

UPPER BUCKS COUNTY AREA VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL

SECTION: LOCAL JOINT OPERATING
COMMITTEE PROCEDURES

TITLE: AUTHORITY AND POWERS

ADOPTED: September 20, 2007

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	<p style="text-align: center;">002. AUTHORITY AND POWERS</p> <p>Section 1. <u>Authority</u></p> <p>SC 1807, 1840.1, 1841, 1850.1 Title 22 Sec. 4.35</p> <p>The authority to establish, equip, furnish, operate and maintain the career and technical school is vested in the Joint Board, which consists of all school directors of the participating school districts. Actions of the Joint Board shall be voted upon and recorded in accordance with law.</p> <p>SC 1850.1, 1850.3 Articles of Agreement</p> <p>The Joint Board, under the authority granted by the School Code, shall delegate to the Joint Operating Committee the responsibility for operating, administering, and managing Upper Bucks County Area Vocational Technical School.</p> <p>Section 2. <u>Powers</u></p> <p>SC 502, 1807, 1841, 1850.1 Title 22 Sec. 4.35</p> <p>The Joint Board shall establish a career and technical school to provide an educational program for eligible students and adult residents of participating school districts.</p> <p>SC 1850.1, 1850.3 Articles of Agreement</p> <p>The Joint Operating Committee shall equip, furnish, operate and maintain the career and technical school. It shall adopt and enforce policies and regulations for the management of school affairs and the conduct and deportment of employees and students.</p> <p>SC 1850.1 Articles of Agreement</p> <p>The Joint Operating Committee shall manage and operate the school within the budgetary limits adopted by the Joint Board.</p> <p>SC 1850.1, 1850.3</p> <p>The Joint Operating Committee, in accordance with its statutory mandate, shall adopt procedures for its own operation, and policies for the guidance of the Superintendent of Record and Administrative Director in operating the school. Such procedures and policies shall be consistent with law, have a rational and</p>
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<p>SC 1850.1, 1850.3 Title 22 Sec. 4.13</p>	<p>substantial relationship to a legitimate purpose of the Joint Operating Committee, and be directed towards the maintenance and support of a thorough and efficient system of career and technical education.</p> <p>The Joint Operating Committee shall establish educational goals for the students of the school and govern a program of education designed to meet those goals. The Joint Operating Committee shall be responsible for evaluating the educational program and activities of the school. The Joint Operating Committee shall be responsible for enforcing mandatory laws and regulations.</p> <p>The powers of the Joint Board and Joint Operating Committee are not vested in the individual school director. No such individual is authorized to act on behalf of such bodies to carry out any statutorily authorized powers, except for those acts stated in law.</p> <p>References:</p> <p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 502, 1807, 1840.1, 1841, 1850.1, 1850.3</p> <p>State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 4.13, 4.35</p> <p>Articles of Agreement</p>
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