



<b>SECTION:</b>	<b>Board Governance and Operations</b>	<b>APPROVAL DATE:</b>
<b>SUBSECTION:</b>	<b>Hearings Under the Statutory Powers Act</b>	<b>January 23, 1978</b>
<b>POLICY NAME:</b>	<b>Hearings Conducted Under the Statutory Powers Procedures Act</b>	<b>LAST REVISED:</b>
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1. Where the Board is required under legislation to hold a hearing on any subject it shall determine if the hearing must be conducted in accordance with The Statutory Powers Procedures Act.
2. When the hearing is required to be conducted under the provisions of The Statutory Powers Procedures Act it shall be so conducted and all parties and witnesses to the hearing shall be so informed in the notice of the hearing.
3. The Board shall determine if it requires, on its own behalf, to be represented by counsel.
4. Where through the exercise of his legal responsibilities an employee of the Board is a party to the hearing and decides to be represented by counsel the Board shall reimburse the employee for all reasonable legal expenses so incurred.