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## PRIVILEGES OF STAFF NEGOTIATING ORGANIZATIONS

Except as may be expressly limited by negotiated agreement(s), the Board recognizes that public employees generally have the following rights:

- 1. to form, join, assist, participate in or refrain from forming, joining, assisting or participating in any employee organization;
- 2. to be represented by an employee organization;
- 3. to bargain collectively with their public employers to determine wages, hours, terms, other conditions of employment and continuation, modification or deletion of an existing provision of a collective bargaining agreement and enter into collective bargaining agreements and
- 4. to present grievances and have them adjusted, without the intervention of the bargaining representatives, as long as the adjustment is not inconsistent with the terms of the collective bargaining agreement then in effect and as long as the bargaining representatives have the opportunity to be present at the adjustment.

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LEGAL REFS.: ORC 4117.01; 4117.03; 4117.08; 4117.10

CONTRACT REFS.: Teachers' Negotiated Agreement

Classified Staff Negotiated Agreement