

**ANGLOPHONE SOUTH DISTRICT EDUCATION COUNCIL**

**POLICY TYPE:** Council- Staff Relationship

**POLICY NO:** C-SR 1.1

**POLICY TITLE:** Unity of Control

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Only officially passed motions of the Council are binding on the Superintendent.

1. Decisions or instructions of individual board members, officers, or committees are not binding on the superintendent except in rare instances when the board has specifically authorized such exercises of authority.
2. In the case of council members or committees requesting information or assistance without board authorization the superintendent can refer requests that require, in the superintendent's opinion, a material amount of staff time or funds, or are disruptive to the Council as a whole for authorization.
3. Only the council acting as a body can employ, terminate, discipline, or change the conditions of employment of the superintendent.

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