G-6800 © GDB SUPPORT STAFF CONTRACTS AND COMPENSATION

Definition of Classified and Licensed-Classified Staff

1) Classified Staff

- a) Classified staff are employed to assist educators in achieving the educational objectives for the school system. They are employed as office assistants, warehouse employees, custodians, food service workers, transportation employees and some maintenance technicians.
- b) Classified positions require a minimum of a high school diploma or its equivalency.

2) Licensed-Classified

- a) Educational assistants, Special Education assistants and Tutors are instructional support staff, and are required to have a Level III license by the New Mexico Public Education Department.
 - i) Instructional support staff hired on or after January 8, 2002, must hold a Level III license prior to assuming duties in a Title I funded program.
 - ii) Instructional support staff hired prior to January 8, 2002, must hold a Level III license by June 30, 2006.
- b) Electricians and plumbers will be appropriately licensed in their respective skilled craft by the New Mexico State Building Trades.

Compensation

The Superintendent will provide to the Board recommendations on the salaries and benefits of support staff employees in conjunction with the development of the District's annual budget.

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LEGAL REF.: 22-10A-39 NMSA (1978).

CROSS REF.: GDQB - Resignation of Support Staff Members