

LEGAL PROTECTION

Liability Insurance

The Board of Trustees shall provide insurance necessary to protect Board members and employees from any judgment resulting from suits brought against them alleging their liability while acting within the scope of their employment and/or under the direction of the Board. The insurance shall cover claims in such matters as civil rights actions, negligence or other acts resulting in accidental injury to any person or damage to property.

(cf. 3530 - Risk Management/Insurance)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

17029.5 *Contract funding; board liability*

17280-17316 *Field Act, approvals*

17365-17374 *Field Act, fitness for occupancy*

35208 *Liability insurance*

35214 *Liability insurance (self-insurance or a combination of self-insurance and insurance through an insurance company)*

GOVERNMENT CODE

815.3 *Intentional torts*

820.9 *Immunity from liability*

825 *Defense by public entity*

825.6 *Indemnification of public entity*

1090-1098 *Conflicts of interest, prohibitions applicable to specified officers*

54950-54957.9 *The Ralph M. Brown Act*

87100-89503 *Conflicts of interest*

COURT DECISIONS

Caldwell v. Montoya (*Paramount Unified School District*) 10 Cal 4th 972 (1995)

