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**TO:** The Honorable Members of the Board of Regents

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**SUBJECT:** Registration of Religious and Independent High Schools

visited in the Spring of 2022

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**SUMMARY** 

### **Issue for Decision (Consent)**

Should the Board of Regents approve the registration of one nonpublic high school?

### Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by State statute.

#### **Proposed Handling**

This issue will come before the Full Board at its October 2022 meeting where it will be voted on and action taken.

#### **Procedural History**

Prior to the Covid pandemic crisis, the Board of Regents had acted on the registration of religious and independent high schools each year. There were no high school registration visits in 2020 or 2021.

### **Background Information**

Religious and independent high schools which have a senior class for the first time submit Applications for Nonpublic Secondary School Registration and are visited by a staff member from the State Office of Religious and Independent Schools. Approved registration of the religious and independent high schools will allow them to issue valid NYS diplomas and administer State examinations on-site, and the schools will become members of the University of the State of New York.

# **Related Regents Items**

Not applicable

# **Recommendation**

It is recommended that the Board of Regents take the following action:

VOTED: That the following school, which participated in the 2021-2022 nonpublic high school registration program, be registered:

School	County	Recommended Status
Yeshiva Tiferet Torah	Rockland	Registered

# <u>Timetable for Implementation</u>

This religious and independent high school will become registered upon approval of the Board of Regents.