RESCIND THE PRE-APPROVED RENAISSANCE SCHOOL PROPOSALS FOR BURROUGHS II ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND THE TRANSPORTATION ACADEMY OF CHICAGO

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

That the Board rescind the pre-approved Renaissance school proposals for the Burroughs II Elementary School and the Transportation Academy of Chicago.

DESCRIPTION: In October of 2007, the Board pre-approved Burroughs II Elementary School for opening in the Fall of 2008 (Board Report 07-1024-EX8) contingent upon the identification of a facility. Subsequent Board actions identified a temporary site for Burroughs II Elementary School (Board Report 08-0326-EX9) and changed the start date for Burroughs II to the fall of 2010 in order to locate a permanent site (Board Report 08-0827-EX7). In July of 2009 the Burroughs II design team notified the Office of New Schools of its intent to withdraw their proposal due to the non-identification of a permanent facility for the school.

In November of 2008, the Board pre-approved the Transportation Academy of Chicago for opening in the Fall of 2010 (Board Report 08-1119-EX11) contingent upon the identification of a facility. In October of 2009, the Transportation Academy of Chicago design team notified the Office of New Schools of its intent to withdraw their new school proposal due to the non-identification of a facility for the school.

The pre-approval status of the above referenced school proposals is rescinded and the school proposals are denied.

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