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DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

The BOCES Board shall by a majority vote appoint a District Superintendent of Schools for a term not to exceed three years. This contract shall be reviewed in accordance with the provisions agreed upon by the parties and made part of the contract. The District Superintendent shall serve as the chief executive officer of the Board and as such shall carry out the policies established by the Board.

The District Superintendent is the executive officer for the Board of Education and the unitary leader of the BOCES. Consistent with the policies of the Board, the Laws of New York State, and the Commissioner's Regulations, the District Superintendent has executive authority over the BOCES and the sole responsibility for its effective functioning.

The District Superintendent attends all meetings of the Board and participates in all of its deliberations. The District Superintendent advises the Board in policy development and general planning and assumes initiative in presenting associated issues to the Board for consideration.

The District Superintendent provides data and information to the Board concerning progress and problems of the BOCES. The Board depends upon the District Superintendent for organizational leadership and professional counsel in its deliberations.

In emergency matters, the District Superintendent is authorized by the Board to act at his/her discretion subject to subsequent approval by the Board.

The District Superintendent shall be accountable at all times to the Board.

Ref: Education Law §§1950(4)(a)(1); 2204

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