



Amended Notice
September 3, 2010

Joel I. Klein
Chancellor

REGULATION OF THE CHANCELLOR

Number: A-190

Title: SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN SCHOOL UTILIZATION AND PROCEDURES FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS HOUSING MORE THAN ONE SCHOOL

*Please note that the revised Instructional Footprint is now available under Key Documents at <http://schools.nyc.gov/community/planning>. Additionally, a re-formatted version of the proposed revision of Chancellor's Regulation A-190 is available at http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/A190Reg_Oct2010. This re-formatted document includes modified headers and pagination and corrects typographical errors, but does not include any substantive changes to the proposed revision.

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

Chancellor's Regulation A-190, Significant Changes In School Utilization And Procedures For The Management of School Buildings Housing More Than One School, updates and supersedes current regulation A-190 dated November 13, 2009. It sets forth the procedures to be followed for school closings or significant changes in utilization.

The regulation has been amended to clarify and expand procedures for providing notice and opportunity for input and comment regarding significant changes in school utilization, and to include procedures to be followed in connection with the location or co-location of one or more charter schools in an existing public school building. Other changes in the regulation include: the terms "affected community school district," "affected community education council ("CEC"), and "significant change in school utilization" have been clarified; a definition of "capital improvement or facility upgrade" is added; guides for use in creating Educational Impact Statements (EIS) are added; EIS filing requirements are clarified and provide that the EIS must be posted online and filed in hard copy with the PEP, affected CECs, community boards, superintendents, SLTs, and certain other bodies, as applicable, with hard copies available at affected schools; templates are added for Building Usage Plans and Shared Space Plans required for all buildings where a charter school is co-located with a DOE school; CCHS, CCSE and D75 Councils shall be invited to participate in joint hearings and to suggest agenda items for the joint public hearings; the role of Building Councils is set forth including a dispute resolution procedure; Shared Space Committee is defined to consist of the Building Council plus parent and teacher representative from each school for buildings in which a charter school is co-located with a DOE school; any capital improvements or facilities upgrades made to accommodate charter schools in DOE buildings in excess of \$5,000 must be matched by improvements or upgrades of an equal amount for all DOE schools in the same building; a process by which charter schools must apply for Chancellor's permission to perform capital improvements or facilities upgrades to charter school space in DOE buildings is established; and the

statutory right to appeal charter school co-locations and Building Usage Plans to the Commissioner of Education is added.

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

The full text of the proposed item can be found on the main page of the PEP website:

http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/A190Reg_Oct2010

III. 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 and to whom written or oral comments regarding the item under consideration can be submitted.

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

October 7, 2010
6:00 p.m.
New World High School
921 E. 228th Street
Bronx, NY