

**Bylaw**

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ELECTIONS AND ANNUAL APPOINTMENTS

Election of the President and Vice President

The Absecon Board of Education shall organize by electing one of its members as president and another as vice president at its annual organizational meeting. Any member may place a member's name in nomination; a second is not required.

Election for each office will be conducted by roll call vote when the nominations for that office are closed. The candidate receiving the votes of a majority of board members present will be elected to office. In the event no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast, a second election shall be conducted between the two candidates receiving the highest number of votes.

Officers shall serve for one (1) year and until their respective successors are elected. If the board fails to hold the organizational meeting or to elect board officers the executive county superintendent shall appoint from among the members of the board a president and/or vice president.

A president or vice president who refuses to perform a duty imposed upon him/her by law may be removed by a majority vote of all of the members of the board. In the event the office of president or vice president becomes vacant the board shall, within thirty (30) days of the vacancy fill the vacancy for the unexpired term. If the board fails to fill the vacancy within thirty (30) days, the executive county superintendent shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term.

Annual Appointments

The board may annually appoint the following positions:

- A. A board secretary;
- B. A treasurer of school moneys;
- C. A public school accountant;
- D. A medical inspector;
- E. A psychological examiner;
- F. A member to serve as delegate to the New Jersey School Boards Association;
- G. A member to serve as delegate to the Bergen County School Boards Association;
- H. An attorney.

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**Legal References:** N.J.S.A. 18A:6-46 Delegates to state association

ELECTIONS AND ANNUAL APPOINTMENTS (continued)

<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:12-1	Election and number of board members; terms
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:14-2	Time of holding annual school election
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:14-19	Notices; contents; posting and publication
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:14-36	Open election
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:14-63	Duties of secretary of the board of education (re: elections)
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:17-2	Tenure of secretaries, assistant secretaries, school business administrators, business managers and secretarial and clerical employees
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:17-5	Appointment of a secretary of board of education; terms; compensation; vacancy
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:17-13	Assistant and acting secretaries; appointment, powers and duties
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:17-31	Treasurer of school moneys
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:23-1	Audit when and how made
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:40-1	Employment of medical inspectors, optometrists and nurses; salaries; terms; rules
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:46-11	Psychological and other examinations
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:38-32	District and county vocational school attendance officer

**Possible**

<b><u>Cross References:</u></b> *1120	Board of education meetings
*3570	District records and reports
*6142.10	Technology
*9121	Election and duties of president
*9271	Code of ethics
*9322	Public and executive sessions
*9323/9324	Agenda preparation/advance delivery of meeting material
*9326	Minutes

\*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.