

**5.20F3 -- CHECKLIST FOR BUILDING MATERIALS EVALUATION COMMITTEE'S
RECONSIDERATION OF INSTRUCTION MATERIAL – NONFICTION**

Title: _____

Author: _____

A. Purpose:

1. What is the overall purpose of the material? _____

2. Is the purpose accomplished? Yes No

B. Authenticity:

1. Is the author competent and qualified in the field? Yes No
2. What is the reputation and significance of the author and publisher/producer in the field? _____

3. Is the material up-to-date? Yes No
4. Are information sources well documented? Yes No
5. Are translations and retellings faithful to the original? Yes No

C. Appropriateness:

1. Does the material promote the educational goals and objectives of the curriculum of district schools? Yes No
2. Is it appropriate to the level of instruction intended? Yes No
3. Are the illustrations appropriate to the subject and age levels? Yes No

D. Content:

1. Is the content of this material well presented by providing adequate scope, range, depth, and continuity? Yes No
2. Does this material present information not otherwise available? Yes No
3. Does this material give a new dimension or direction to its subject? Yes No

E. Reviews:

1. Source of review: _____
Favorably reviewed _____ Unfavorably reviewed _____

