

OMNIBUS REPORT: REFUND/RETURN OF PREVIOUSLY ACCEPTED GRANT**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Authorize the refund/return of the following previously accepted grants because such refunds/returns exceed 10% of the original grant awards.

1. FUNDING SOURCE: Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

BOARD REPORT REFERENCE: No prior Board approval

RECEIVING SCHOOL/UNIT: Little Village Academy

GRANT AMOUNT: \$64,800.00

REFUND AMOUNT: \$58,320.00

PURPOSE OF GRANT: To install photovoltaic systems at schools that have mathematics and science curriculum that would use the technology aspects of solar electricity.

REASON FOR REFUND/RETURN: The consulting engineer for the proposed installer, Spire Solar Chicago, determined that the roof structure was unsuitable for a photovoltaic system and there was no way to do a fixed structure.

FUNDING PERIOD: October 1, 2002 to November 30, 2003

BUDGET CLASSIFICATION: 2590-281-577-7787-5990

AUTHORIZATION: Not applicable.

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: The unspent grants funds will be returned to the respective funding source.

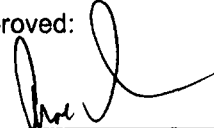
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 BARBARA EASON-WATKINS, Ed. D.
 Chief Education Officer

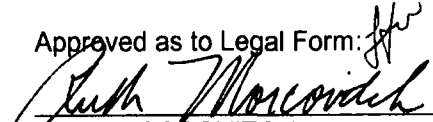
Within Appropriation:


 JOHN MAIORCA
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