

July 24, 2002

**RATIFY ENTERING INTO A LEASE AGREEMENT WITH THE OPTION TO PURCHASE
SCHOOL FACILITIES AND PROPERTY AT 4034 W. 56TH STREET
(LOURDES HIGH SCHOOL)**

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

Ratify entering into a lease agreement (with an option to purchase) Lourdes High School, located at 4034 W. 56th Street, Chicago, Illinois. The Board ratifies taking possession of the premises as of July 1, 2002.

The written lease and option agreement are being finalized. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event the written lease (with an option to purchase) agreement has not been executed within 120 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this agreement is stated below.

LESSOR: Lourdes High School, Inc., a non-profit corporation, located at 4034 W. 56th Street, Chicago, Illinois 60630. The Lessor is a school operated by the Chicago Catholic Education Fund, Inc., a non-profit corporation, located at 1000 N. Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60610.

TENANT AND PURCHASER: Board of Education of the City of Chicago, located at 1000 N. Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60610.

LEASED PREMISES: Lourdes High School located at 4034 W. 56th Street (104,000 square feet) and 18 parking spaces, excluding certain areas ("Excluded Areas"). There is a shared use of certain space in the basement.

High School (up to 600 students) and to relieve overcrowding at Pasteur Elementary School (up to 200 students).

base rent (including the 18 parking spaces) will be \$42,608.33 per month for 7/1/02 to 6/30/03, \$45,203.18 for 7/1/04 to 6/30/05. The Board shall also pay for 18 per square foot of furniture, electricity and gas charges to the premises, among other things, for standard compensation insurance at \$19,600. The electricity and gas charge is adjusted from time to time.

MAINTENANCE: The Board shall be responsible for maintaining the leased premises and the base building systems that serve the Excluded Areas.

The Lessor shall be responsible for capital improvements to the leased premises. The Lessor reimburses the Board for 1/3 of the cost. The Board and the Lessor shall mutually provide commercial general liability, excess liability and employers' liability insurance coverage at the limits set forth in the lease and workers' compensation insurance at statutory limits.

Made out of (or) and to be replaced the cost in shares 50/50. If I ever desire to make any other capital improvements, the Board may either terminate the lease or the Lessor pays the cost up to 1/3 of the annual rent and the Board pays the balance. Upon termination of the lease due to a default by the Lessor, the unamortized amount (based on a straight line over 12 years) of the amount paid by the Board is repaid by the Lessor. Upon termination for any other reason, there is no repayment of amounts paid by the Board.

OPTION PRICE: The Board has the option to purchase the entire property, including the Excluded Areas, at market value as of the option date. The option must be exercised between July 1, 2004 and

4-2005. The lessee shall keep the building in good repair, which shall not be less than \$6,500.000.
0-2000. The lessee shall pay all taxes, assessments, insurance premiums, and other expenses of the property.
0-2000. The lessee shall make all improvements to the property made by the lessor during the term of the lease, to remain in the property until December 31, 2006 at a rent of \$1.00 per year (the lessor must repair and maintain branch plumbing, electrical and heating).