Public Input Template–2020 Ethnic Studies Model Curriculum May 2019 Draft

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Chapter of Model Curriculum	Your Name and Affiliation	Comment (include page and line numbers where applicable)
General	David Haimovitz	The curriculum is missing any mention of anti-Semitism
Glossary		Definition of BDS – this is a one-sided propaganda solely from a Palestinian point of view.
Page 242		Uses biased language about the founding of Israel.
Pages 268- 268		Uses anti-Semitic view of Jewish control of the media and accuse Israel of colonizing land. This ignores that Jews have inhabited the land for years.

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