

**RATIFY EXTENDING THE AGREEMENT
FOR THE TALENT DEVELOPMENT HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Recommendation: The agreement with Johns Hopkins University (JHU) to provide the Talent

Development High School Program to the Office of High School Programs at a cost for the extension period not to exceed \$262,778.00. Consultant was selected on a non-competitive basis because of the unique qualification of the consultant to pursue Goal 1 of the Chicago Public Schools Educational Plan. A written extension document is currently being negotiated. No services shall be provided by consultant and no payment shall be made to consultant during the extension period prior to the execution of the written document. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written document is not executed within 90 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this extension is stated below.

CONSULTANT:

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curriculum in College Prep Reading and Writing and Algebra II Foundations. These classes will
replace the general Chicago Public Schools 11th grade offerings. Based on last year's data, it is

anticipated that 1700 freshmen and 1200 sophomores will be enrolled in the 8 Achievement
Academies and receive the TDHS program.

teachers; (ii) technical assistance for 2 days at the start of the school year; (iii) technical assistance
for 1 week every month for six (6) months after the start of the school year; (iv) implementation

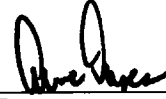
Contingent Liability - The agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability, subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year budget(s).

Approved for Consideration:



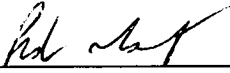
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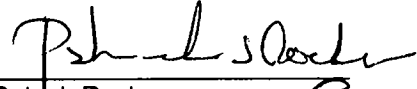
Arne Duncan
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Within Appropriation:



Pedro Martinez
Chief Financial Officer

Approved as to legal form: 



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General Counsel