CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

The Board of Education hereby agrees to apply the same standards of conduct expressed in Policy No. 4560 concerning personnel to individual Board members. Board members will disclose any conflict of interest, as defined above, to the Clerk of the Board of Education as soon as the potential for the conflict of interest becomes reasonably apparent. The Clerk shall notify the other Board Members, in writing, as soon as possible thereafter. Board Members are not required to make disclosures pursuant to this Policy regarding campaign contributions or substantial interests already required to be disclosed by Kansas law. Violations of this policy by Board members can only be addressed by a finding by four or more Board members at an open public meeting that a violation has occurred. If the violation of this policy also constitutes a violation of the laws of the state of Kansas, the Board may also vote to refer the matter to proper legal authority for review and appropriate action.

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