



CODE OF ETHICS FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS *Policy Code: 2120*

The board recognizes that, collectively and individually, all members of the board must adhere to a code of ethics as required by G.S. 160A-83 and G.S. 115C-47(57).

A. BOARD MEMBER ETHICAL REQUIREMENTS

The following considerations will guide each board member in the performance of his or her official duties:

1. the need to obey all applicable state and federal laws regarding official actions taken as a board member;
2. the need to uphold the integrity and independence of the board member's office;
3. the need to avoid impropriety in the exercise of the board's and board member's official duties;
4. the need to perform faithfully the duties of the office; and
5. the need to conduct the affairs of the board in an open and public manner, complying with all applicable laws governing open meetings and public records.

Legal References: G.S. 115C-36, -50; 160A-83, -84

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