

## **Section 4: BOARD MEMBER RESIGNATION**

Interim Executive Order 1997-4 effectively adopts the Executive Branch Code of Ethics as the process for board members to follow, in case of a need for resignation from the board.

**Policy purpose:** It is the purpose of this policy to define conditions of the procedure for resignation from the State board of Education by a member.

### **Policy statement:**

Once a board member accepts public office, he/she may resign at will by submitting a letter of resignation with an effective date to the Governor and a copy to the chair.

Until a resignation becomes effective or is acted upon by the governor, it may be withdrawn. Unless otherwise prohibited by law, the board member will continue in office until a successor is qualified.