Policy Type: Executive Limitations

School Safety

The Superintendent shall not cause or allow any condition in the district that is or has a reasonable potential of being unsafe.

Accordingly the Superintendent may not fail to develop a safe schools plan, following consultation with school and school district accountability committees, parents, teachers, administrators, students and when appropriate, members of the community, that provides for a safe learning environment conducive to the learning process and free from unnecessary disruption that includes:

- 1. Safe school reporting requirements.
- 2. Staff security and safety.
- 3. Crisis management.
- 4. Procedures that address the safety and security concerns of the district.
- 5. Procedures that address the sharing of information with other agencies, in accordance with applicable state and federal law.
- 6. Procedures that address persons visiting school buildings and attending school-sponsored activities.
- 7. Procedures that address the screening of employees subsequent to employment for criminal offenses.

In addition, the Superintendent shall not fail to develop and adopt, consistent with the *Executive Limitation* policy on Development of Administration Policy, all policies required as part of the safe schools plan.

Adopted: August 2005

LEGAL REFS.: C.R.S. 9-1-101 through 9-1-106 (construction requirements, fire escapes)

C.R.S. 22-3-101 through 22-3-104 (eye protective devices)

C.R.S. 22-32-109.1 (safe schools plan)

C.R.S. 22-32-109.1 (8) (inquiries to Colorado Department of Education regarding employees)

C.R.S. 22-32-110 (1)(k) (power to adopt policy on safety training)

C.R.S. 22-32-124 (2), (3) (building inspections)

C.R.S. 24-10-106.5 (duty of care)

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Monitoring Method: Monitoring Frequency: School Accountability Reports

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