

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Alexandria Division**

E.K. and S.K., minors, by and through their
parent and next friend Lindsey Keeley, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
EDUCATION ACTIVITY, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER

This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiffs E.K. and S.K., *et al.*'s, Motion for Preliminary Injunction. Dkt. 9. In this suit, twelve students of military families (collectively, "Plaintiffs") at five Department of Defense Education Activity ("DoDEA") schools bring First Amendment claims against Defendants DoDEA, Director of DoDEA Dr. Beth Schiavano-Narvaez, and Secretary of Defense Peter Brian Hegseth (collectively, "Defendants"). Dkt. 1 ("Compl.") ¶¶ 4, 10-15, 17-18. For the reasons set forth in an accompanying memorandum opinion, it is hereby

ORDERED that Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Dkt. 9) is **GRANTED in part and DENIED in part**; it is further

ORDERED that the injunction applies to Plaintiffs' five DoDEA schools: Crossroads Elementary School, Barsanti Elementary School, Aviano Middle-High School, Stollars Elementary School, and Egdren Middle High School; it is further

ORDERED that Defendants DoDEA, Dr. Beth Schiavano-Narvaez, and Secretary of Defense Peter Brian Hegseth, along with their agents, are enjoined from further removals of

educational books and curricular content in implementation of Executive Order Nos. 14168, 14185, and 14190 and any related memoranda, directives, and guidance at Plaintiffs' DoDEA schools; and it is further

ORDERED that Defendants and their agents immediately restore the library books and curricular materials that have been removed since January 19, 2025 in implementation of the EOs to their preexisting shelves, classrooms, and units at Plaintiffs' five schools.

Entered this 24 day of October, 2025.
Alexandria, Virginia



Patricia Tolliver Giles
United States District Judge