

Policy

RELATIONS BETWEEN AREA, COUNTY, STATE, REGIONAL, AND NATIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND THE DISTRICT

As required by state law, the board maintains membership in the New Jersey School Boards Association and the Morris County School Boards Association. Membership in other recognized associations will be authorized and maintained by the schools for several reasons, including:

- A. The benefits to staff and board which come from participation in meetings, conferences, clinics, and conventions;
- B. Access to the communications media of these associations, such as newsletters, periodicals, and advisory services;
- C. Representation in actions affecting education in general and the school district in particular.

The board, in authorizing and maintaining such memberships, in no way abdicates its authority over and responsibility for the schools of the district as outlined in state law and board policy.

The board may budget funds for such memberships and for the costs of adequate participation by board members and staff in the activities of such associations to achieve the purposes listed above.

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Legal References: N.J.S.A. 18A:6-45, -46 New Jersey School Boards Association established.
N.J.S.A. 18A:11-3 Voluntary associations regulating conduct of student activities; membership; rules and regulations; appeals

Cross References: 9340 Membership in associations