

APPROVE A SPECIAL ON-LOAN LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR SYLVIA S. GIBSON

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve a Special On-Loan Leave of Absence for Sylvia S. Gibson, Principal of Cregier Multiplex, to enable her to serve as Executive Director for New Leaders for New Schools program in Chicago. The New Leaders for New Schools program shall provide the Board with a written guarantee to reimburse the Board for the salary, benefits, payments and related expenses that the Board pays to Ms. Gibson during the term of the Leave. Information pertinent to this Leave is stated below.

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USER:

ADDRESS: New Leaders for New Schools
18 West 27th Street, Suite 7C
New York City, New York 10001
646-424-0900

Chicago Public Schools
Chief Education Office
5500 North Dearborn Street, Suite 100
Chicago, Illinois 60630
Chief Education Officer

425 South Clark Street,
Attn: Dr. Cozette Buckner
773-553-1500

This leave and reimbursement will begin June 1, 2001 and will end June 30, 2002. This leave is subject to mutual consent and subject to Board approval. This leave may be extended for up to a twelve (12) month period under the same terms and conditions of this leave.

SCOPE OF DUTIES: As Executive Director, Ms Gibson will be responsible for ensuring the success of the New Leaders principals corps in Chicago – and eventually improving the academic achievement of students in schools. New Leaders for New Schools graduates by: 1) leading the residency program for all New Leaders Fellows; 2) managing the process of recruiting and selecting outstanding New Leaders Fellows (for Chicago area); 3) managing the process of recruiting and selecting outstanding mentor principals; 4) establishing local partnership to support the Chicago program; 5) evaluating annually the quality and and maintaining key and establishing and monitoring operations to help achieve the New Leaders mission in Chicago.

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AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not Applicable

LSC REVIEW: Not Applicable

FINANCIAL: The Board will pay Sylvia S. Gibson's full salary, benefits, pension payments and related expenses.

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CONDITIONS:

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to obtain acceptance with the Board's Board of Education Inspector General. Each party shall acknowledge the Inspector General of the Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Approved:

Approved for Consideration:



Ezzette Buckney
Chief Education Officer




Paul G. Varas
Chief Executive Officer

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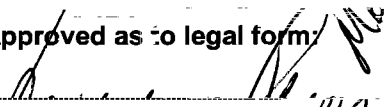
Within Appropriation:

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Kenneth C. Gotsch
Chief Fiscal Officer

Approved as to legal form:



Marilyn F. Johnson
General Counsel

