## APPROVE THE PARTICIPATION OF A. N. PRITZKER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN AN EDUCATIONAL TOUR TO WASHINGTON D. C. AND AUTHORIZE EXPENSES RELATED TO THE PROGRAM

## THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve the participation of sixty-eight (68) A.N. Pritzker Elementary School students in an educational tour to Washington D.C. from May 10<sup>th</sup> – May 12<sup>th</sup>, 2006 and authorize travel expenses related to the program if any.

**USER:** A.N. Pritzker Elementary School

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Dr. Joenile S. Albert - Reese, Principal

**PROGRAM:** Eighth Grade Educational Fieldtrip to Washington D.C.

**EDUCATIONAL VALUE/OUTCOMES:** Students will visit our Nation's Capitol and learn about the working of government as studied in the social studies curriculum and thereby value the workings of a democracy.

**TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS/TRIP INFORMATION:** Arrangements for this program are being made by Educational Tours Inc. as shown in attached proposed itinerary.

**COST:** The per person cost is \$664.59 which includes transportation, meals, hotel, costs, health and accident insurance, trip cancellation insurance, etc.. The costs will be paid by student fees and the Pritzker Youth Foundation Grant.

CHAPERONES: Supervision of students will be provided for this program pursuant to Board Report 03-0527-PO01 ("Policy on Student Travel"), including proper ratio of students to adults.

Traveling with the students will be Joenile Albert – Reese (Principal), Steven Bruehl (Teacher), Carlos Bester (Teacher), Nicole Menroe (Teacher), Miguel Santana (Teacher), Cynthia Sprague (Teacher), and Matthew Taylor (Tech. Coordinator).

**PARENTAL CONSENT:** Written parental consent and release forms for each student are on file at the A.N. Pritzker Elementary School.

**AUTHORIZATION:** Not necessary

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not applicable.

LSC REVIEW: Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL: No cost to the Board.

## **GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

Inspector General – Each party to any agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago 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.

Conflicts – Any agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to, former

Board members during the one-year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Contingent Liability - Any 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:** 

**Barbara Eason-Watkins Chief Education Officer** 

Approved:

Arne Duncan

**Chief Executive Officer** 

Noted:

John Maiorca

**Chief Financial Officer** 

Approved as to legal form:

**General Counsel**