Section 4000 – Business Management

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Safety Inspections

If, upon proper investigation, defects are found to exist, the individual conducting

the investigation shall immediately inform the building Principal, Superintendent or

immediate supervisor in writing. Necessary steps either to repair or to remove the defect

shall be taken as soon as possible. Defects, which will require expenditure of money,

shall be reported to the Board in compliance with rules regulating such circumstances.

Any defects not immediately removed, repaired, or otherwise eliminated shall be blocked

off with fences or other restraining devices.

Heating and Lighting

All furnaces, boilers, and lighting fixtures shall be periodically inspected to

ensure maximum safety for students, District employees, and patrons. All such devices

shall meet minimum standards as regulated by state and federal agencies governing such

items.

Weather Hazards

Insofar as possible, walkways should be kept clean of snow and ice and be

maintained in a safe condition for pedestrian traffic.

Safety Glasses

Student and employee's eyes shall be protected whenever appropriate in shop

classes and science classes with the use of safety glasses. Glasses for visitors shall be

available at the building office.

Accident Reports

All accidents on District grounds shall be reported to the Superintendent by any

District employee.

Records of Emergency Drills

Building Principals shall maintain a record of the time and date of each

emergency drill held. These records are subject to review by the Superintendent or State

or local officials responsible for reviewing compliance with laws.

Rules Accepted:

June 29, 2009

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