SALEM SCHOOL DISTRICT Salem, Connecticut

BUSINESS AND NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

SAFETY

The Board of Education shall guard against accidents by taking necessary precautions to protect the safety of students, employees, visitors and others present on District property or at school-sponsored events.

The Board shall comply with all safety requirements established by governmental authorities and insist that its staff adhere to recommended safety practices pertaining to the school plant, special areas of instruction, student transportation, school sports, etc.

The Director of Facilities shall be responsible for originating and enforcing safety regulations and procedures in the school building and on school grounds. It shall be the responsibility of the Director of Facilities to see that all staff members are kept informed of current state laws and regulations regarding health and safety as well as the recommendation of local fire and civil defense officials.

Building Principals shall be responsible for the supervision of a safety program and shall direct personnel to cooperate with state, local and insurance officials in the completion of fire safety inspections.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes: 10-203 Sanitation. 10-207 Duties of medical advisors. 10-231 Fire drills. 29-389 Stairways and fire escapes on certain buildings.

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