## DONATION OF EQUIPMENT OR MATERIALS TO SCHOOLS

## **Background**

The District appreciates charitable donations from the public in support of the public education system.

## **Procedures**

- 1. Prior to approval of projects involving donations of equipment, the Superintendent will require District staff to carry out a technical evaluation to determine:
  - 1.1 Suitability for the purpose intended;
  - 1.2 Costs which will result from acceptance, e.g., provision of power source, power, space, repairs, operator, etc.;
  - 1.3 The safety aspects, including CSA approvals and compliance with other federal and provincial standards;
  - 1.4 Conformity with planned standardization.
- 2. Donated equipment will become the property of the District on acceptance.
- 3. Maintenance may be provided on items which have been procured through the Purchasing Department.
- 4. The District recognizes no obligation to replace or repair donated equipment.
- 5. Certification for duty and tax exemptions will be provided only for items procured using District documents.
- 6. Maintenance Department personnel shall install approved equipment donated by outside groups.

Reference: Sections 8, 20, 22, 23, 65, 85 School Act

Income Tax Act

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