

***Resolution Adopting Decision
in Connection with C18-20 and C22-20 (Consolidated)***

Whereas, at its meeting on September 29, 2020, the School Ethics Commission (Commission) voted to transmit C18-20 and C22-20 (Consolidated) to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) for a plenary hearing; and

Whereas, while at the OAL, the parties submitted an executed “Settlement Agreement” to the Honorable Tama B. Hughes, Administrative Law Judge (ALJ Hughes), for review; and

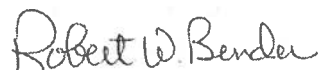
Whereas, ALJ Hughes reviewed the parties executed “Settlement Agreement,” and found that (1) the parties have voluntarily agreed to the settlement as evidenced by the signatures of the parties or their representatives, and (2) the settlement fully disposes of all issues in controversy and is consistent with law; and

Whereas, at a meeting on September 21, 2021, the Commission considered ALJ Hughes’ Initial Decision; and

Whereas, at its meeting on September 21, 2021, the Commission discussed adopting ALJ Hughes’ Initial Decision in the above-captioned matter as its Final Decision, but clarifying the “applicable law” as referenced in paragraph two (2) of the parties’ Settlement Agreement; and

Whereas, at its meeting on October 19, 2021, the Commission reviewed and voted to approve the within decision as accurately memorializing its actions/findings from its meeting on September 21, 2021; and

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, the Commission hereby adopts the within decision as its Final Decision, and directs its staff to notify all parties to this action of its decision herein.



Robert W. Bender, Chairperson

I hereby certify that this Resolution was duly adopted by the School Ethics Commission at its meeting on October 19, 2021.

Salma T. Chand

Salma T. Chand, Executive Director
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