

Delegation to the District Superintendent

The Board will instruct the District Superintendent through written policies that prescribe the organizational ends to be achieved and describe organizational circumstances to be avoided, allowing the District Superintendent to use any reasonable interpretation of these policies.

Accordingly:

1. The Board will develop policies instructing the District Superintendent to achieve specified results for specified recipients at a specified cost and/or priority. These policies will be developed systematically from the broadest, most general level to more defined levels, and will be called *Ends* policies.
2. The Board will develop policies that limit the latitude the District Superintendent may exercise in choosing the organizational means. These policies will be developed systematically from the broadest, most general level to more defined levels, and will be called *Executive Limitations* policies.
3. As long as the District Superintendent uses a reasonable interpretation of the Board's *Ends* and *Executive Limitations* policies, the District Superintendent is authorized to establish all further policies, make all decisions, take all actions, establish all practices and develop all activities.
4. The Board may change its *Ends* and *Executive Limitations* policies, thereby shifting the boundary between Board and District Superintendent domains. By doing so, the Board changes the latitude of choice given to the District Superintendent. As long as any particular delegation is in place, the Board will respect and support the District Superintendent's choices as if they are a reasonable interpretation of its policies.

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Legal References: -

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