SOMERSWORTH
Priority/Required by Law

INDOOR AIR QUALITY

The District will initiate and actively maintain an indoor air quality program for all the schools of the District. Said program is to obtain and maintain air quality levels that will provide healthy air quality for all participants, will enhance the learning environment and will address methods of minimizing emissions from buses, cars, delivery vehicles and other motorized vehicles. The implementation of this can be delegated to building principals.

The District will address methods to minimize or eliminate emissions from buses, cars, delivery vehicles, and other motorized vehicles. Building principals will work cooperatively with the director of facilities and maintenance. The building principals are directed to annually investigate air quality in their respective buildings using a checklist to be provided by the New Hampshire Department of Education.

As a guide the Administration will follow the guidelines of the EPA's Tools for Schools Program or its equivalent as recommended and/or managed by the NH Dept. of Education Bureau of School Approval and facility Management.

Legal References:

RSA 200:11-a, Investigation of Air Quality

RSA 200:48, Air Quality in Schools

NH Code of Administrative Rules, Section Ed. 306.04(a)(24), Air Quality in School

Buildings

NH Code of Administrative Rules, Section 306.07(a)(4), School Facilities

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