

GIFTS

- Cash gift from class to advisors held improper (77:366, Silver, aff'd St. Bd. 77:371)
- Of land to board with condition that it be used for school; held, no possibility of reverter arose, Hagaman v. Woodbridge Bd. of Ed., 117 N.J. Super. 446 (App. Div. 1971)
- Of public moneys prohibited (59-60:79) (67:69) (72:606) (74:218 aff'd St. Bd. 74:225)
- Of public moneys prohibited; salary plan voided (77:704, Brick Twp.)
- Repairs, renovations and maintenance performed by lessee in buildings owned by board found proper (77:462, Footte, stay denied and aff'd St. Bd. 77:477, jurisdiction released and aff'd St. Bd. 77:477)

GOVERNING BODY

- (See also "Budgets" and "Municipalities", this index)
- City governing body's right to investigate board upheld Union City Bd. of Ed. v. Union City, 112 N.J. Super. 493 (Law Div. 1970) aff'd o.b. 118 N.J. Super. 435 (App. Div. 1972)

GRADING SYSTEM

- Board did not act arbitrarily in permitting administrator to alter student's grade without teacher's knowledge or consent where teacher failed to advise parents of assignment during student's absence (87:1826, Matawan)
- Board has authority to review and change grades (77:862, Talarsky)
- Board not required to give letter grade to medically excused student for assignment given in lieu of pool activities (89:1211, F.R.)

GRADING SYSTEM - continued

- Board precluded from giving grade point average credit for college algebra course taken in unapproved summer school (87:54, G.B.C., decision on remand)
- College credits substituted for high school credits: Commissioner prohibited inclusion of courses taken outside district to arrive at class rank; deemed discriminatory against other students (87:45, G.B.C.)
- Failing grade ordered expunged (74:1103 modified and aff'd St. Bd. 75:1119)
- Grades, use of for punishment prohibited (See "Pupils - Punishment of", this index)
- Need not be formally codified (79: June 6, Saultz, unpublished opinion)
- Policy of school board calling for automatic imposition of grade penalty for absences from class is not valid (87:1669, V.J.H.)
- Prerogative of local boards; Commissioner will not disturb if reasonable and non-discriminatory system (73:347) (76:619, Dooner) (77:862, Talarsky) (79: June 6, Saultz, unpublished opinion)

GRADUATION

- Board failed to present proof that absences were not bona fide; diploma granted student permitted to attend graduation (88: June 22, C.R.)
- Diploma, pupil held entitled to (74:614)
- Diploma, pupil held not entitled to (76:619, Dooner)
- Diploma, transfer of college credits within board's discretion (77:724, Silverman)
- Exclusion of pupils from ceremony upheld as punishment (74:611) (74:655) (74:660) (75:491, Holmes) (75:489, Kenngott) (89:2098, P.G.)
- Handicapped child: Board's insistence on graduating student held improper; student was entitled to education until his 20th birthday (81: June 22, M.B.)
- Requirements for
(See "Commissioner - Curriculum" and "Pupils - Physical education", this index)

GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES

- (See "Collective Negotiations" and "Arbitration", this index)
- Disfavored if matter is within Commissioner's jurisdiction; may not be construed to circumvent school laws (71:579)
- Length of school day, disputes over, settled through contractual grievance procedures (81: July 17, Germinario)

Maternity leave, disputes over granting, settled through contractual grievance procedures (80: June 30, Gallop)
Placement on salary schedule, binding arbitration for, (80: September 19, Grossman)

GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

Abolition of one of several positions; assignment to remaining positions must be done in accordance with seniority (81: March 23, Horun, aff'd 82: February 3, aff'd unpublished opinion, App. Div. (Docket No. A-2743-81T2, May 26, 1983), certif. denied 96 N.J. 287 (1984))
Abolition of position (66:247) (72:274)
Assigned to teach daily classroom courses; career education courses are within scope of certification and subordinate to major responsibilities (83:1, Sayreville Ed. Assn.)
Board may not transfer to teaching position, (80:1134, Childs v. Union Tp. Bd. of Ed., aff'd St. Bd. 81: April 1, aff'd unpublished opinion, App. Div. (Docket No. A-3606-80T1, July 19, 1982), certif. denied 91 N.J. 550 (1982) (83:1310, Zorfass, aff'd St. Bd. 84:2048)
Board may require guidance counselor to substitute for school nurse (72:232)
Payment for summer work (76:865, Bowers)

GUIDELINES OF DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Not binding on boards (72:219)