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POLICY: EL 7

SUBJECT: ASSET PROTECTION

POLICY STATEMENT

The Director of Education shall not allow corporate assets to be unprotected, inadequately maintained or unnecessarily risked.

The Director of Education shall not:

- 1. Allow Board members, staff, and the organization itself to be inadequately insured against theft, casualty and liability losses.
- 2. Allow personnel who are not included under the board's crime insurance policy access to material amounts of funds without appropriate accounting controls.
- 3. Subject plant and equipment to improper wear and tear or insufficient maintenance.
- 4. Unnecessarily expose the organization, its Board of Trustees or staff to claims of liability.
- 5. Conduct procurement without clear and objective selection criteria and transparency about the process.
- 6. Operate without adequate safeguards to protect intellectual property, information and files from loss or significant damage.
- 7. Permit financial reporting, financial procedures, and internal controls that are insufficient to reasonably prevent tardy, inaccurate or misleading financial reporting and to meet the standards of the Board-appointed auditor.
- 8. Receive, process or disburse the organization's assets under internal controls insufficient to detect, deter and prevent fraud or insufficient to prevent and detect significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.
- Endanger the organization's public image or credibility, particularly in ways that would hinder its accomplishment of Ends.
- 10. Engage in banking services for operations with any institution other than a chartered bank.
- 11. Acquire, encumber or dispose of real property.
- 12. Allow the Catholic community to be unaware of the importance of maintaining the registered school support record and unsupported if they wish to be registered as separate school supporters.
- 13. Allow the organization to operate without a plan to mitigate loss to organizational assets damaged by a disaster and to expedite recovery from a disaster.
- 14. Compromise the independence of the board's audit or other external monitoring or advice.

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