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Student Board Members

The Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing/Governor Baxter School for the Deaf School Board shall appoint two (2) student members to the Board for a one or two year term. These student members shall be: one who attends the Governor Baxter School for the Deaf (GBSD) and one who receives Outreach services, both of whom are non-voting members and may not participate as Board members in Executive Sessions or receive material as Board members from Executive Sessions. The students must be in good academic and disciplinary standing and enrolled in a high school program.

The term of office will usually conclude when the student ceases to be a student at GBSD or ceases to receive Outreach services due to graduation or for any other reason. In the event that a student should become ineligible to serve for academic or disciplinary reasons, the Board shall be formally notified by the Executive Director. The Board may then declare the position vacant.

Whenever a vacancy occurs, the Executive Director shall nominate student members. The student nominees may sit on the Board until officially confirmed. When a vacancy is anticipated, the Executive Director will submit a list of potential candidates to the Board Chair before the expiration of the current representative's term.

Legal reference: TITLE 20A MRSA CHAPTER 304 SEC. 7406

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