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Is this complaint related to LA R.S. 25:225 (Access of Materials to Minors)?

Yes No

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Form 12-190

1. Resource on which you are commenting:

Book X Audiovisual Magazine/Newspaper Other:
Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title My Brilliant Friend

3. Author/Producer Lagani, Chiara

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR Laga

5. What brought this resource to your attention?

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3. Author/Producer Brubaker, Ed

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 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR Brub

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3. Author/Producer Chute, Hillary L.

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5. What brought this resource to your attention?

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6. Did you review/read the entire item? If not, what sections did you review/read?

I did not review this book in its entirety. I looked through the book and noticed some images that may be inappropriate for children. Originally, this book was shelved in the Adult Graphic Novel section, which ensures that only adults and children with an unrestricted library card can access it. Therefore, I recommend that this book be returned to its original location in the Adult Graphic Novel section.

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2. Title Parable of the Sower: A Graphic Novel Adaptation

3. Author/Producer Duffy, Damian

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2. Title ____ Poor Helpless Comics!: The Cartoons (and More) of Ed Subitzky ____

3. Author/Producer ____ Subitzky, Ed _____

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2. Title Pretending Is Lying

3. Author/Producer Goblet, Dominique

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

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Book X Audiovisual Magazine/Newspaper Other:
Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title Sand Castle

3. Author/Producer Peeters, Frederik

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR Peet

5. What brought this resource to your attention?

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Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title Take It as A Compliment

3. Author/Producer Stoian, Maria

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR 362.883 Sto

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Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title The Color of Earth: Vol. 1

3. Author/Producer Kim, Tong-hwa

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

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Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title The Color of Heaven: Vol. 3

3. Author/Producer Kim, Tong-hwa

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR Kim 3

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Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title The Color of Water: Vol. 2

3. Author/Producer Kim, Tong-hwa

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR Kim 2

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Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title The Good Asian: Volume One

3. Author/Producer Pichetshote, Pornsak

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR 741.5973 Pic 1

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2. Title The Good Neighbors: Book Two, Kith

3. Author/Producer Black, Holly _____

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Form 12-190

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Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title The Great and Secret Show: Volume 2

3. Author/Producer Ryall, Chris

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

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2. Title The Me You Love in the Dark

3. Author/Producer Young, Skottie

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2. Title The Metabarons

3. Author/Producer Jodorowsky, Alejandro

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2. Title The Sandman: [Vol. 11], Endless Nights

3. Author/Producer Gaiman, Neil

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2. Title ___ The Walking Dead: Volume 11, Fear the Hunters ___

3. Author/Producer ___ Kirkman, Robert _____

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Form 12-190

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Book X Audiovisual ___ Magazine/Newspaper ___ Other:
Library Program ___ Display ___ Electronic Resource ___ _____

2. Title ___ The Walking Dead: Volume 13, Too Far Gone ___

3. Author/Producer ___ Kirkman, Robert _____

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

___ I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR 741.5973 Kir 13 _____

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2. Title The Wicked + the Divine: Vol. 3, Commercial Suicide

3. Author/Producer Gillen, Kieron

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

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Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title The World of Edena

3. Author/Producer Moebius

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

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2. Title ____ This Country: Searching for Home in (very) Rural America ____

3. Author/Producer ____ Mahdavian, Navied _____

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2. Title Three Rocks: The Story of Ernie Bushmiller, the Man Who Created Nancy

3. Author/Producer Griffith, Bill

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Form 12-190

1. Resource on which you are commenting:

Book X Audiovisual Magazine/Newspaper Other:
Library Program Display Electronic Resource _____

2. Title Top 10

3. Author/Producer Moore, Alan

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR 741.5941 Moo

5. What brought this resource to your attention?

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2. Title Underground: The Illustrated Bible of Cursed Rockers and High Priestesses of Sound

3. Author/Producer Le Gouëfflec, Arnaud

4. At which branch library or in which electronic resource did you encounter this material or resource?

 I searched the online catalog. Call Number: GNR 781.6609 Le G

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