

**RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO
REGARDING THE DISMISSAL OF JESUS VARGAS, TENURED TEACHER,
ASSIGNED TO CLEMENTE HIGH SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 34-85 of the Illinois School Code, 105 ILCS 5/34-85, a hearing was conducted before an impartial hearing officer, Angela R. Murphy, appointed by the Illinois State Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, after the conclusion of the dismissal hearing afforded Jesus Vargas, the hearing officer made written findings of fact and conclusions of law, and recommended the dismissal of Jesus Vargas; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the City of Chicago has reviewed the hearing transcript ("record") and exhibits entered into evidence, along with the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation of the hearing officer regarding the dismissal charges preferred against Jesus Vargas; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the City of Chicago finds that the facts constitute cause and grounds for Jesus Vargas' dismissal; and

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago that Jesus Vargas be dismissed;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, as follows:

Section 1: After considering the hearing officer's findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation, and after a thorough review of the entire record of the dismissal hearing, the Board of Education of the City of Chicago adopts the recommendation of the hearing officer.

Section 2: Jesus Vargas is hereby dismissed from his employment with the Board of Education of the City of Chicago.

Section 3: This Resolution shall take full force and effect upon its adoption.

THEREFORE, this Resolution is hereby adopted/~~rejected~~ by the members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago on August 22, 2007.