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SUBJECT: Board of Education Authority

As a body created under the Education Law of New York State, the Board of Education of the Jamesville-DeWitt Central School District has full authority within the limitations of federal and state laws and the Regulations of the Commissioner of Education and interpretations of the, to carry out the will of the people of its District in matters of education.

In all cases where laws or regulations of the State Commissioner of Education do not provide, permit or prohibit, the Board shall consider itself the agent responsible for establishing and appraising education matters and activities.

Board members have no authority over school affairs as individuals. They have authority only when acting as a body duly called in session.

Education Law Sections 1604, 1701, 1709, 1804 and 1805