SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 78 (FRASER-CASCADE)

POLICY NO: 7520

DATE: 1998-09-08

REVISED:

SUBJECT: BAND INSTRUMENTS

The Board of School Trustees is committed, whenever financial circumstances permit, to provide quality band and music programmes for pupils of School District No. 78 (Fraser-Cascade).

To that end, the Board will assist pupils to rent or purchase instruments as outlined in the regulations of this policy.

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1. Instrument Rental

a) School District No. 78 (Fraser-Cascade) will purchase musical instruments which will be rented to pupils of the District according to the following schedule:

- b) A proposed schedule of instrument rental fees will be forwarded to the Board annually for approval from each area of the district.
- c) Fees are payable at each school or at the District Education Office.
- d) Instruments may be purchased for cash or on a "lease-to-purchase" basis, applying up to one year's paid rental toward the purchase price, with the purchase to be completed by June 30 of that school year.
- e) Only the first two pupils per family shall pay rent. Additional family members renting at the same time shall be loaned instruments at no charge.
- f) Rented instruments which are damaged or worn through normal day-to-day usage will be repaired or replaced by the School District.
- g) Rented or loaned instruments that are lost, willfully damaged, or damaged through neglect or mischief, will not be repaired or replaced by the School District. The person renting or borrowing the instrument will be required to pay for repair or replacement.

2. Instrument Rental - Commercial

- a) The Board of School Trustees assumes no responsibility for instruments rented from a commercial source.
- b) Parents/Guardians of pupils renting from a commercial source should contact their insurance agent for protection against damage, fire or theft.

3. Purchased Instruments

- a) The Board of School Trustees assumes no responsibility for privately owned instruments.
- b) Parents/Guardians of pupils who have instruments should contact their insurance agent for protection against damage, fire or theft.