

## **POLICY IMPLEMENTATION**

In cases where emergency action must be taken within the school system, and where the Board has provided no guidelines for administrative action in the form of established policy, the Superintendent has the power and duty to take action.

In the absence of Board policy specifically covering an action that the Superintendent feels must be taken to meet his or her responsibilities, the Superintendent may take appropriate action consonant with overall Board policy. However, the Superintendent is not free to act when the action involves a board duty which by law cannot be delegated.

In those cases in which the Superintendent takes such action, the matter must be presented to the Board for consideration. It is the duty of the Superintendent to inform the Board promptly of such action and of the need for policy. The Superintendent's actions and decisions may be subject to review by action of the Board at its next regular or special meeting.

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