

**A RESOLUTION TO CHANGE LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCY STATUS  
ADVOCATES FOR SCIENCE &  
MATHEMATICS EDUCATION, INC.**

**RESOLUTION  
Change in Local Educational Agency Status**

New Orleans Charter Science and Mathematics High School

WHEREAS, any charter school under the Orleans Parish School Board's jurisdiction may be considered its own LEA for funding purposes and statutory definitions pursuant to La. R.S. 17:10.7.1;

RESOLVED, that the Advocates for Science and Mathematics Education, Inc. (the "Advocates"), the operator of the New Orleans Charter Science and Mathematics High School (the "School"), is hereby authorized to take such steps as the Chair shall approve to enable the School to become its own Local Educational Agency (LEA) under procedures approved by the Orleans Parish School Board;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that if the Advocates request for the School to be considered its own LEA is approved by the Orleans Parish School Board, LEA status shall commence on July 1, 2017;

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Advocates is hereby authorized to take, and the Advocates hereby requests that the Orleans Parish School Board take, all actions and execute all documents required to enable the Advocates to become its own LEA, including without limitation, a written certification by the Advocates Chair that at all times the School is considered its own LEA it shall comply with the requirements of BESE Bulletin 126, and a new or amended operating agreement or other charter agreement required on account of such change of LEA status; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the officers of the Advocates be, and each of them hereby is, authorized, in the name and on behalf of the Advocates, to take all such further actions, to execute and deliver, in the name and on behalf of the Advocates, all agreements, instruments, and other documents as the Chair may approve as necessary, appropriate or advisable in order to accomplish the purposes of these resolutions.

**ORLEANS PARISH SCHOOL BOARD**

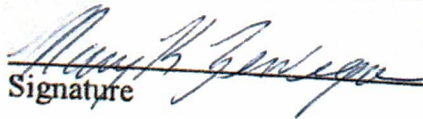
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**ADVOCATES FOR SCIENCE &  
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Print Name: Mary K Zervigon

Title: Board chair

Date: 3/13/17