BOARD OF EDUCATION STUDENT POLICY/EXECUTIVE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES March 25, 2015

I. Call to Order

Committee Chairperson Dr. Finkelstein called the meeting of the Student Policy/Executive Standing Committee of the Newington Board of Education to order at 6:21p.m.

II. Roll Call

Present at the meeting were Dr. Marc Finkelstein; Mr. Joshua Shulman; Mrs. Sharon Braverman; Mrs. Nancy Petronio; Mr. Kevin Borrup; Mr. Paul Vessella; Mrs. Jane Ancona Siegel; Dr. William Collins; Mr. Stephen Foresi; Mr. James Wenker; and Mrs. Pamela Muraca.

III. Public Participation

None

IV. <u>Unfinished Business</u>

None

V. New Business

Mrs. Muraca and Mr. Wenker shared information regarding the challenges ahead as a result of Newington's early implementation of statute 10-221a and Raised Bill #1059. The recommendation to amend Policy 6146(a) Graduation Requirements was made to provide time for the State Education Committee to act on Raised Bill#1059 which includes graduation credit delay to the Class of 2012 and additional requirements of the legislation. The amended policy would move the twenty-five credits graduation requirement to commencing with the graduating class of 2020. The Board of Education will take action on the policy at the April 8, 2015 meeting.

VI. Public Participation

None

VII. Adjournment

Mrs. Nancy Petronio moved the meeting be adjourned. The meeting was adjourned 6:49p.m.