

# Preble County District Library

## Request for Reconsideration of Materials

Format (Book, Video, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_.

Author (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_.

Title \_\_\_\_\_.

Publisher \_\_\_\_\_.

Your name \_\_\_\_\_.

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_.

Group you represent (if any) \_\_\_\_\_.

Did you examine the entire work? \_\_\_\_\_. If not, what parts?

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What do you believe is the purpose of this material?

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Specifically, to what in the material do you object?

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What harmful effect do you feel might be/was the effect of your using this material?

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Is there anything good or useful about this material? What? \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_.

What prompted you to use this item? \_\_\_\_\_.

For what age group would you recommend this item? \_\_\_\_\_.

What would you recommend to replace this item \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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