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## — East Rutherford Board of Education

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#### Authority

The Board of Education is constituted, authorized, and governed by the statutes of the State of New Jersey, Title 18A, Education. Other sections of the statutes state or imply that a local Board of Education has full power to operate the local public schools in accordance with state and federal mandates and pertinent laws and regulations of the municipality. The Board functions only when it is in session.

#### Powers

The Board shall make, amend, and repeal rules consistent with laws of the State of New Jersey and with the rules established by the State Board of Education for its own governance and the transaction of its business, and for the governance and management of the public schools and the public property of the school district, and for the employment, regulation of, conduct, and discharge of its employees. The Board shall perform all acts and do all things, consistent with law and the rules of the State Board of Education, necessary for the proper conduct, equipment and maintenance of the public schools of the district.

#### Functions

The Board of Education sees the following as required functions: policy oversight; educational planning; provision of financial resources; and communication with the public. Annually, the Board of Education shall establish goals and evaluate these goals in achieving the mission of the school district.

The Board of Education shall employ a Superintendent of Schools who shall carry out the policies of the Board through the development and implementation of the regulations and supporting procedures necessary to successfully operate the schools and district.

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N.J.S.A. 18A:10-1; 18A:11-1; 18A:16-1; 18A:20-1; 18A:27-4

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