

January 26, 2011

**ADOPT FINDING THAT PUPILS ARE NON-RESIDENTS
OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO INDEBTED TO THE
CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR NON-RESIDENT TUITION**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:

That the Chicago Board of Education: (i) find that the custodial parent, mother, of former CPS pupils (ID #35413251), (ID#37467022), and (ID#36131012) was a non-resident of the City of Chicago from the time she enrolled the pupils thru 2008, while the identified students attended CPS schools; (ii) hold the pupils' custodial parent accountable as indebted to the Board for non-resident tuition for the pupils' attendance in the Chicago Public Schools for their respective times of enrollment, which occurred between September, 2004 thru 2008, in the total amount of \$61, 173.17; (iii) reject any objections by the parents to the Board's findings; and (iv) bar the pupils from continued and/or future attendance in the Chicago Public Schools unless and until all non-resident tuition owed is paid in full.

DESCRIPTION:

Sections 10-20.12a, 10-20.12b, 10-20.12c-5, and 10-20.12d (105 ILCS 5/10-20.12a, 10-20.12b, 10-20.12c-5, and 10-20.12d) of the Illinois School Code and Board Rule 5-12 authorize and empower the Board to charge tuition, not exceeding 110% of the per capita cost of maintaining its schools during the preceding school year, to pupils enrolled in the Chicago Public Schools determined to be non-residents of the City of Chicago. Further, section 10-20.12 c-5 provides that a hearing be held, when requested by the person who enrolled the pupils, to determine whether or not a pupil who is believed to be a non-resident resides within the City of Chicago. Pursuant to sections 10-20.12c-5 and 10-20.12d, if after notice of the initial determination of non-residency, the person who enrolled the pupil does not request a hearing or, if requested, the hearing results in a finding that the pupil does not reside in the district, the person who enrolled the pupil shall be charged tuition for the period of non-resident school attendance and the pupil shall be barred from attending school in the district unless the required tuition is paid for the pupil.

LSC REVIEW: LSC review is not applicable to this report.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION REVIEW: Affirmative action review is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL: If the pupil is found to have been a non-resident during any time the pupil attended the Chicago Public Schools, the person(s) who enrolled the pupil shall be charged tuition for that time.

PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: None.

Approved:


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Approved as to Legal Form: 

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General Counsel

Noted:


DIANA S. FERGUSON
Chief Financial Officer