

**AMEND BOARD REPORT 11-1214-EX5  
AMEND BOARD REPORT 11-0323-EX9**

**APPROVE THE RENEWAL OF THE CHARTER SCHOOL AGREEMENT WITH  
LAWNDALE EDUCATIONAL AND REGIONAL NETWORK (L.E.A.R.N.) CHARTER SCHOOL, INC.**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:**

~~Approve the renewal of the Charter School Agreement with Lawndale Educational and Regional Network~~

(L.E.A.R.N.) Charter School, Inc. for an additional five-year period. A new Charter School Agreement applicable to this renewal term will be negotiated. The authority granted herein shall automatically ~~repeal in the event a written Charter School Agreement is not executed by the Board and the charter~~

school's governing board within 120 days of the date of this Board Report. The agreement authorized ~~by this Board Report shall take effect upon notification by the Illinois State Board of Education, Information~~

Kindergarten through 8. The charter and Charter School Agreement were subsequently renewed for a ~~term ending July 15, 2000 and ending July 15, 2014 (authorized by Board Report 06-0000 EX14).~~

The agreement authorized the operation of a single facility charter school serving no more than 450 students in grades Kindergarten through 8. The charter and Charter School Agreement were

subsequently amended as follows:

~~Board Report 06-1220 EX3: Approved the correction of the date of the renewal term for the~~

In March 2011, L.E.A.R.N. Charter School also submitted a material modification to identify the facility located at 1700 W. 83<sup>rd</sup> Street as the location for the 2011 Campus.

In August 2011, L.E.A.R.N. Charter School submitted a request to do the following:

1. increase the elementary school campus to open in the fall of 2012 at a location to be determined; (b) increase the

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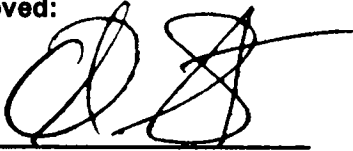
Acting Executive Officer, Director of the Office of New Schools and Programs to issue a letter notifying

the Illinois State Board of Education of the action(s) approved hereunder and to submit the approved proposal and signed Charter School Agreement to the Illinois State Board of Education for certification.

**LSC REVIEW:** Approval of Local School Councils is not applicable to this report.

**FINANCIAL:** The financial implications will be addressed during the development of the 2012-2013 and 2013-2014 fiscal year budgets. Since the School Code of Illinois prohibits the incurring of any liability unless an appropriation has been previously made, expenditures beyond FY10 are deemed to be

Approved:



**Oliver Sicat**  
**Chief Portfolio Officer**

Respectfully Submitted:



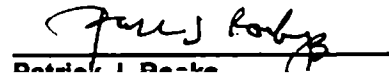
**Jean Claude Brizard**  
**Chief Executive Officer**

Within Appropriation:



**David Watkins**

Approved as to Legal Form: 



**Patricia J. Beck**