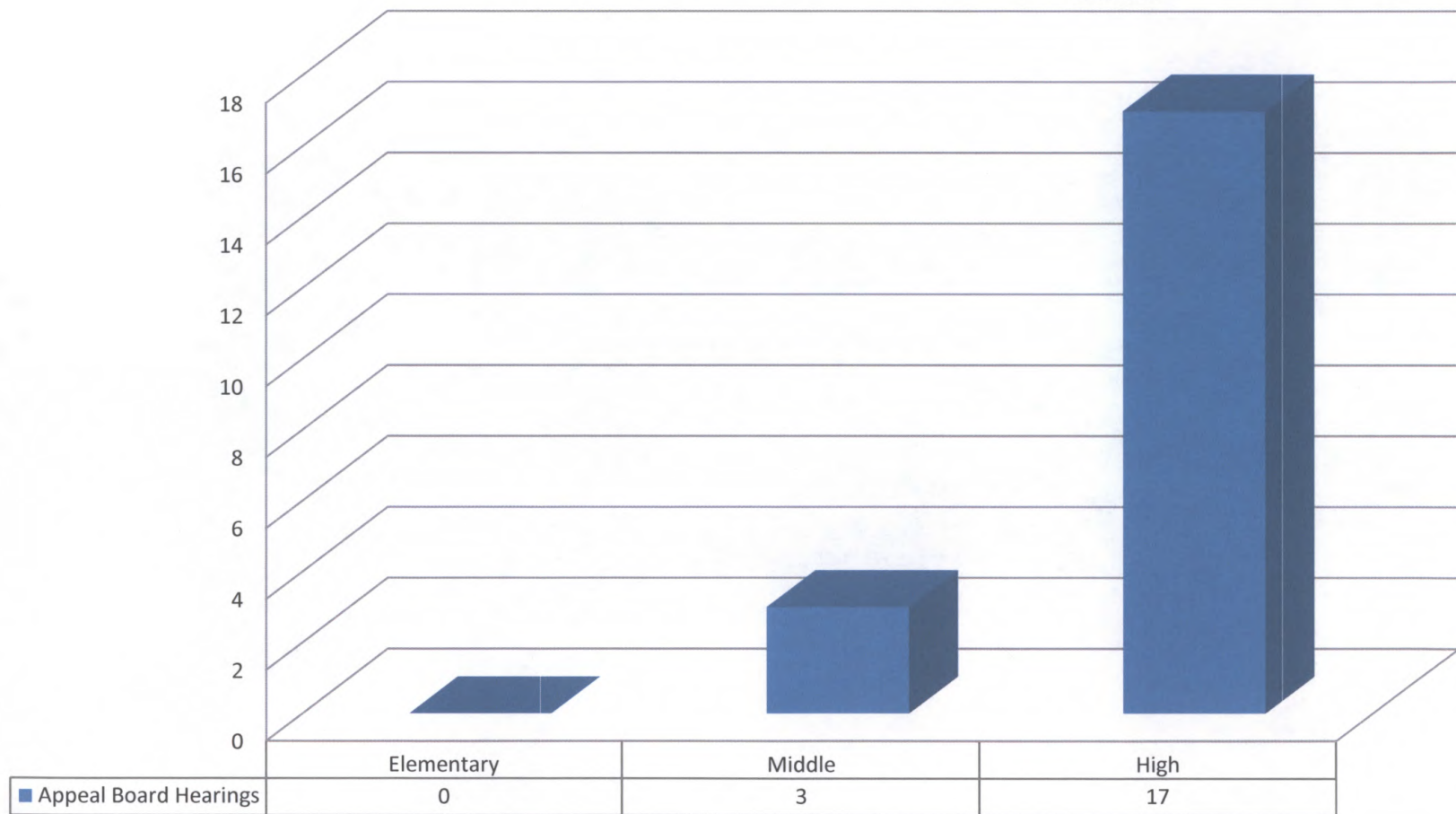


2012-2013 Expulsions by Duration Total - 76

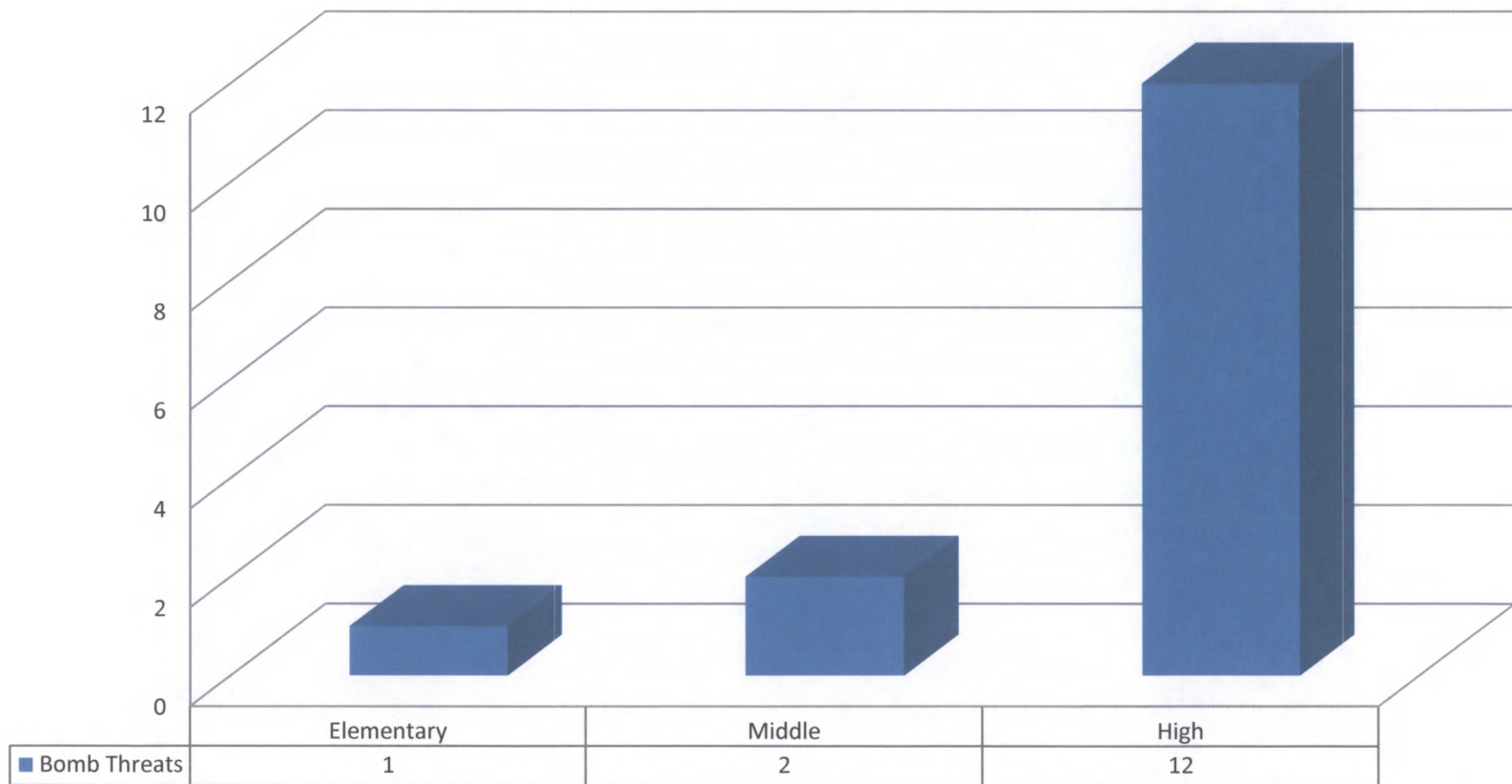


