

LEGAL PROTECTION

Liability Insurance

The Governing Board shall provide insurance necessary to protect Board members and employees from any judgment resulting from suits brought against them alleging their liability while acting within the scope of their employment and/or under the direction of the Board. The insurance shall cover claims in such matters as civil rights actions, negligence or other acts resulting in accidental injury to any person or damage to property.

(cf. 3530 - Risk Management/Insurance)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

17029.5 Contract funding; board liability

17280-17316 Field Act, approvals

17365-17374 Field Act, fitness for occupancy

35208 Liability insurance

35214 Liability insurance (self-insurance or a combination of self-insurance and insurance through an insurance company)

GOVERNMENT CODE

815.3 Intentional torts

820.9 Immunity from liability

825 Defense by public entity

825.6 Indemnification of public entity

1090-1098 Conflicts of interest, prohibitions applicable to specified officers

54950-54957.9 The Ralph M. Brown Act

87100-89503 Conflicts of interest

COURT DECISIONS

Caldwell v. Montoya (Paramount Unified School District) 10 Cal 4th 972 (1995)