



Bevill State Community College

SACS Reaffirmation of Accreditation Compliance Certification

Governance and Administration

Comprehensive Standard 3.2.5

The governing board has a policy whereby members can be dismissed only for appropriate reasons and by a fair process. **(Board dismissal)**

Judgment of Compliance:

Compliance **Partial Compliance** **Non-Compliance**

Rationale for Judgment of Compliance:

The governing board of Bevill State Community College, the Alabama State Board of Education, is compliant with comprehensive standard 3.2.5. The Code of Alabama (1975) has a policy in place for the removal of a member of the Alabama State Board of Education. [Section 16-3-4](#) of the Code states that the Governor of the state of Alabama may remove a member of the Board "...for immorality, misconduct in office, incompetency or willful neglect of duty..." The code ensures a fair process by mandating that once a member of the Board has been removed by the Governor, the Board member must be given a copy of the charges against her or him. Within ten days of being removed by the Governor, the Board member must be given "an opportunity of being heard publicly in person or by counsel in his own defense."

References and Supporting Documentation:

Keyword(s)	Reference
Section 16-3-4	Code of Alabama : 16-3-4 Removal of Members