BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Organization

The corporate name of this school district is Kennewick School District No. 17, Benton County, State of Washington. The district is classified as a first-class district and is operated in accordance with the laws and regulations pertaining to that class of district.

In order to achieve its primary goal of providing each child with the necessary skills and attitudes, commensurate with his/her ability, to become effective citizens, the board shall exercise the full authority granted to it by the laws of the state. Its legal powers, duties and responsibilities are derived from state statute and regulation. Sources such as the school code (RCW 28A), attorney general's opinions and regulations of the State Board of Education (WAC 180) and the State Superintendent of Public Instruction (WAC 392) delineate the legal powers, duties and responsibilities of the Board of Directors.

Legal Reference:

- RCW 28A.315.220 Organization of School Districts
- RCW 28A.315.230 Classes of Districts
- RCW 28A.320.010 Corporate Powers
- RCW 28A.320.020 Liability for Debts and Judgments
- RCW 28A.320.040 Directors--Bylaws
- RCW 28A.330.100 Additional Powers of Board

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