Amended Notice
February 14, 2011

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Chancellor

The Proposed Co-location of New School 07X522 with Alfred E. Smith Career and Technical Education High School (07X600) and Bronx Haven High School (07X381) in School Building X600

I. Description of the subject and purpose of the proposed item under consideration.

On January 15, 2011 the New York City Department of Education ("DOE") issued a proposal to co-locate a new school, 07X522 ("07X522") in school building X600 ("X600") located at 333 East 151st Street, Bronx, NY 10451, within the geographical confines of Community School District 7 ("District 7"). 07X522, a new high school with an inter-disciplinary and project-based curriculum, plans to offer five Career and Technical Education ("CTE") programs aligned to two distinct career pathways: Construction and Design/Pre-Construction. This notice was amended on January 19 to provide a date for the hearing at building X600. The DOE has now published an amended EIS, which corrects typographical and formatting errors, corrects the name of one organizations that participated in creating the new school proposal for 07X522, updates the sports offerings and performance data for Bronx Haven, clarifies the number of shop spaces, updates the status of other Bronx schools the DOE has proposed for phase-out, but which does not modify or revise the proposal itself.

If this proposal is approved, 07X522 would be co-located with Alfred E. Smith Career and Technical Education High School (07X600, "Alfred E. Smith") and Bronx Haven High School (07X381, "Bronx Haven"). Alfred E. Smith, an existing 9-12 school, would offer two CTE programs in the Facility Mobile Equipment Maintenance career pathway. Bronx Haven is an existing Transfer School with a Learning to Work program ("LTW"), which serves students in grades 9-12. A "co-location" means that two or more school organizations are located in the same building and may share common spaces like auditoriums, gymnasiums, libraries, and cafeterias.

Students would apply to 07X522 through the Citywide High School Admissions Process. 07X522 would have a Limited Unscreened admissions method. Limited Unscreened schools give admissions priority to students who demonstrate interest in the school by attending an Information Session, Open House events, or visiting the school's exhibit at any one of the High School Fairs.

The proposed new school would open in September 2011 with a ninth grade cohort. 07X522 would gradually phase in to X600 by adding one grade level every year until reaching its full grade span of 9-12 in 2014-2015. Alfred E. Smith is in the process of phasing down (i.e., reducing the number of incoming ninth grade students it admits in comparison with the number of students it admitted prior to 2010-2011). Bronx Haven was re-located to building X600 in

September 2010 is currently increasing its student enrollment. Bronx Haven is expected to complete its enrollment expansion in the 2013-2014 school year.

Alfred E. Smith will continue to reduce its enrollment and Bronx Haven will continue to increase its enrollment as planned. The X600 building has adequate capacity to accommodate the proposed new high school and the existing schools in the building in 2014-2015 at full operational capacity.

II. Information regarding where the full text of the proposed item may be obtained.

The amended Educational Impact Statement describing this proposal can be found on the Department of Education's Web site:
http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/2010-2011/Mar12011Proposals

Copies of the amended EIS are also available in the main offices of Alfred E. Smith and Bronx Haven.

III. Submission of public comment.

Written comments can be sent to HS.Proposals@schools.nyc.gov.
Oral comments can be left at 212-374-5159.

IV. The name, office, address, email and telephone number of the city district representative, knowledgeable on the item under consideration, from whom information may be obtained concerning the item.

Name: Izaak Orlansky
Office: Division of Portfolio Planning
Address: 52 Chambers St
Email: HS.Proposals@schools.nyc.gov
Phone: 212-374-5159

V. Date, time and place of joint public hearing for this proposal.

February 15, 2011
Alfred E. Smith / Bronx Haven
333 East 151st Street
Bronx, NY 10451

Questions about the proposal can be directed as indicated in section IV above.

Speaker sign-up will begin 30 minutes before the hearing and will close 15 minutes after the start. Interpretation services will be provided in Spanish. To request interpretation services in another language, please contact Mr. Orlansky at the e-mail address or telephone number above.

VI. Date, time and place of the Panel for Educational Policy meeting at which the Panel will vote on the proposed item.

March 1, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.
Brooklyn Technical High School
29 Fort Greene Place
Brooklyn, NY 11217