## BOARD OF EDUCATION SAN DIEGO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

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In the Matter Of Adopting the Collaborative for High Performance Schools (CHPS) Criteria in Designing, Building and Operating All New Schools ) to be Built in the District

RESOLUTION

On motion of Member Lopez, seconded by Member Nakamura, the following Resolution is adopted:

WHEREAS, the District has determined that students learn best in an environment that is comfortable, healthy, naturally lit and well maintained, and studies have indicated that student achievement is greater and attendance higher when these conditions are met; and

WHEREAS, the District spends a substantial amount on energy costs each year, and studies show that energy costs for new facilities may be reduced by up to 25 percent; and

WHEREAS, the District will be building new schools and renovating existing schools and facilities which provide a unique opportunity to create state of the art facilities in support of teaching and learning, reduced operating costs, elevated teacher and staff retention, and an improved indoor environment by providing cleaner air, better acoustics, and natural light; and

WHEREAS, the Collaborative for High Performance Schools (CHPS) have developed comprehensive and complete design criteria based on the latest information available in high efficiency building construction, design and safe operation; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the San Diego Unified School District hereby adopts the Collaborative for High Performance Schools (CHPS) criteria to be used in designing, building, renovating and operating schools in the District.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Education of the San Diego Unified School District this <u>18th</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2003, by the following vote; which constitutes a two-thirds majority of said Board as required by law:

AYES:	Members	de Beck, Lopez, Nakamura, Ottinger, Zimmerman
NAYS:	Members	
ABSTAIN:	Members	
ABSENT:	Members	

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## STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) )SS: COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO )

I, CHERYL L. WARD, Board Action Officer of the Board of Education of the San Diego Unified School District, do hereby certify that the forgoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution duly adopted by said Board at a meeting thereof at the time and place and by the vote above stated, which Resolution is on file and of record in the office of said Board.

> Board Action Officer of the Board of Education Of the San Diego Unified School District

LEGALITY AND FORM APPROVED

SANDRA T.M. CHONG, Assistant General Counsel San Diego Unified School District

JW/lcb CHPS Resolution 101703