

**SCHOOL BOARD LEGAL STATUS**

The Board of Education is a seven member board elected by the residents of the district. Each member of the Board shall serve for five years. The terms of office of Board members shall not all expire in the same year. The Board of Education is responsible for goal-setting and policy-making.

The legal status of the Board is that of a corporate body established pursuant to the laws of the State of New York.

Ref: Education Law §§1701-1703; 1804(1); 2101(2); 2105; 2552; 2552; 2590-b

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