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Ronald Greenberg Loyola University 820 N. Michigan Ave. Chicago, IL 60611

Dear Mr. Greenberg:

Thank you for your interest in conducting research in The Chicago Public Schools. The Research Review Board of the Office of Research, Evaluation, and Accountability has reviewed your proposal for research entitled IMPACTS and has approved your request to conduct research. Although your study has been approved, school principals have final authority over activities that are allowed to take place in the school. If data collection continues beyond a year from this approval, please complete the Modification & Continuing Review Process Checklist.

Upon completion of the research study, a copy of the final report or summary of the results must be provided to the Research Review Board. The Board reserves the right to use the information in the research report or summary for planning, solicitation of grants and staff development.

Please note that your study has been assigned Project ID #347. If you have any questions, please contact Michelle Acker on my staff at 773-553-2452. Sincerely,

Amy Nowell

Chair, Research Review Board Office of Performance Management