BP 2735  BOARD MEMBER TRAVEL

Members of the Board shall have travel expenses paid whenever they travel as representatives of and perform services directed by the Board of Trustees.

Individual Board members are authorized to attend conferences, conventions, and/or meetings pertaining to community college education upon prior approval of the Board of Trustees.

It is recognized that membership and participation on state and national committees by members of the Board of Trustees is advantageous to the District. Therefore, the Board will act to authorize memberships, membership fees, and individual Board members serving in positions of responsibility in such organizations. The District shall provide actual and necessary expenses incurred by Board members in authorized travel on school business or at conferences or professional meetings, as well as for those members serving on local, state, and national organizations in official capacities such as officers, board members, committee members, etc.

Reimbursement for travel expenses are as prescribed by District procedures.

Reference:  Education Code Section 72423

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Board members including the Student Trustee are encouraged to participate in activities that increase and enhance their understanding of the community college mission and the role of trustees on a governing board, including serving as advocates for, and representatives of the college. When such participation occurs, all Board members are encouraged to report on their activities to their fellow trustees, at a regular Board meeting.

Reference:   Education Code Section 72423

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(This is a new procedure recommended by the Policy and Procedure Service)