

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: LOCAL BOARD PROCEDURES

TITLE: FUNCTIONS

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	<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 procedures and policies for the organization and operation of the school district. Those procedures and policies which are not dictated by the statutes, or rules of the State Board, or ordered by a court of competent authority, may be adopted, amended or repealed at any meeting of the Board, provided the proposed adoption, amendment or repeal shall have been proposed at a previous Board meeting and, once proposed, shall have remained on the agenda of each succeeding Board meeting until approved or rejected except that these procedures and policies may be adopted or amended at a single meeting of the Board in an emergency. An emergency shall be defined for purposes of this rule as any situation or set of circumstances which the Board has reason to believe will close the schools or jeopardize the safety or welfare of the pupils or employes of the district.</p> <p>Any resolution adopted under emergency conditions shall expire automatically at the first public meeting of the Board following the abatement of the emergency unless the Board moves to adopt said resolution in final form.</p> <p>Procedures of the Board shall be adopted, amended, or repealed by a two-thirds vote of the full Board. Policies shall be adopted, amended or repealed by a majority vote of the full Board. Present policy requires a two third (2/3) vote of the full Board.</p> <p>The adoption, modification, repeal or suspension of a Board procedure or policy shall be recorded in the minutes of the Board. All current procedures and policies shall be printed in the Board policy manual.</p> <p>Section 2. <u>Executive</u></p> <p>The Board shall exercise its executive power by the appointment of a district Superintendent who shall enforce the statutes of the Commonwealth, the rules of the State Board of Education and the policies of the Board of School Directors and all other applicable laws and regulations.</p>
<p>SC 301, 407, 510, 511</p>	
<p>SC 422, 508</p>	
<p>SC 508, 1001</p>	

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<p>SC 510</p> <p>SC 510, 1126 et seq.</p> <p>2 Pa.C.S. Sec. 551 et seq.</p>	<p>The Superintendent may prepare guidelines or regulations for the administration of the school district which are not inconsistent with state and federal statutes or regulations; are dictated by the policies of this Board; and which shall be binding upon district employees and students when issued, but shall be provided to the Board at the next meeting thereof. The Board reserves the right to alter or rescind any such guideline or regulation.</p> <p>Section 3. <u>Review</u></p> <p>The Board of School Directors may assume jurisdiction over controversies or disputes arising within this school district and 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>
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