



Amended Notice
February 4, 2010

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Chancellor

Educational Impact Statement

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

Pending final approval of its application by the New York State Board of Regents, Hyde Charter School II (“Hyde II”), a new charter school that will serve grades K-12, will open and be temporarily housed in school building K328 (hereinafter referred to as “K328”), located at 330 Alabama Ave, Brooklyn in Community School District 19 (“District 19”). Beginning in the 2010-2011 school year, Hyde II will be co-located with P.S. 328 Phyllis Wheatly (hereinafter referred to as “P.S. 328”) in K328. Hyde II will open with grades kindergarten and 1 and will serve approximately 88 students in 2010-2011 and, subject to renewals of its charter, will grow to its full K-12 grade scale in 2021-2022. At scale, Hyde II will serve approximately 900 students.

The 2008-2009 target utilization rate of K328 was 58%, and its target capacity is 1,025. K328 has sufficient space for Hyde II and P.S. 328 to operate at full organizational capacity through the 2011-2012 school year, at which time Hyde II will serve grades K-2. Before the start of the 2012-2013 school year the Department of Education will reevaluate the available space in the building to determine whether Hyde II can remain in the K328 building.

The New York Charter Schools Act enables the creation of charter schools, which are independently run and publicly funded.

The Charter Schools Act states that charter schools shall be held to “performance-based” accountability systems and must meet measurable student achievement results. The DOE and the State University of New York (SUNY) hold schools they authorize to a minimum standard of 75% of students achieving proficiency.

The co-location of Hyde II and P.S. 328 in K328 addresses the need to alleviate overcrowding in District 19 elementary schools and to offer high quality K-12 options in District 19.

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

The [Educational Impact Statement](http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/Proposals_Feb_Vote) can be found on the Department of Education’s Web site: http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/Proposals_Feb_Vote

III. Submission of public comment.

Written comments can be sent to D19Proposals@schools.nyc.gov.

Oral comments can be left at 718-935-4390.

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

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

February 22 at 6:00pm
330 Alabama Ave, Brooklyn

VI. Date, time and place of the PEP meeting at which the Board will vote on the proposed item.

February 24, 2010
6:00pm
The High School of Fashion Industries
225 West 24 Street, Manhattan