

SECTION 33-1402, IDAHO CODE

Transfer of pupils by initiative of the Board of Trustees. Whenever the Board of Trustees of any school district shall determine that it is in the best interest of any of its pupils to attend school in another district within this state, the Boards of Trustees of the districts may annually agree, in writing, that such pupil or pupils shall be transferred to and attend the designated school or schools of the other district party to the agreement.

Whenever the Board of Trustees of any Idaho school district abutting upon another state shall determine that it is in the best interest of any of its pupils to attend school in a school district in such neighboring state, the Board of Trustees may annually agree, in writing, with the governing board of the nearest appropriate school district in the neighboring state for the education, and transportation if the school district attended abuts on the home district, of such pupil or pupils. Any such agreement shall specify the rate of tuition, and costs of transportation if any, to be paid by the Idaho school district, and the agreement shall be entered into the records of the Board of Trustees and a copy of thereof filed with the State Board of Education.

The Board of Trustees of any Idaho school district, as a creditor district, may, subject to the approval of the State Board of Education, enter into an agreement with the governing body of any school district in another state, as the debtor district, to educate, and if necessary, transport any of the pupils of such debtor district such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon and approved, but the rate of tuition to be charged by the Idaho school district shall be not less than the gross per-pupil cost of the credit district, as defined in Section 33-1405, Idaho Code, plus the per-pupil costs paid by the state for the employer's share of social security, and the employer's share of retirement for the employees of the creditor district for the previous fiscal year, and other appropriate costs, all as determined by the State Board of Education. A copy of the agreement shall be entered into the records of the Board of Trustees and a copy thereof shall be filed with the State Board of Education. 33-1404, Idaho Code.

DISTRICTS TO RECEIVE PUPILS

Every school district shall receive and admit pupils transferred thereto, where payment of their tuition is to be paid by the home district, parent or guardian or waived by the receiving district, except when any such transfer would hardship on the receiving district; but no district shall be required to accept and admit secondary school pupils who have not completed the grades given in their home districts, nor pupils who have failed in any of their home district classes in the year next preceding the proposed transfer.

Students wishing to attend schools in another district with tuition waived, must make application for the transfer annually. Each application will be considered on its merits, and must be approved by the home district and the creditor district.

SCHOOL BOARD RESOLUTION JULY 13, 1987

The St. Maries Board of Education revoked the reciprocal tuition agreement with Kootenai School District No. 274.

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