

<i>Rainy River District School Board</i>	SECTION 1 <i>Board of Trustees</i>
REPRESENTATIVE OF FIRST NATIONS STUDENTS	1.21

POLICY

The Rainy River District School Board shall appoint as a member of the Board, a person to represent the interests of the Native pupils named by the councils of the Bands under agreements of the Board.

RATIONALE

The Rainy River District School Board recognizes the importance to provide a complete understanding of the needs of the Native children under their jurisdiction.

IMPLEMENTATION

GUIDELINES

Such a person shall be appointed and hold office according to the following procedure:

- 1.1 The appointee will be acceptable to a majority of the Native Bands in its' jurisdiction.
- 1.2 The term of such an appointee shall be the same as that of the other trustees serving at the time of his/her appointment. When the term of each Board expires the appointee's term shall expire simultaneously and the new Board may either re-appoint the same person or appoint another to replace him/her subject to Section 1.1.

<u>CROSS REFERENCE</u>	<u>Date Approved</u> December 7, 2004 <u>Board Motion</u> #101 <u>Review Prior to</u> 2009	<u>LEGAL/MINISTRY OF EDUCATION REFERENCE</u>
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