

Executive Summary

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TASB Policy Update 98

Purpose of Report

Update 98 represents the first of two post-legislative updates and encompasses changes in law from the 83rd Legislative Session. Local policies included in Update 98 address several topics such as board member authority, employee grievances and records, employee standards of conduct, reductions in force, teacher evaluations, school day interruptions, grading and student attendance. Update 98 includes 84 legal and 13 local policies.

Local policies included in Update 98:

- BBE(LOCAL): BOARD MEMBERS - AUTHORITY
- DBA(LOCAL): EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS - CREDENTIALS AND RECORDS
- DFFA(LOCAL): REDUCTION IN FORCE - FINANCIAL EXIGENCY
- DFFB(LOCAL): REDUCTION IN FORCE - PROGRAM CHANGE
- DGBA(LOCAL): PERSONNEL-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS - EMPLOYEE COMPLAINTS/GRIEVANCES
- DH(LOCAL): EMPLOYEE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT
- DNA(LOCAL): PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL - EVALUATION OF TEACHERS
- EC(LOCAL): SCHOOL DAY
- EIA(LOCAL): ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT - GRADING/PROGRESS REPORTS TO PARENTS
- EIC(LOCAL): ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT - CLASS RANKING
- FEA(LOCAL): ATTENDANCE - COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE
- FEC(LOCAL): ATTENDANCE - ATTENDANCE FOR CREDIT
- FFB(LOCAL): STUDENT WELFARE - CRISIS INTERVENTION

Operational Impact

These policies guide the District's operation and protect the rights of employees and students. Careful consideration should be given to each policy.

Results

Over the next several weeks, a first and second reading of the policies will be held. Policies will be adopted at the second reading.