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Policy Title: **Review and Revision of Policy**

Policy Code No. 209.6

The policies of the Board may be rescinded, changed, or amended by resolution adopted at any regular meeting, provided such change shall have been approved at a previous meeting. The Board will continuously review all policies of the Board. The purpose of such review will be to provide a common background of information as to current policies, to provide opportunity for revision, and to encourage effective implementation of the policies. Continuous policy review will also focus attention on the area of primary Board responsibility, that of formulating and implementing policy. The result of such review will be to strengthen the operation of the Board and to improve the educational program of the school.

The Board shall, at least every five years, review the policy statements in the Board policy manual. Once the policy has been reviewed, even if no changes were made, a notation of the date of review shall be made in the policy manual.

It is the responsibility of the superintendent to keep the board informed as to legal changes at both the federal and state levels. The superintendent will also be responsible for bringing proposed policy statement revisions to the board's attention.

If a policy is revised because of a legal change over which the board has no control or a change which is minor, the policy may be approved at one meeting at the discretion of the board.

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Legal Ref.: Iowa Code §§ 21, 279.8 (1991)
281 Iowa Admin. Code 12.3 (2)

Cross Ref.: Board Policy
201.4 General Powers and Duties
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