Descriptor Term: BONDED EMPLOYEES

Descriptor Code: DH

Rescinds:

Board Approved:

Previously Approved: 1/4/1988

Before entering upon the discharge of the duties of his office, each **member of the Board of Trustees** will give a surety bond in the penal sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), with sufficient surety, to be payable, conditioned and approved in the manner provided by law.

The **Superintendent** of the District, before entering upon the duties of his/her office, will furnish a good and sufficient surety bond in the penal sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00), with sufficient surety. Such bond will be filed and recorded in the office of the clerk of the chancery court of Harrison County, and will be payable, conditioned and approved in the manner provided by law. The premium on said bond will be paid out of the District general maintenance fund.

Legal Reference: '37-9-27

The Board of Trustees requires all **principals** to furnish good and sufficient surety bonds in like manner as required of superintendents. The amount of such bonds will be Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), with sufficient surety. The premium upon said bond will be paid from the general maintenance funds of the District. Such bond will be payable, conditioned and approved in the manner provided by law. All such bonds will be filed and recorded in the office of the clerk of the chancery court of Harrison County.

Legal Reference: '37-9-31

The **purchasing agent(s)** of the Board, before entering upon his/her official duties in such capacity, will furnish a good and sufficient surety bond in the penal sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), with sufficient surety. Such bonds will be payable, conditioned and approved in the manner provided by law, and will be filed and recorded in the office of the clerk of the chancery court in Harrison County. The premium on said bond will be paid out of the District general maintenance funds.

Legal Reference: '37-39-21

The Board may, in its discretion, employ one or more persons as **security personnel** and may designate such persons as peace officers in or on any property operated for school purposes by the Board upon taking such oath and making such bond as required of a constable of Harrison County. Legal Reference: '37-7-321; '419-19-3

The Board may execute a blanket position surety bond for each Gulfport School District official and employee (who receipts and/or disburses school district funds) in the penalty sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00), unless a different penalty is prescribed by law. The premium on

said bond will be paid out of the District general maintenance fund. Legal Reference: '37-6-15