2012-2013 Appeal Board Hearings Total - 20*

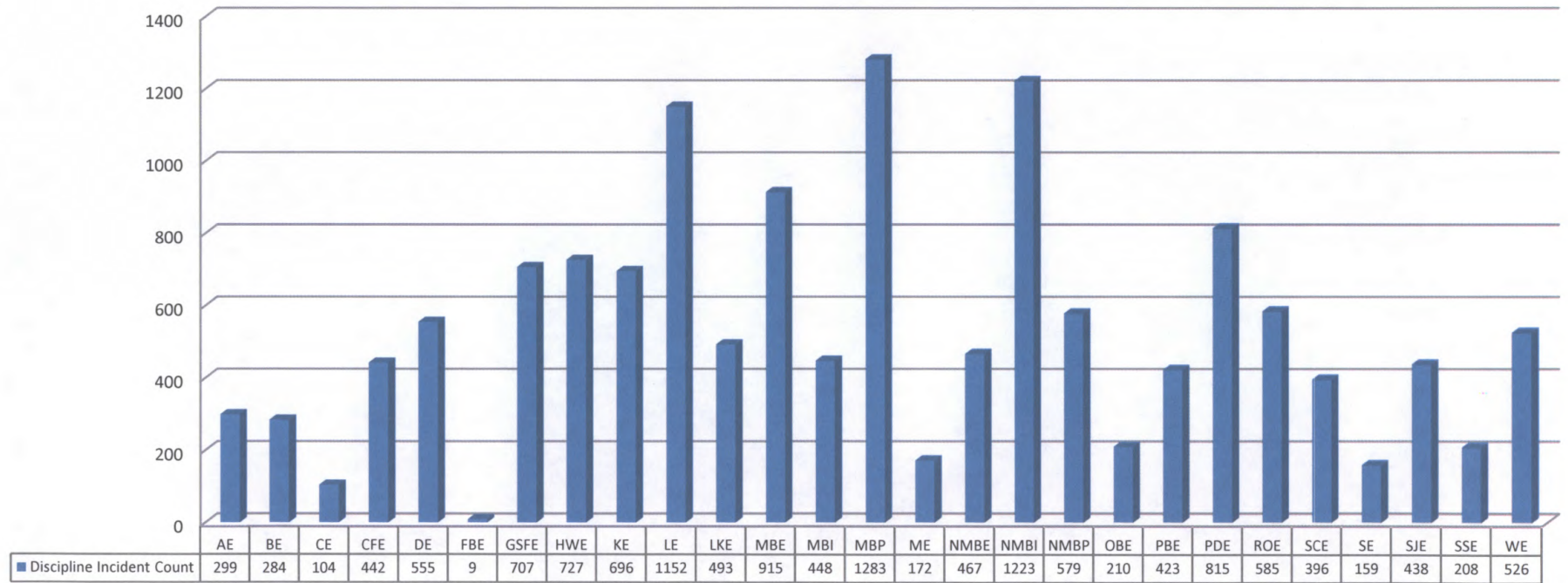
*One of these appeals was appealed to the Board of Education.



