



**Amended Notice**  
February 25, 2010

**Joel I. Klein**  
*Chancellor*

## **Educational Impact Statement**

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

In the 2010-2011 school year, York Early College Academy (28Q284, “YECA”), an existing school that serves students in grades 6-9, will move from its current location in Community School District 28 (“District 28”) to school building Q008, located at 108-35 167th Street in District 28. Q008 currently houses J.H.S. 008 Richard S. Grossley (28Q008, “J.H.S. 008”). YECA and J.H.S. 008 will be co-located in Q008.

YECA opened in 2006 and is currently phasing in one grade per year. It will continue to phase in one grade at a time at Q008 until it reaches its intended 6-12 grade scale in 2012-2013. The school is currently housed in school building Q072, located at 133-25 Guy R Brewer Boulevard in District 28. Q072 also houses J.H.S. 72, a middle school serving grades 6-8, and a District 75 program. At this time, there is no plan for the use of space made available in Q072 by the move of YECA. Any proposal to site an additional school in the building will be addressed in a separate educational impact statement.

The 2008-2009 target utilization rate of Q008 was 67%, and its target capacity was 1,620. Q008 has sufficient space for both YECA and J.H.S. 008 to operate at full organizational capacity.

Moving YECA from Q072 to Q008 will provide YECA with the space it needs to add grade 10 in 2010-2011 and grow to its intended 6-12 grade scale. This proposal will help to ensure that students in District 28 and Queens have access to a high quality secondary school options.

### **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/Feb_2_to_Mar_19_2010) can be found on the Department of Education’s Web site: [http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/Feb\\_2\\_to\\_Mar\\_19\\_2010](http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/Feb_2_to_Mar_19_2010).

### **III. Submission of public comment.**

Written comments can be sent to [D28Proposals@schools.nyc.gov](mailto:D28Proposals@schools.nyc.gov).

Oral comments can be left at 718-935-4198.

**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: Natalie Ondiak  
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**V. Date, time and place of joint public hearing for this proposal.**

March 9, 2010 at 7:00pm  
133-25 Guy R Brewer Boulevard, Queens

and

March 16, 2010 at 7:00pm  
108-35 167th Street, Queens

There will be no question and answer period. 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.

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

March 23, 2010  
6:00pm  
The Michael J. Petrides School  
715 Ocean Terrace, Staten Island