

Series 200 – School/Board of Directors

Policy Title: **Administration in Absence of Policy**
209.5

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When there is no Board policy in existence to provide guidance on a matter before the administration, the superintendent is authorized to act appropriately under the circumstances surrounding the situation, keeping in mind the educational philosophy and financial condition of the school district.

It is the responsibility of the superintendent to inform the board of the situation and the action taken and to document the action taken. The superintendent shall draft a policy recommendation if deemed appropriate.

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