ESTABLISH THE MIRIAM G. CANTER MIDDLE SCHOOL

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

That the Miriam G. Canter School located at 4959 South Blackstone, Chicago, Illinois be a community middle school named the Miriam G. Canter Middle School with a grade structure from seventh through eighth grade effective June 26, 2002.

DESCRIPTION:

The change is necessary to give effect to Board Report 01-0328-ED17 dated March 28, 2001 and to effectuate a change in the educational focus of this attendance center. The Miriam G. Canter Middle School's two-year progressive and rigorous curriculum will have a global village focus consisting of subject area themes explored across disciplines by interdisciplinary teaching teams. The criteria for teacher selection at the Miriam G. Canter Middle School shall reflect the structure and content of the revised curriculum.

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not applicable

FINANCIAL: No additional cost to the Chicago Public Schools

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Approved for Consideration:

Respectfully Submitted,

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