

Board Bylaws

SUBJECT: Disclosure of Confidential /Privileged Information

All confidential/privileged information shall be released only as allowed by law.

Confidential/privileged information which is produced for, or which is revealed during closed sessions of the Governing Board, shall not be divulged or released unless a majority of Board members agree to release the information, subject to applicable laws regarding closed sessions. (Education Code 35146, Government Code 3549.1, 54956.8, 54956.9, 54957 et seq., 6250 et seq.)

This policy is not intended to cause the withholding of information about the purpose and subject(s) of the closed session as required for public information under Government Code 54957.7

Information which is to be released from closed sessions shall be released only by the president.

Any Board member who willfully and for monetary gain uses or discloses confidential/privileged information as defined in Government Code 1098 is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Any Board member who releases confidential/privileged information contrary to the provisions of this policy may be publicly censured by a majority vote of the members of the Board.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

35010

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GOVERNMENT CODE

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