## RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO REGARDING THE DISMISSAL OF KELLY LOUDON, A TEACHER ASSIGNED TO KENNEDY HIGH SCHOOL

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 34-85 of the Illinois School Code, 105 ILCS 5/34-85, a hearing was conducted before an impartial hearing officer, Medard M. Narko, appointed by the Illinois State Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, after the conclusion of the dismissal hearing afforded Kelly Loudon, the hearing officer made written findings of fact and conclusions of law, and recommended the dismissal of Kelly Loudon; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of the City of Chicago has reviewed the post-hearing briefs and hearing transcript ("record"), along with the findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation of the hearing officer regarding the dismissal charges preferred against Kelly Loudon; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Education of the City of Chicago finds that the facts constitute cause and grounds for her dismissal; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the opinion of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago that Kelly Loudon be dismissed.

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

Section 1: After considering the hearing officer's findings of fact, conclusions of law, and recommendation, and after a thorough review of the entire record of the dismissal hearing, the Board of Education of the City of Chicago adopts the recommendation of the hearing officer.

**Section 2**: The Board issues an Opinion and Order, under separate cover, setting forth additional legal reasons that Kelly Loudon's dismissal is justified.

**Section 3**: Kelly Loudon is hereby dismissed from her employment with the Board of Education of the City of Chicago.

**Section 4**: This Resolution shall take full force and effect upon its adoption.

**THEREFORE**, this Resolution is hereby adopted/rejected by the members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago on April 26, 2006.