

## **FINANCE**

## **Policy 609 (previously 809)**

### **Selection of Legal Counsel**

The Board shall appoint a law firm(s) to ensure that sound legal advice and service with respect to all areas of the School District's operation is available.

The law firm(s) appointed shall be a recognized law firm(s) capable of providing advice and assistance in such matters as labour relations, employment law, the School Act and real estate.

#### Appointment of Legal Counsel

The Board shall ensure that a qualified law firm(s) is/are appointed to provide legal advice and assistance to the Board and to represent the Board in those matters requiring legal representation. The "Basic criteria for selection of law firm(s)", set out in the Regulations shall be used as guidelines in such appointments.