

THE STATE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT / THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK / ALBANY, NY 12234

TO:

FROM:

SUBJECT:

P-12 Education Committee

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Revision to Charter authorized by the Board of Trustees of the State University of New York

DATE:

March 29, 2011

AUTHORIZATION(S):

<u>SUMMARY</u>

I recommend that the Board of Regents approve revisions to the following charters authorized by the Board of Trustees of the State University of New York (SUNY). The charter revision was approved by the SUNY Board of Trustees, at their March 18, 2009 meeting, in their capacity as charter school authorizers under Article 56 of the Education Law. The Board of Regents takes action on charter awards, revisions and renewals for all charter schools statewide.

Name of Charter School	Description of Charter Revision	Date approved by SUNY Board of Trustees
Excellence Charter School for Girls	Name change to: Excellence Girls Charter School	March 18, 2009

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

The proposed revised charters: (1) meet the requirements set out in Article 56 of the Education Law, and all other applicable laws, rules and regulations; (2) will permit the charter schools to operate in an educationally and fiscally sound manner; (3) are likely to improve student learning and achievement and materially further the purposes set out in subdivision two of section twenty-eight hundred fifty of Article 56 of the Education Law; and, where applicable, granting these applications would have a significant educational benefit to the students expected to attend the charter school.

MOTION FOR APPROVAL

VOTED: That the Board of Regents approves the above charter revision as proposed by the Trustees of the State University of New York and the provisional charter is amended accordingly.

The Regents action on the above listed charter school is effective immediately.