POLICY TITLE: Administration in the Absence of Policy					
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Only actions by the Board of Education in formal session, shall constitute an act of the Board. Nothing contained herein shall limit the authority of the Superintendent, nor the staff of the Superintendent where the Education Article grants or permits such authority.

In cases where action must be taken within the school system and the Board has provided no guidance for administrative action, the Superintendent shall have the power to act.

Board Approval Acknowledged By:

Patricia L. Skebeck, Secretary and Treasurer Board of Education of Harford County

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