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MEDFORD AREA PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT

**DATE ADOPTED: January 15, 2001 FILE SECTOR: BOARD GOVERNANCE &
DATE REVISED: May 20, 2010 OPERATIONS
DATE REVIEWED: August 21, 2014 POLICY TITLE: EMERGENCY POLICY
DATE REVIEWED: May 19, 2016 SUSPENSION**

A specific policy may be suspended during an emergency situation by the district administrator or his/her designee and board of education president. Such emergency situations must have a legitimate impact on the immediate health and safety of students and/or staff, or must interfere with the ability of the district to implement necessary fiscal transactions if the policy is not immediately suspended.

To suspend an existing board of education policy currently listed in the board of education policy book, the district administrator or his/her designee shall relate the facts regarding the "emergency situation" to the board of education president or in his/her absence, the next ranking officer in the order of vice president, clerk and treasurer. The district administrator or his/her designee shall identify the policy and define the course of action that is to be taken during the time of policy suspension as well as the length of policy suspension. The district administrator or his/her designee may suspend the policy in accordance with the actions described above only with the consent of the board of education president/officer. A suspended policy will automatically be reinstated if no regular or special action on that policy is taken at the next board of education meeting.

**CROSS REFERENCE: BBC, BCA, BCB, BFE, BFG
LEGAL REFERENCE:**