

EASTON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: LOCAL BOARD PROCEDURES

TITLE: FUNCTIONS

ADOPTED: August 23, 2004

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<p>SC 301, 407, 510, 511 Pol. 000</p> <p>Pol. 006</p> <p>Pol. 007</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">003. FUNCTIONS</p> <p>Section 1. <u>Legislative</u></p> <p>The Board shall exercise its rule-making power by adopting Board procedures and policies for the organization and operation of the school district. Those procedures and policies which are not dictated by the statutes, or regulations of the State Board, or ordered by a court of competent authority may be adopted, amended or repealed at any meeting of the Board, provided the proposed adoption, amendment or repeal has been proposed at a previous Board meeting and has remained on the agenda of each succeeding Board meeting until approved or rejected.</p> <p>Changes in a proposed Board procedure or policy, except for minor editorial revisions, at the second reading shall cause that reading to constitute a first reading.</p> <p>The operation of any section(s) of Board policies or procedures established by law or contract may be temporarily suspended by a two-thirds vote of Board members present at a regular or special meeting.</p> <p>Board procedures shall be adopted, amended or repealed by a two-thirds vote of the Board.</p> <p>Board policies shall be adopted, amended or repealed by a two-thirds vote of the Board.</p> <p>The adoption, modification, repeal or suspension of a Board procedure or policy shall be recorded in the minutes of the Board meeting. All current procedures and policies shall be maintained in the Board Policy Manual and disseminated appropriately.</p>
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<p>SC 510, 1126 et seq</p> <p>2 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 551 et seq</p> <p>School Code 301, 407, 508, 510, 511, 1001, 1126 et seq</p> <p>PA Statute 2 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 551 et seq</p> <p>PA Statute 65 P.S. 1101 et seq</p> <p>Board Policy 000, 006, 007</p>	<p>Whenever responsibility is delegated to the Superintendent or other administrator, it is understood that such individual may designate a representative to act on his/her behalf.</p> <p>Section 3. <u>Review</u></p> <p>The Board may assume jurisdiction over controversies or disputes arising within this school district concerning any matter over which the Board has authority granted by statute or where the Board has retained jurisdiction in contract or policies.</p> <p>In furtherance of its adjudicatory function, the Board may hold hearings in accordance with law which shall offer the parties to a dispute, on notice duly given, a fair and impartial forum for the resolution of the matter.</p> <p>Beyond the basic requirements of due process, a hearing may vary in form and content in line with the severity of the consequences that may flow from it, the difficulty of establishing findings of fact from conflicting evidence, and the impact of the Board's decision on the school district.</p> <p>Section 4. <u>Board-Staff Communications</u></p> <p>Communications to the staff from the Board concerning policies and directives of staff interest and concern will be communicated through the Superintendent.</p>
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