



## BRACKETT ISD POLICY REVIEW SEMINAR

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Thank you for a wonderful visit to Brackett ISD. I enjoyed very much working with all of you. This is the summary of the recommendations made during the staff policy workshop. Please review the annotated "rough drafts" (pre-proofer) enclosed and, as soon as the Board takes action, check the appropriate blank in the DISTRICT'S RESPONSE column, **attach any relevant material**, and return this document to us so we can make the appropriate changes to your policy files. **The Board will adopt the manual in its entirety when you receive the final product.** As always, please call if you have any questions. Thank you again -- Rachel (8/29/06)

CODE	RECOMMENDATION	ACTION	DISTRICT'S RESPONSE
AB(LOCAL)	This policy on DISTRICT NAME is an optional policy and can be deleted. Optional policies are local policies that are not needed for compliance reasons. They do not address major governance issues and may be handled in administrative regulations.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
BBB(LOCAL)	We have updated the schedule of elections.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
BE(LOCAL)	MEETING PLACE and AGENDA DEADLINE have been revised in accordance with the District's response to the questionnaire.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
BF(LOCAL)	At ADOPTION AND AMENDMENT, we have given the District alternate TASB policy language for districts that allow for a one-reading process.	REVISED POLICY,	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
BJA(LOCAL)	This a new TASB policy version for SUPERINTENDENT: QUALIFICATIONS AND DUTIES that is not as activity specific as your current policy and was developed to complement the "systems approach" of evaluation instruments used by many districts.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
BQA(LOCAL)	COMPOSITION and PROFESSIONAL STAFF have been revised.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO



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BQB(LOCAL)	Item 3 at COMMUNICATIONS has been deleted. The specific number at COMPOSITION has been deleted. We have given the District TASB recommended policy language at PARENTS, COMMUNITY MEMBERS, and BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVES.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
CFB(LOCAL)	We have deleted "and infrastructure assets, if applicable," thus making this policy on FIXED ASSETS a TASB policy version.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
CH(LOCAL)	At PURCHASING AUTHORITY, we have changed \$10,000 to \$25,000.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
CKE(LEGAL)	Since the District does not have commissioned peace officers, this legal policy can be deleted.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
CLA(LOCAL)	This optional policy on SECURITY is more administrative regulation rather than Board policy and can be deleted.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
CNA(LOCAL)	We have added this policy since the District allows a parent to designate another location other than the child's residence as the regular location for transportation to and from school.	ADD	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
CNB(LOCAL)	We have deleted USE BY NONSCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS and have added NONSCHOOL USE that prohibits nonschool use of school buses.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
CV(LOCAL)	At the second paragraph of CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS, we have changed \$10,000 to \$25,000.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DCB(LOCAL)	At CERTIFICATION REQUIRED BY SBEC, we have deleted diagnosticians.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO



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DCD(LOCAL)	We have revised the list of employees hired on an at-will basis.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DEB(LEGAL)	Since the District does not have commissioned peace officers, this legal policy can be deleted.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DEC(LOCAL)	DURATION OF LEAVE has been deleted. At MEDICAL CERTIFICATION, "three" has been changed to "five."	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DFBB(LEGAL)	This legal policy on NONRENEWAL is for districts in which the Board conducts the nonrenewal hearings.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DFBB(LOCAL)	This local policy on NONRENEWAL is for districts in which the Board conducts the nonrenewal hearings.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DFBB(EXHIBIT)	This exhibit on NONRENEWAL is for districts in which the Board conducts the nonrenewal hearings.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DMD(LOCAL)	This recommended TASB policy on PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS AND VISITATIONS has been added.	ADD	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DNA(LOCAL)	SCHEDULE LIMITATIONS has been deleted.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DP(LOCAL)	We have deleted item 6, three years' experience as a classroom teacher; the law only requires two years.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
DPB(LOCAL)	At QUALIFICATIONS, we have added "or GED."	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO



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EEJA(LOCAL)	We have given the District TASB policy language at the section CREDIT BY EXAMINATION. Please note that the new language includes credit by examination for any subject in elementary grades, as well as high school courses. Also, we have deleted the last sentence at ELIGIBILITY and the last sentence of the policy. Other changes are merely editorial.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EEJB(LOCAL)	We have given the District the latest TASB policy language at TEST SELECTION and FEES. (The changes are merely editorial.)	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EFAA(LOCAL)	We have given the District an alternate TASB policy version for districts in which the Superintendent, not the Board, appoints the textbook selection committee.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EFB(LOCAL)	This is an optional policy on LIBRARY MEDIA PROGRAMS that can be deleted.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EHAC(LOCAL)	This locally developed policy on REQUIRED INSTRUCTION can be deleted.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EHAD(LOCAL)	The first paragraph and the section PASS/FAIL COURSES have been deleted.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EHBA(LOCAL)	This optional TASB policy on SPECIAL EDUCATION can be deleted.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EHBB(LOCAL)	REASSESSMENTS has been revised. We have given the District TASB recommended policy language at FURLOUGH, EXIT PROVISIONS, and COMMUNITY AWARENESS, as requested.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EHBD(LOCAL)	Since the District does not have more than one campus at any level, this policy can be deleted.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO



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EI(LOCAL)	PARTIAL CREDIT has been added.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EIAB(LOCAL)	This is a TASB policy version to replace your locally developed policy. (Note that your locally developed language in your current policy is found at the second and third paragraphs at MAKE-UP WORK.)	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EIC(LOCAL)	Enclosed is the District's current policy and a draft developed from information in the student handbook and input from the administrators during the policy review session. Please review this policy carefully to make sure it matches District practice.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
EIE(LOCAL)	GRADES 1–6, GRADES 7–8, GRADES 9–12, and ASSIGNMENT OF RETAINED STUDENTS have been revised.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FDA(LEGAL)	This legal policy is for districts with one campus per grade level.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FDB(LEGAL)	This legal policy is for districts with one campus per grade level.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FDB(LOCAL)	We have given the District alternate TASB policy language for districts with only one campus at any level.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FEB(LOCAL)	PARENTAL CONSENT TO LEAVE CAMPUS has been revised to include documented phone calls.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FEC(LOCAL)	The first paragraph at PERSONAL ILLNESS has been revised. At IMPOSING CONDITIONS FOR AWARDING CREDIT, we have added summer school at item 5.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FED(LEGAL)	This TASB legal policy version is for districts that do not have commissioned peace officers.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO



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FEF(LOCAL)	We have deleted this optional TASB policy version as requested.	DELETE	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FFAC(LOCAL)	Item 4 at PROVIDED BY THE DISTRICT has been revised.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FM(LOCAL)	NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT OR SUNDAY ACTIVITIES has been deleted, and HONORS OR ADVANCED CLASSES has been added.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FMF(LOCAL)	We have given the District alternate TASB policy at OVERNIGHT TRIPS that states that the District will pay expenses for UIL competition that requires an overnight trip.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FMG(LOCAL)	SCHOOL-SPONSORED TRIPS IN GENERAL has been revised, and RATE FOR STUDENT MEALS has been deleted.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FNF(LOCAL)	We have added TASB policy language at USE OF TRAINED DOGS since the District uses drug dogs.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
FO(LOCAL)	We have added PARENT REQUEST at CORPORAL PUNISHMENT.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO
GKDA(LOCAL)	TIME, PLACE, AND MANNER RESTRICTIONS has been revised.	REVISED POLICY	<input type="checkbox"/> YES or <input type="checkbox"/> NO