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EDUCATIONAL EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS ACT PUBLIC NOTICE COMPLAINTS

In compliance with Rule 32900 of the Public Employment Relations Board, it shall be the policy of the Chula Vista Elementary School District to adhere to Section 3547 of the Government Code entitled "Public Notice," and to specify where "public notice" complaints are to be filed with the district. Section 3547 of the Government Code states:

- (a) All initial proposals of exclusive representatives and of public school employers, which relate to matters within the scope of representation, shall be presented at a public meeting of the public school employer and thereafter shall be public records.
- (b) Meeting and negotiating shall not take place on any proposal until a reasonable time has elapsed after the submission of the proposal to enable the public to become informed and the public has the opportunity to express itself regarding the proposal at a meeting of the public school employer.
- (c) After the public has had the opportunity to express itself, the public school employer shall, at a meeting which is open to the public, adopt its initial proposal.
- (d) New subjects of meeting and negotiating arising after the presentation of initial proposals shall be made public within 24 hours. If a vote is taken on such subject by the public school employer, the vote thereon by each member voting shall also be made public within 24 hours.
- (e) The Board may adopt regulations for the purpose of implementing this section, which are consistent with the intent of the section; namely that the public be informed of the issues that are being negotiated upon and have full opportunity to express their views on the issues to the public school employer, and to know of the positions of their elected representatives."

Any member of the public desiring to file any complaint with the school district alleging a violation of Government Code Section 3547 should file such complaint in writing with the Coordinator of Communications and Staff Negotiations. This policy shall be published and a copy made available at each district office.

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Legal Reference:

GOVERNMENT CODE

3547 Proposals relating to representation; informing public, adoption of proposals; new subjects; regulations

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 8

32900 EERA and HEERA Public Notice: requirements for governing boards to adopt policy