

	BOARD GOVERNANCE II-B-6
<p style="text-align: center;">STRAIT REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD <i>Excellence in Lifelong Learning</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">POLICIES AND GUIDELINES</p>	Operation and Conduct INFORMATION MANAGEMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY FOR BOARD MEMBERS
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Information Management and Communications Technology for Board Members

Policy Statement

The Strait Regional School Board recognizes that effective information management and communications technology is essential to the success of the Board. Accordingly, Board Members will be provided with access to a wide-range of electronic and online resources via the Board's information technology network.

In the implementation of this policy and supporting procedures, the Strait Regional School Board shall adhere to relevant legislation, including but not limited to, the *Education Act and Regulations Under the Act* (Consolidated August 2006); *the Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIPOP) Act*; the *Personal Information International Disclosure Protection Act* (PIIDPA); Copyright Act; Criminal Code; Provincial and Strait Regional School Board policies including the Nova Scotia Department of Education's Public School Network Access and Use policy (October 7, 2011); the Nova Scotia Government Website Privacy Policy; Non-Student Use of Information and Communications Technology and supporting procedures, Policy VI-C-4 and PRO VI-C-4, Network Access and Use, Policy III-B-3, Website Privacy Policy VI-C-6; and other applicable legislation and Provincial and School Board policies.

Guidelines

1. The Strait Regional School Board provides Board Members with access to a wide-range of electronic and online resources via its information management and communications technology network to assist them in fulfilling their mandate and elected responsibilities and to support and encourage professional learning.
2. The information management and communications technology network will enable Board Members to access a number of resources, including but not limited to, the School Board's Policy Manual, documentation related to School Board business and meetings as well as provincial materials and initiatives.
3. The Strait Regional School Board has established a set of procedures to guide all aspects of this policy. Please refer to PRO II-B-6.