GRAYSON RURAL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION

POLICY NO. 502

SUBJECT: EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE

I. OBJECTIVE

To encourage the participation of all employees in a continuing educational or training program at a bona fide post secondary institution.

II. CONTENT

- A. Employees may be advanced tuition and necessary fees incurred in the pursuit of job or degree related courses which:
 - 1. Have a clear and direct relationship to the needs of Grayson Rural Electric Cooperative Corporation subject to approval of employee's supervisor and the President & CEO.
 - 2. Are required for completion of a degree.
 - 3. Increase an employee's work effectiveness or prepare him/her for a job to which he/she can reasonably aspire.
 - 4. Will be accomplished during non-work hours without affecting his/her performance on the job.
 - 5. If the course is completed successfully, no reimbursement will be necessary. Failure to complete the course successfully will result in a probationary period for the employee, during which restitution of any monies paid will be required, including incremental withholdings from payroll. (Not less than a C Average)
- B. The policy is applicable to all full-time employees in good standing who have completed their probationary period.

III. RESPONSIBILITY

The President & CEO is responsible for establishing procedures under which this policy will be administered.

Roger L. Trent Chairman

Billy Ededdie Martin), Secretary/Treasurer

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