Materials or devices as part of the officially assigned teacher responsibility shall be the property of the District Board. Furthermore:

1. The District Board shall patent or copyright all such materials or devices in its own name; however, such items shall bear the name(s) of the creator(s).

2. All profits from the production of said material or devise shall be returned by the publisher or agent to the college. In order to stimulated such creations:
   
   a. Fifty percent (50%) of the profits shall be distributed and returned to the innovator(s) and producer(s) of the materials or devices;
   
   b. Fifty percent (50%) of the profits shall be placed in a research fund by the District Board.

When the materials or devices are created by an individual teacher on his or her own time, the following shall apply:

1. Any written material or patentable projects in the development form may be prepared at the college’s expense and sold through the bookstore at the cost of production and handling if used in MATC classes.

2. Such materials may be sold by MATC at cost to other Wisconsin vocational districts. However, these districts shall not have any reproduction rights.

3. The copyright and royalties are the property of the individual if the material has been created solely at the author’s expense on his or her own time.