

NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

MEMORANDUM

TO: Robyn Burke, President

Members of the School Board

THROUGH: David Vadiveloo, Chief School Administrator $\frac{DV}{DV}$

FROM: Chelsie Overby, Board Secretary

DATE: April 1, 2023

SUBJECT: Board Policy Update: Second Reading Memo No: SB23-159

BP 5125, 5125.1, 5125.2, 6146.5, 6164.3 (Action Item)

NSBSD Policy Manual:

Board Bylaw 9311, Board Policies:...Prior to adoption, policies shall normally be given two readings by the Board. At its second reading, the policy may be adopted by a majority vote of all members of the Board.

Issue Summary:

This is the second reading for these policies. The revisions, recommended by the Association of Alaska School Boards, administration, and Policy Review Committee, were accepted at the March 2023 regular meeting as noted below.

Board Policy 5125, Student Records, incorporates the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act and adds and removes other legal references.

Board Policy 5125.1, Release of Directory Information, clarifies what may or may not be included in directory information and includes Alaska Statutes on deadlines for scholarship eligibility of graduating seniors and directory information to the Alaska Military Youth Academy.

Board Policy 5125.2, Challenging Student Records, incorporates the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act and further direction on the conduct of a hearing, should it be requested.

Board Policy 6146.5, Differential Requirements For Individuals with Exceptional Needs, incorporates legal references on the statewide assessment program for students with disabilities, college and career readiness assessments, and its retroactive issuance of a diploma.

Board Policy 6164.3, Student Mental Health – Medication and Services, is a new policy recommended by AASB that implements SB 48 (2006), a bill "relating to recommending or refusing psychotropic drugs or certain types of evaluations or treatments for children."

Proposed Motion:

"I move that the NSBSD Board of Education approve the second reading for adoption of: Board Policy 5125, Student Records; Board Policy 5125.1, Release of Directory Information; Board Policy 5125.2, Challenging Student Records; Board Policy 6146.5, Differential Requirements for Individuals with Exceptional Needs; and Board Policy 6164.3, Student Mental Health – Medication and Services, as described in this memo SB23-159 and attachments."

Motion by	Seconded by	
Advisory Vote	Vote	

Signature: David Vadiveloo

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