## APPROVE A SPECIAL ON-LOAN LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR JAMES D. DOYIAKOS

## THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve a Special On-Loan Leave of Absence for James D. Doyiakos to enable him to work with the Chicago Academy of Sciences' Nature Museum as a teacher-on-loan for the "Teacher Leadership Center." The Academy of Sciences' Nature Museum shall provide the Board with a written guarantee to reimburse the Board for the full salary, benefits, pension payments and related expenses that the Board pays to Mr. Doyiakos during the term of the leave. Information pertinent to this leave is stated below:

ORGANIZATION:

Chicago Academy of Sciences' Nature Museum

Teacher Leadership Center 2060 North Clark Street Chicago, Illinois 60614

773-549-0606

**USER:** 

Department of Human Resources 125 South Clark Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Chicago, Illinois 60603

Attn: Ascencion Juarez, Chief Human Resources Officer

(773) 553-2690

TERM: The term of this leave and reimbursement will begin August 21, 2002 and will end June 30, 2003. By mutual consent, and subject to Board approval, this leave may be extended for up to a twelve (12) month period under the same terms and conditions of this leave.

SCOPE OF DUTIES: Mr. Doyiakos will be actively involved in overseeing the daily operations of the Teacher Leadership Center, including assisting teachers with curricula development, evaluating current resources and adding new resources, assisting in the evaluation of school programs and classroom materials, maintaining the Teacher Leadership Center website and monitoring the discussion board, and assisting museum educators in the development and implementation of year-round teacher and student workshops.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not applicable.

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: The Board will pay James Doyiakos' full salary, benefits, pension payments and related expenses and the Chicago Academy of Sciences' Nature Museum will reimburse the Board for these expenditures after receiving the Board's quarterly invoices.

BUDGET CLASSIFICATION: 1210-280-428-0215-5110

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

Inspector General – Each party shall acknowledge that in accordance with 105 1LCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Ethics – The Board's Ethics Code adopted September 27, 1995 (95-0927-RU3), as amended from time to time, shall be followed.

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Approved for Consideration:

**Barbara Eason-Watkins Chief Education Officer** 

Within Appropriation:

Kenneth Gotsch Chief Fiscal Officer Approved as to Legal Form:

Marilyn F. Johnson

**Attorney** 

Approved:

Arne Duncan

Chief Executive Officer