4G. Preview Date: March 14, 2005

SUBJECT: TASB UPDATE 74 – BOARD POLICY

BOARD GOAL: Academic Excellence

Safe Schools

Community Involvement

Personnel

Budget and Finance

FISCAL NOTE: None

ANTICIPATED

DATE FOR ACTION: March 28, 2005

Background Information:

- · Localized Update 74 from TASB is one of several the District receives annually;
- Purpose of Update is to bring policy in line with state law and recent court rulings;
- · Legal policies are based on law and are required;
- Local policies allow the District to adapt portions of the policy for local needs;
- All Board members, administrators and legal counsel received a copy of proposed policy for review at a previous date.

Administrative Considerations:

- Only the attached policies from Update 74 are in need of approval.
- The local policies are the only policies that require Board approval.
- Policy DBD local has been changed to reflect a clearer description of employee expectations regarding conflict of interest.
- Also attached is an exhibit for DBD local that employees will be asked to sign.
- The local policies were presented to the Board Policy Committee for review at its last meeting except for the changes in DBD local which occurred after that meeting.
- Explanatory notes are also included for your information.

Respectfully submitted,

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