

Chapter 153. School District Personnel

Statutory Authority: The provisions of this Chapter 153 issued under the Texas Education Code, §21.405, unless otherwise noted.

Subchapter AA. Commissioner's Rules Concerning School District Personnel Duties and Benefits

§153.1001. Duty-Free Lunch.

- (a) For the purposes of Texas Education Code, §21.405, a school district shall use the guidelines in this section to determine what constitutes a personnel shortage, extreme economic conditions, or an unavoidable or unforeseen circumstance.
- (b) A personnel shortage exists when, despite reasonable efforts of a school district to use nonteaching personnel or the assistance of community volunteers to supervise students during lunch, there are no other personnel available.
- (c) Extreme economic conditions exist when the percentage of a local tax increase, including any amounts necessary to implement this section, would place the district in jeopardy with respect to a potential tax roll-back election as provided in the Texas Property Tax Code, §26.08.
- (d) Unavoidable or unforeseen circumstances exist when, due to illness, epidemic, or natural or man-made disaster, a school district is unable to find an individual to supervise students during lunch.

Source: The provisions of this §153.1001 adopted to be effective August 12, 1996, 21 TexReg 7263.