

Hancock County Board of Education

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1 **SELECTION OF ARCHITECT**¹

2 The Board shall approve a registered architect for new projects of construction, expansion, and/or
3 maintenance as required by law. The Board shall execute a contract with such architect for each
4 project.

5 **SELECTION OF ENGINEER**¹

6 Following the execution of a contract for architectural services, the architect or architectural firm shall
7 select a registered engineer for each project.

8 **SITE SELECTION**

9 The Board shall have sole discretion with choosing sites for construction.² When determining where to
10 begin new projects, the Board shall consider the current and future populations of the area,
11 transportation routes, and accessibility to utilities.

12 **CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES**³

13 Prior to the construction, remodeling, renovation, expansion or modification of a school building for
14 use by children with disabilities, plans and specifications shall be submitted for review to the
15 Commissioner of the Department of Education. Such plans and specifications shall meet federal
16 requirements.

Legal References

1. TCA 62-2-107
2. TCA 49-2-203(a)(3); *Rutherford County Board of Education v. Rutherford County Commission*, 2000 Tenn. App. LEXIS 703
3. TRR/MS 0520-01-04-.01(4)