

PROFESSIONAL NEGOTIATIONS, BOARD RIGHTS, AND DUTIES

The Islesboro School Committee, as the duly constituted representative of the people and as the agent of the State, is legally responsible for the conduct of public education in Islesboro and its authority to make final decisions as provided for by law may not be delegated or abdicated.

The School Committee's rights include, but are not limited to, all matters related to the management of the school and its administration; the employment and direction of staff; and the determination of the School Department's program of instruction. No new programs will be added unless previously budgeted or approved by the School Committee.

The School Committee has the duty, under the law, to meet, confer, bargain and negotiate with professional staff on matters of salary and certain other conditions of employment.

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