



HB4007 OREGON INTER-DISTRICT TRANSFER PROCESS
Admission of Non-Resident Students**POLICY ISSUE/SITUATION:**

House Bill 4007 was enacted by the February 2014 Legislature and provides new rules for school choice for Oregon students. HB4007 allows local School Boards to decide annually, by specified date, the number of student transfers into the district, and out of district, to which consent will be given for the upcoming school year.

HB4007 will be applied to the 2014-15 school year.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Based upon current transfer numbers, we propose to cap the release of students to other districts at 115.
- Based upon current transfer numbers, we propose to approve 110 non-resident students into BSD.
- The window for receiving applications will be in May and June; specific dates to be determined.
- Current non-resident students will receive preference if there is a lottery.
- Students accepted for inter-district transfer must abide by stated behavior and attendance expectations for the transfer to remain valid. These include: (1) Attendance must remain at 92% or greater; (2) No more than one suspension per academic year; (3) No suspension of greater than 5 days.
- Transfers will be in effect through senior year.
- OSBA policy and AR drafts are currently being reviewed by legal counsel.
- ODE is working on Q&A guidance.

RECOMMENDATION:

(14-389) It is recommended that the Beaverton School District School Board approve the Inter-District transfer process for the 2014-2015 school year.