BYLAWS OF THE BOARD

Oath or Affirmation

When entering upon the duties of their office, all Board of Trustees members shall take the oath or affirmation required bylaw. (Constitution of the State of California, Article 20, Section 3)

A Board member, the Superintendent, or an authorized designee may administer this oath. (Education Code 60) (cf. 4112.3/4212.3/4312.3 – Oath or Affirmation)

Legal Reference: <u>Education Code</u>

Persons authorized to administer and certify oaths

Government Code

1360-1363 Oath of Office

3100-3109 Oath or affirmation of allegiance

Constitution of the State of California Article 20, Section 3 Oath of office

Vogel v. County of Los Angeles (1967) 68 Cal. 2d 18.22

Chilton v. Contra Costa Community College District 55 Cal. App. 3d

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EXHIBIT

Oath of Office

,, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the
Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all
enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the
United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.
Signature
Subscribed and Sworn to before me this day of, 20
Signature of person administering oath Title