ACCESS OF INFORMATION

The Board of Education and the Belle Fourche Education Association/and or representing Association shall cooperate in collecting information that is of public record and that may assist both parties in developing intelligent, feasible and constructive proposals in negotiating. No request for information may be placed upon either team or team consultants that will cause conflict or neglect of his or her contracted duties. On request, the Board agrees to provide the Association with copies of those documents which are developed in the routine operation of normal school business including:

- 1. Board packets
- 2. Board minutes
- 3. Tentative and final budget
- 4. Annual report

Consultants may be called upon by either party for advice and collection of information on material being considered during negotiations under this procedure. Costs and expenses incurred in securing and utilizing the services of a consultant are the responsibility of the party engaging this service. Also, the representatives of the Board and the representatives of the Belle Fourche Education Association/and or representing Association may, if they mutually agree it desirable and helpful in the negotiations procedure, appoint study committees for research, study and development of reports.

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