

**CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

1. No member of the Regional School District 17 Board of Education shall be employed by the Board in any position within the school system.
2. If any member of the Board is employed contrary to the provisions of this by-law, the office to which he or she was elected or appointed shall become vacant.
3. No member of the Board shall have any direct financial interest in a contract with District 17, nor shall he or she furnish directly any labor, equipment or supplies to the District. It is not the intent of this by-law to prevent the District from contracting with corporations or businesses because a Board member is an employee of said firm. However, in such instances, the member shall disclose his or her association with the firm and refrain from debating or voting on the question.
4. If a member of the immediate family of a Board member is employed by the District, or is being considered for employment with the District, that member shall disclose the relationship to said employee and disqualify himself or herself from participation in discussions or votes on matters pertaining to said employee.

Legal Reference:

Connecticut General Statutes

10-232 Restrictions on employment of members of  
the Board of Education

10-156e Employees of Board of Education permitted to serve as elected  
officials; exception

Approved by the Board, November 10, 2020