

APPROVE CHICAGO SISTER CITIES INTERNATIONAL

**SISTER SCHOOLS ABROAD PROGRAM TEACHER EXCHANGE
SPECIAL LEAVE WITHOUT LOSS OF SALARY – NORA FLYNN**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve a four week special leave of absence (October 18, 2004 – November 14, 2004) without loss of salary for Nora Flynn, member of the teaching force, to participate in the Chicago Sister Schools Abroad Teacher Exchange Program in Lucerne, Switzerland.

DESCRIPTION: This program provides opportunities for Chicago Public Schools (CPS) educators to

participate in teacher exchanges with schools in the twenty-four cities participating in the Chicago Sister Cities International Program.

Nora Flynn, a History teacher at Walter Payton College Prep High School, was invited by their Sister City school, Kantonsschule Luzern, to teach in Lucerne for four weeks from October 18, 2004 – November 14, 2004. The principal of Walter Payton College Prep High School approved the teacher's participation in the