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TO: The Honorable the Members of the Board of Regents
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SUBJECT: Registration of Public Schools
DATE: June 1, 2017
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SUMMARY

Issue for Decision (Consent Agenda)

Should the Regents register the public elementary, intermediate, and high schools listed in the attached table?

Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by Commissioner's Regulations Section 100.18.

Proposed Handling

The question will come before the Regents for action at its June 2017 meeting.

Procedural History

Beginning in July 2003, the Regents have annually approved the registration of new public schools. Since the date for submission of registration petitions was moved from June 1 to March 1 in 2012, the Department has in recent years been able to make recommendations to the Regents at their June meeting regarding registration of public schools.

Background Information

Commissioner's Regulations require that districts seeking to register a public elementary, intermediate, or high school must submit a petition to the Board of Regents.

The schools listed on the attached table are being recommended by the Commissioner for registration, based upon school districts submitting petitions and supporting materials for these schools certifying the districts' commitment to operate these schools in compliance with applicable statutes, rules, and regulations relating to public schools and in compliance with applicable building codes.

Attachment A contains a list of the schools for which districts have petitioned for registration effective with the beginning of the 2017-18 school year.

Following the Board of Regents taking action to register a school, the Commissioner, pursuant to section 100.18 of Commissioner's Regulations, will determine the accountability status of the newly registered school. A school district that seeks to register a new public elementary, intermediate or high school must submit an addendum to the petition that provides such information as:

- Student admission criteria, including those pertaining to English language learners and students with disabilities, as well as the zoning patterns;
- Staffing (administration and instructional);
- Curricula; and
- Facilities

This information is used to determine whether a school should open with an accountability status of "Good Standing" or if the school should carry over the accountability status of a school from which it split, into which it merged, or for which it is the successor.

Recommendation

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

VOTED: That the schools listed on the attached table be registered effective with the beginning of the 2017-18 school year.

Timetable for Implementation

Schools listed in Attachment A will be registered effective at the beginning of the 2017-18 school year.

Attachment A

Public Schools Recommended for Registration for the 2017 - 18 School Year

School Name	School District	School Street Address	2017-18 Grade Configuration	2017-18 Projected Enrollment	Grade Configuration at Full Growth	Projected Enrollment at Full Growth
50 North Lark Middle School	Albany City School District	50 North Lark Street Albany, NY 12210	6 - 8	415	6 - 8	600
Lewis J. Bennett High School of Innovative Technology	Buffalo City School District	2885 Main Street Buffalo, New York 14214	9 - 10	204	9 - 12	408
Riverside Academy High School	Buffalo City School District	51 Ontario Street Buffalo, New York 14207	9	125	9 - 12	500
Cortland Junior High School	Cortland City School District	S Valley View Drive Cortland, NY 13045	7 - 8	385	7 - 8	400
M.S. 297	New York City - 02	10 E 15 th St New York, NY 10003	6	150	6 - 8	900

School Name	School District	School Street Address	2017-18 Grade Configuration	2017-18 Projected Enrollment	Grade Configuration at Full Growth	Projected Enrollment at Full Growth
The Judith S. Kaye High School	New York City - 02	321 E 96 th St New York, NY 10128	6 - 12	50	6 - 12	200
Kappa VII	New York City - 07	600 St. Ann's Avenue Bronx, NY 10455	6 - 8	382	6 - 8	395
P.S. 583	New York City- 08	1028 White Plains Road Bronx, NY 10472	K	50	K - 5	300
P.S. 889	New York City- 22	510 Coney Island Ave Brooklyn, NY 11218	K	75	K - 5	450
M.S. 890	New York City - 22	510 Coney Island Ave Brooklyn, NY 11218	6	90	6 - 8	270
P.S. 376	New York City - 26	210-07 48 th Ave Queens NY 11364	K	75	K - 5	450
P.S. 377	New York City - 27	9840 Albert Rd Queens, NY 11418	K	75	K - 5	450

School Name	School District	School Street Address	2017-18 Grade Configuration	2017-18 Projected Enrollment	Grade Configuration at Full Growth	Projected Enrollment at Full Growth
Mary K. Vollmer Elementary School	Rush-Henrietta Central School District	150 Telephone Road West Henrietta, NY 14586	4-6	631	4-6	800
William Floyd Learning Center	William Floyd Union Free School District	111 Lexington Road. Suite Shirley, NY 11967	K-5	24	K-8	72