May 25, 2022

RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO REGARDING THE DISMISSAL OF LINDSAY STAVRAKAS, TENURED TEACHER, ASSIGNED TO BUDLONG ELEMENTARY

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 34-85 of the Illinois School Code, 105 ILCS 5/34-85, a dismissal hearing was conducted before an impartial hearing officer, Steven Bierig, certified by the Illinois State Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, after the conclusion of the dismissal hearing afforded to Lindsay Stavrakas, the Hearing Officer made written findings of fact and conclusions of law and recommended the dismissal of Ms. Lindsay Stavrakas; and

WHEREAS, the parties were given an opportunity to submit exceptions and a memorandum of law in support of or in opposition to the Board's adoption of Hearing Officer Bierig's recommendation; and

WHEREAS, neither party submitted any such exception or memorandum of law; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the City of Chicago accepts the factual findings and conclusions of the hearing officer and concludes that the record establishes sufficient cause for dismissal of Ms. Lindsay Stavrakas.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, as follows:

Section 1: The Board of Education of the City of Chicago accepts the Hearing Officer's findings of fact, legal conclusions and recommendation for dismissal.

Section 2: Lindsay Stavrakas is hereby dismissed from her employment with the Board of Education of the City of Chicago effective May 25, 2022.

Section 3: This Resolution shall take full force and effect upon its adoption.

THEREFORE, this Resolution is hereby adopted by the members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago on May 25, 2022.