



## Berkeley Public Library

### REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF LIBRARY MATERIALS

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Berkeley Public Library endorses the principles in the Library Bill of Rights and the Freedom to Read statement of the American Library Association. Berkeley Public Library's varied collection is available to all. The Library selects resources based upon the principle of open access to materials for all and is committed to providing a collection with a wide range of points of view. Materials are not excluded due to frank or controversial content.

A questioned item will be considered in its entirety, not judged solely on portions taken out of context. Patrons may only make one formal request for reconsideration at one time, and only requests for reconsideration from people residing in the City of Berkeley will be considered. Only one request for reconsideration for a particular title per year will be reviewed by Library staff.

#### Resource of concern

Check one:  Book  Magazine/Newspaper  DVD  
 CD  Electronic information including website  
 Other (describe)

Author/Artist: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Publisher or Distributor: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your concerns about the material \_\_\_\_\_

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Are there specific pages/sections that illustrate your concerns? \_\_\_\_\_

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Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephones: Day \_\_\_\_\_ Evening \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Representing:  Self  Organization (Name) \_\_\_\_\_

Other (Identify) \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of person submitting the Reconsideration Form:**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return form to Library staff.**