

February 23, 2005

**APPROVE THE CANCELLATION OF CONTROLLED ENROLLMENT FOR
COLUMBIA EXPLORERS ACADEMY**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

Approve the voluntary cancellation of controlled enrollment for Columbia Explorers Academy located at 4520 S. Kedzie effective July 1, 2005.

A Public Hearing was held on January 13, 2005 at the Board Offices located at 125 S. Clark to receive public comment on the proposed cancellation of controlled enrollment.

DESCRIPTION: Approve the voluntary cancellation of controlled enrollment.

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION STATUS: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: Not applicable

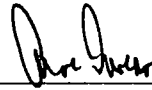
PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: This school will be staffed according to the ratios in the Agreement between the Board of Education of the City of Chicago and the Chicago Teachers Union.

Approved for Consideration:

Approved:



Barbara Eason-Watkins
Chief Education Officer



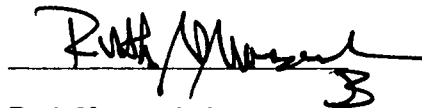
Arne Duncan
Chief Executive Officer

Within Appropriation:

Approved as to legal form:



John Maiorca
Chief Financial Officer



Ruth Moscovitch
General Counsel