

Lakeland Board of Education

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1 The Board may hold public hearings in the following circumstances:

- 2 1. When a licensed employee is dismissed during a contract period, that licensed employee shall
3 be entitled to a hearing, upon written request, as provided by law;¹
- 4 2. When a student has been suspended and the resolution has not been satisfactory;²
- 5 3. When a parent or legal guardian shall contest the school assignment of their child;³ and/or
- 6 4. When the Board deems it to be in the public interest.

7 Any individual(s) requesting a hearing before the Board will make such request in writing stating the
8 purpose of the hearing, the action desired, and, in the case of contesting a school assignment, the
9 specific reasons for requesting the transfer. All requests for hearings must be received by the Board or
10 director of schools within the time limit prescribed by law for that category of hearing.

Legal References

1. TCA 49-2-203(a)(6); TCA 49-2-301 (GG)(i); TCA 49-5-512
2. TCA 49-6-3401
3. TCA 49-6-3201