

All powers of the South Slave Divisional Education Council lie in its action as a group. Individual Council members exercise their authority over Divisional affairs only as they vote to take action at a meeting. Only an act or proceeding of the Council done or taken at a regular or special meeting of the Council, with quorum, is valid and binding.

## **REGULATIONS**

Individual members have authority only when the Council, by means of either written Council policy or a resolution of the Council, has delegated authority to him/her.

As the South Slave Divisional Education Council is consensus driven, individual Council members must publicly support all decisions made by the South Slave Divisional Educational Council.

While the Council encourages individual members to acquaint themselves with all matters affecting the operation of schools, it is understood that individual Council members will:

1. refer queries or problems not already covered by Council policy or Superintendent's regulations, the *Education Act*, or other legislation, directives or policies of the Government of the Northwest Territories, to the Council as a whole for discussion and decision making.
2. refer queries or problems of a purely administrative nature to the Superintendent of Education.
3. assist the Superintendent with counsel and advice, giving him/her the benefit of the members' judgment and familiarity with community(s).

Reference: *Education Act*, Sections 102, 110, 118, 119.  
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