DICKSON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Equipment is defined as all items (machinery, implements, tools, furniture, livestock, vehicles, and other apparatus) with a unit cost of \$5,000 or more and a minimum useful life expectancy of three years. Freight charges and installation costs shall be included in the cost.*

General

The director of schools shall establish an accurate inventory procedure for all school real and personal (e.g., material and equipment) property, and this system shall be implemented at each school facility. Administrative personnel shall ensure that a physical count of all such property is taken at the end of each fiscal year, and this inventory shall be properly entered on the appropriate records for accounting purposes.¹

Each school shall maintain a complete inventory.

EQUIPMENT PROCURED WITH FEDERAL DOLLARS

For the purpose of Federal Programs, equipment is defined as an asset costing \$5,000 or more which are non-consumable and have an expected useful life of greater than one year. The \$5,000 amount includes freight and any other costs required to make the asset operable.

The director shall establish procedures for administrators to follow which meet all federal accountability guidelines, including guidelines for the purchasing, inventorying, security and disposition of all equipment purchased with federal funds.²

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¹ Tennessee Internal School Uniform Accts Policy Manual; Sec. 4-13

² EDGAR 43 Subtitle A Part 80.3234 CFR 80.3-52