

**RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE NEW CHIEF AREA OFFICER POSITION  
IN BOARD RULES, POLICIES AND GUIDELINES**

**WHEREAS**, the Chicago Public Schools is undergoing restructuring of its organizational units; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Executive Officer has created the Chief Area Officer position as a successor classification to the Area Instruction Officer position; and

**WHEREAS**, many Board Rules, Policies and guidelines refer to the Area Instruction Officer; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board wishes to ensure that any references to the Area Instruction Officer position in Board Rules, Policies or guidelines are deemed to constitute reference to the successor classification.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND RATIFIED BY THE CHICAGO BOARD OF EDUCATION**

1. Effective August 30, 2009, any reference to the Area Instruction Officer in a Board Rule, policy or guideline is deemed to constitute reference to the Chief Area Officer.

2. To the extent that certain individuals assumed the position of Chief Area Officer prior to August 30, 2009, any lawful action taken by such individuals as the Chief Area Officer in furtherance of the duties otherwise specified for Area Instruction Officers in Board Rules, Policies or guidelines are hereby deemed ratified.