

## **Bylaws of the Board**

### **TERMS OF OFFICE**

The Governing Board shall consist of five members whose terms shall be staggered so that as nearly as practicable, one half of the members shall be elected in each odd numbered year.

The term of office for members elected in regular elections shall be four years, commencing on the first Friday in December next succeeding their election. (Education Code 5017)

Board member terms expire four years after their initial election on the first Friday in December following the election of new members. (Education Code 5000)

A member whose term has expired shall continue to discharge the duties of the office until his/her successor has qualified by taking the oath of office. (Government Code 1302, 1360; Education Code 5017)

(c.f. 9220 - Elections)

(c.f. 9223 - Filling Vacancies)

(c.f. 9224 - Oath or Affirmation)

(c.f. 9250 - Remuneration. Reimbursement. Other Benefits)

### **Student Board Members**

The Board believes it is important to seek out and consider students' ideas, viewpoints and reactions to the educational program. In order to provide student input and involvement, the Board shall include one student Board member, in a non-voting capacity, selected in accordance with procedures approved by the Board.

The term of student Board member shall be one calendar year, commencing on July 1. Student Board member shall have the right to attend all Board meetings except closed sessions.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

5000-5033 Election of school district board members

35010 Control of district

35012 Board members; number, election and terms

35107 Eligibility

GOVERNMENT CODE

1302 Continuance in office until qualification of successor

1303 Exercising functions of office without having qualified

1360 Necessity of taking constitutional oath

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