

PRE AND POST TEST

As a board member or a superintendent, you are often confronted with a situation that is not clearly defined as your role. Please react to the following situations and place a checkmark in the column you believe is correct for each situation. We will then ask our panel to discuss their reaction to each statement.

Description of Activity – Is this an appropriate activity?	Yes	No	Maybe
A board member meets with the business manager to develop budget projections for the up-coming year.			
A superintendent calls one board member to share some information from the previous night's district negotiations session.			
A board member researches district class size and brings information to the entire board at a meeting to use to make policy decisions.			
A board member talks to the district lawyer and directs him to make certain changes in the district policy.			
The superintendent changes the suspension policy as it relates to the dress code.			
The board insists on interviewing coaches and principals prior to hiring.			
A board member requests the treasurer to give him statistics on the total days absent of the classified and certified staff in the high school.			
The board holds the superintendent responsible for the day-to-day administration of the school and the consequences that ensue.			
A resident calls a board member to complain about a bus driver. The board member tells the resident he will look into the problem.			
A superintendent emails all board members a Friday update of the weekly activities at the school.			
A head coach sits next to a board member and complains about board policy on fundraisers and demands changes.			
A board member calls a teacher after receiving a phone call from an irate parent.			
A board member travels with a district building committee comprised of teachers and administrators to visit new school buildings in the area.			
The superintendent interrupts the treasurer during a report to the board to disagree with facts in the report.			
The superintendent releases the email address of board members to the press and public.			
A board member calls the local reporter to give his/her side of a controversial discussion from the previous night's board meeting.			
A board member hears a rumor at the local barbershop about land acquisition by the schools and calls the superintendent about it.			
To evaluate the superintendent, each board member completes a personal evaluation sheet. These are all given to the superintendent at his evaluation.			

