SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 (QUESNEL)

PROCEDURES

NO.: 535 - COLD WEATHER/UNSAFE ROAD CONDITIONS: SCHOOL AND BUS OPERATIONS

Education Committee Ref:

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- 1. The Transportation Supervisor will consult with the Highways Maintenance Manager to determine the road conditions that day.
- 2. When the 5:00 a.m. Transportation Department temperature is at -32 C or colder, or roads are deemed unsafe local radio, (Quesnel), CBC Radio (Prince George) and Global BC TV, the Quesnel School District web page and Facebook page, will be requested to advise parents that:
- 3. All bus runs will be cancelled. If bus runs are cancelled in the a.m., there will be no bus runs in the p.m. Teachers will be in attendance at schools. Where there is sufficient enrolment, regular instruction will take place. However, if all students cannot attend, the regular program will not be offered and, students attending will receive instructional support, be offered study sessions, and/or review.
- 4. All students unable to attend *school* due to bus cancellations will be marked absent. *Students will not be penalized academically as a result of bus cancellations.*
- 5. A notice, along the lines of Attachment "A", should be sent out to parents in October, with the advice to listen to the stations in 1 above.
- 6. The Wells and Nazko Schools will close at the discretion of the Principal, dependent upon individual circumstances in those areas.

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