

CHAPTER 9.00 - TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

9.20 - Purchase and Sale of Transportation Equipment

POLICY:

- (1) New school buses will be purchased through the state pool purchase plan in the number and size designated by the Board.
- (2) Where possible, other transportation equipment and supplies shall be purchased in accordance with bid prices established by the State Board or by the Division of Purchasing of General Services unless the same quality of merchandise can be purchased otherwise at a lower price.
- (3) Purchase of Used Transportation Equipment

Where school funds are to be expended for used transportation equipment, the purchase must be authorized by the Commissioner of Education and the following requirements met:

- (a) The Board shall certify that an emergency exists or that for some good and specified reason such purchase would be in the best interest of the school district.
- (b) A proposal for the sale of the used equipment shall be obtained from the owners, and the equipment shall be appraised by three (3) qualified appraisers as required by regulations of the State Board.
- (c) The Board may not pay a price higher than the appraised value and may reject any and all proposals.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

1001.42 (17), F.S.

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION RULE:

6A-3.107(1)(c), 6A-3.005,.007

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