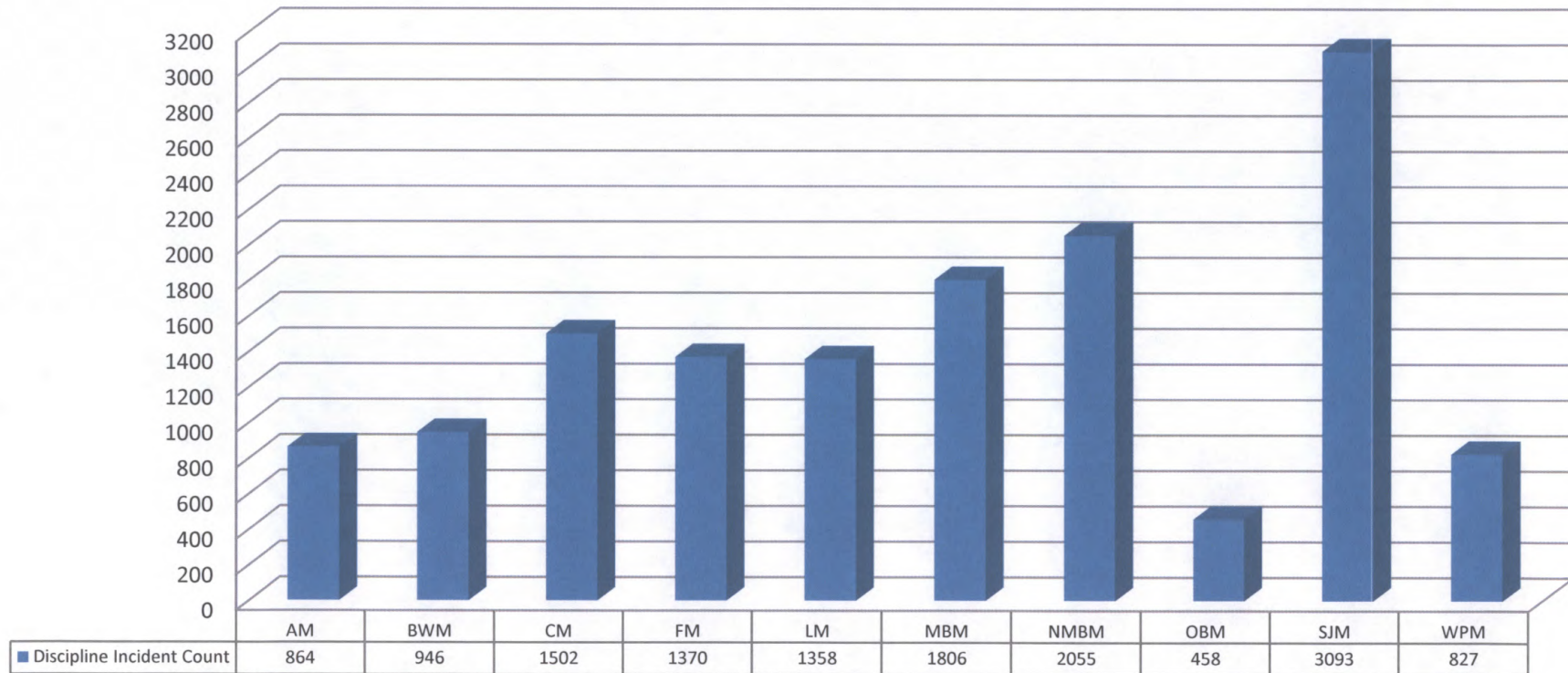
**2012-2013
Bomb Threats
Total - 15**



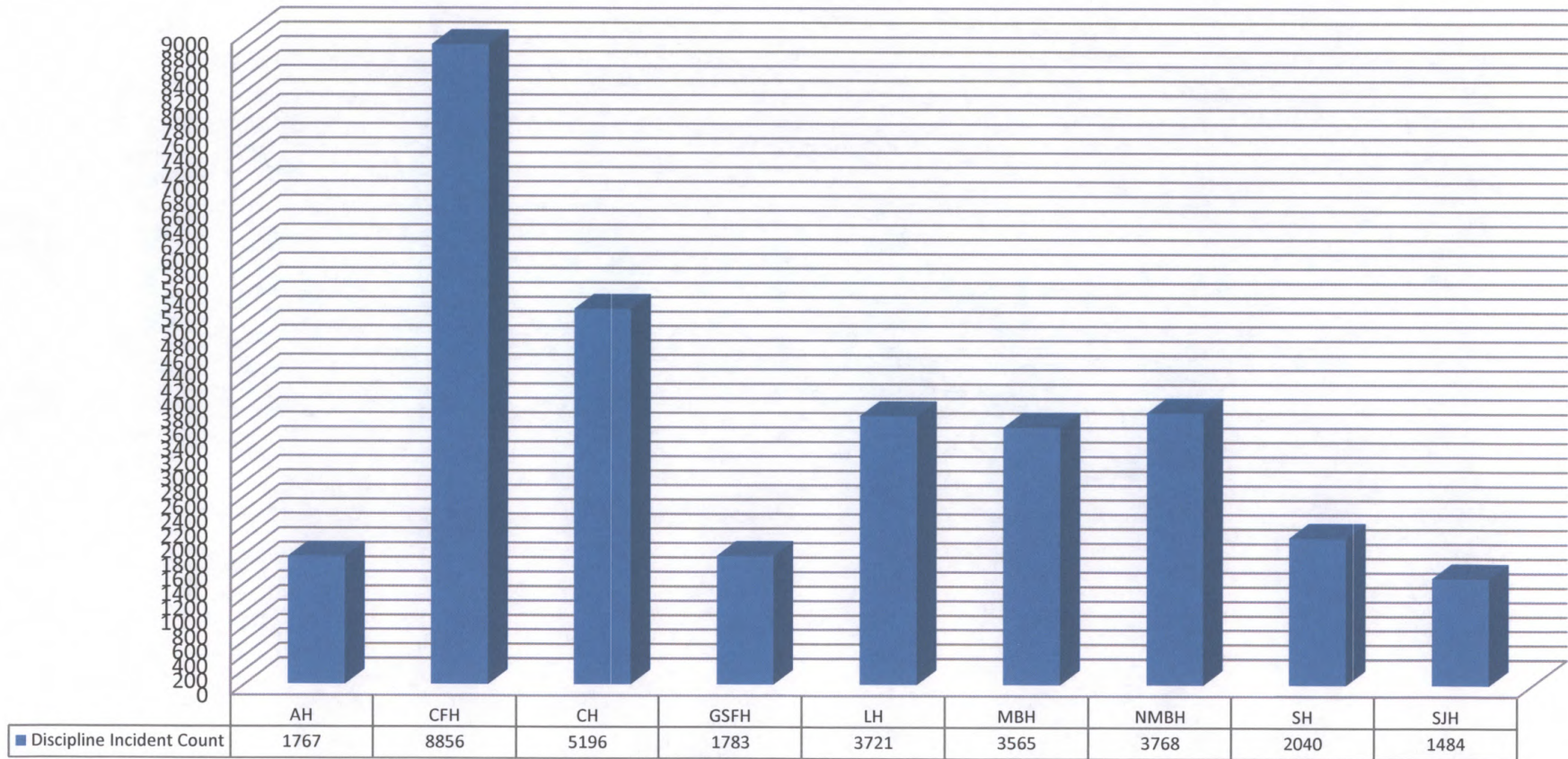
**2012-2013
Elementary School
Discipline Incident Count
Total - 14,315**



**2012-2013
Middle School
Discipline Incident Count
Total - 14,279**



**2012-2013
High School
Discipline Incident Count
Total - 32,180**



**2012-2013
Program School
Discipline Incident Count
Total - 4,036**

