# **Bus Driver Training, Abstracts and Physical Examination**

## -POLICY-

### 1. <u>Drivers' Abstract</u>

1.1 All school bus drivers, whether Board employees, volunteers or employees of contractors, are required to submit a current copy of their driver abstract and applicable driver's license to the Board on an annual basis.

#### 2. <u>Bus Driver Training</u>

- 2.1 The Board recognizes the importance of ongoing training for bus drivers. To that end, a driver training and upgrading program shall be implemented. The Board will decide the nature and content of such training.
- 2.2 All bus drivers employed by School District No. 58 (Nicola-Similkameen) shall be required to participate. Employees of contractors will have the opportunity to participate.

#### 3. <u>Physical Examination</u>

- 3.1 All bus drivers, whether Board employees or employees of contractors, are required to have an annual physical examination, plus any that are requested by the Board due to special circumstances, the results of which will be submitted to the Board Office.
- 3.2 The Board will pay for the costs of any physical examination that they have requested for district employed bus drivers and contract bus drivers.