

EDMONTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Trustee B. Bonko, Planning and Policy Committee  
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ORIGINATOR: Ken Dropko, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: Board Regulation GGB.BR – Evaluation of Superintendent of Schools

RESOURCE  
PERSON: Anne Sherwood

RECOMMENDATION

1. That board policy GGB.BP – Evaluation of Superintendent of Schools (Appendix I) be approved.
2. That board regulation GGB.BR – Evaluation of Superintendent of Schools (Appendix II) be rescinded.

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The board considered a recommendation from the Planning and Policy Committee with respect to board regulation GGB.BR – Evaluation of Superintendent of Schools on January 11, 2000 (Appendix III). The board referred the item back to the Planning and Policy Committee for further revision and formatting consistent with board policy statements.

Rationale for Recommendation:

The intent of the existing board regulation and of the proposed board policy is to provide guidelines to the trustee sub-committee responsible for overseeing the superintendent evaluation. The hiring and evaluation of a superintendent of schools is the role and responsibility of the elected board of trustees.

Board regulations no longer exist as a separate category from board policy. A board policy, GGB.BP (Appendix I) is recommended to replace existing board regulation GGB.BR (Appendix II).

The proposed policy is a statement of the board's expectations of the Superintendent Evaluation Sub-committee as well as the board's basic requirements for the process used for the evaluation. An introductory statement was added to give the context for the evaluation. Reference to gender and specific positions in the administration have been removed to avoid unnecessary revisions to the policy should those that hold those positions or responsibilities of the positions change. The conference committee evaluation report and board evaluation report will be filed as per normal procedure in the board records.

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- Appendix I: Proposed GGB.BP, Evaluation of Superintendent of Schools
- Appendix II: Current GGB.BR, Evaluation of Superintendent of Schools
- Appendix III: Referred January 11, 2000 Proposed GGB.BP – Evaluation of Superintendent of Schools