

**THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD**

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In the Matter of:	)		
	)	Case No.:	14-PRO-00038
The VIP Room, LLC	)	License No:	94561
t/a The VIP	)	Order No:	2014-397
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Application for a New	)		
Retailer's Class CT License	)		
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at premises	)		
6201 3rd Street, N.W.	)		
Washington, D.C. 20011	)		

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**BEFORE:** Ruthanne Miller, Chairperson  
Nick Alberti, Member  
Donald Brooks, Member  
Herman Jones, Member  
Mike Silverstein, Member  
Hector Rodriguez, Member  
James Short, Member

**ALSO PRESENT:** The VIP Room, LLC, t/a The VIP, Applicant

Richard Bianco, of the Bianco Law Office, on behalf of the Applicant

Ronald Austin, Chair, Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 4B,  
Protestant

Margie Lehman, on behalf of the Group of Five or More Residents and  
Property Owners (Peck Group), Protestant

Martha Jenkins, General Counsel  
Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration

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**FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW,  
AND ORDER**

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## INTRODUCTION

The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board (Board) hereby denies the Application for a New Retailer's Class CT License filed by The VIP Room, LLC, t/a The VIP, (hereinafter "Applicant" or "The VIP"), because VIP's proposed location is within 400 feet of a school in violation of District of Columbia (D.C.) Official Code § 25-314(b)(1).

### *Procedural Background*

The Notice of Public Hearing advertising The VIP's Application was posted on April 11, 2014, and informed the public that objections to the Application could be filed on or before May 27, 2014. *ABRA Protest File No. 14-PRO-00038*, Notice of Public Hearing [*Notice of Public Hearing*]. The Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration (ABRA) received protest letters from Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 4B and a Group of Five or More Residents and Property Owners (Peck Group). *ABRA Protest File No. 14-PRO-00038*, Roll Call Hearing Results.

The parties came before the Board's Agent for a Roll Call Hearing on June 9, 2014, where all of the above-mentioned parties were granted standing to protest the Application. On June 25, 2014, the parties came before the Board for a Protest Status Hearing. Finally, the Protest Hearing in this matter occurred on August 13, 2014, where the Board examined the issue of whether VIP complied with § 25-314(b)(1).

## FINDINGS OF FACT

The Board, having considered the evidence, the testimony of the witnesses, the arguments of the parties, and all documents comprising the Board's official file, makes the following findings:

### **I. Background**

1. The VIP has submitted an Application for a New Retailer's Class CT License at 6201 3rd Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. *Notice of Public Hearing*. ABRA Investigator John Suero investigated the Application and prepared the Protest Report submitted to the Board. *ABRA Protest File No. 14-PRO-00038, Protest Report* (Jul. 2014) [*Protest Report*]. On July 24, 2014, Investigator Suero submitted a supplemental report. *Case Report 14-PRO-00038(a), 1* (Jul. 24, 2014).

### **II. National Children's Center School**

2. The supplemental report indicates that the National Children's Center School (NCC) is located at 201 Rittenhouse Street, N.W. *Id.* at Exhibit 1. Investigator Suero visited the school on July 24, 2014. *Id.* at 1. He interviewed Tarlesha S. Wayne, Principal of D.C. Schools, and Michelle Young, Principal of Maryland Schools. *Id.* at 1.

3. NCC has two properties in the neighborhood: one at 201 Rittenhouse Street, N.W., and one at 210 Sheridan Street, N.W. *Transcript*, August 13, 2014 at 21. During his visit to the campus, one of the principals stated that NCC did not use the property for solely administrative purposes. *Id.* at 23. Further, Investigator Suero observed students on the premises. *Id.* at 23.

4. Exhibit 6 shows that VIP's proposed location of 6201 3rd Street, N.W., is located within 400 feet of 201 Rittenhouse Street, N.W. *Case Report 14-PRO-00038(a)* at Exhibit 6.

### III. OSSE

5. The District of Columbia Office of State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) has been authorized to “. . . issue a certificate of approval to a nonpublic special education school or program . . . serving students with disabilities funded by the District of Columbia.” 5-A DCMR § 2800 (West Supp. 2014). Under OSSE's regulations, “OSSE shall publish and make available the list of nonpublic special education schools or programs, including the current level of approval of each school or program.” 5-A DCMR § 2804.1 (West Supp. 2014).

6. The Board takes administrative notice of list of “Approved Nonpublic Day Schools” published by the Division of Specialized Education within OSSE. Division of Specialized Education, *Approved Nonpublic Day Schools*, OSSE, 1-8 (July 8, 2014).<sup>1</sup> According to the list, the National Children's Center's Northwest Campus is located at 201 Rittenhouse Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20011. *Id.* at 5. The school starts at First Grade and ends at Twelfth Grade. *Id.* The age range of the school is listed as serving students between the ages of 6 and 22. *Id.* The school serves children with various types of disabilities, including autism, emotional disturbance, orthopedic impairment, and traumatic brain injury. *Id.* OSSE indicates that the Northwest Campus of the National Children's Center has received “[f]ull” approval. *Id.* The list further treats the Southeast Campus of the National Children's Center as a separate facility that also has “[f]ull” approval. *Id.* OSSE's list of approved nonpublic day schools is current as of July 8, 2014. *Id.* at 1.

### CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

7. As the applicant, the burden is on VIP to demonstrate through substantial evidence that its proposed location qualifies for licensure under § 25-314(b)(1). *Haight v. D.C. Alcoholic Beverage Control Bd.*, 439 A.2d 487, 493 (D.C. 1981); D.C. Official Code § 2-509(b), 25-314(b)(1); 23 DCMR § 1718.3 (West Supp. 2014).

8. D.C. Official Code § 25-314(b)(1) prohibits the Board from issuing a license “. . . within 400 feet of a public, private, or parochial primary, elementary, high school . . . or recreation area operated by the District of Columbia Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) . . .” D.C. Official Code § 25-315(b)(1). When measuring distances, the Board measures “linearly” and looks to “. . . the shortest distance between the property lines of the places.” D.C. Official Code § 25-312(c); *see also* 23 DCMR § 101.2 (West Supp. 2014).

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<sup>1</sup> On August 27, 2014, Investigator John Suero received an email from Edgar Stewart, a Supervisory Monitoring Specialist with OSSE, containing the list of schools issued certificates of approval. The Board adds the email and attachments submitted by Mr. Stewart to the record and attached to this Order.

9. The dictionary defines an “elementary school” as “[a] school usu[ally] for the first six to eight grades.” WEBSTER’S II NEW COLLEGE DICTIONARY, 364 (2001) (“elementary school”). A high school is defined as “[a] secondary school of grades 9 or 10 through 12 or grades 7 through 12.” *Id.* at 523 (“high school”).

10. Here, NCC is authorized by OSSE to operate as a “nonpublic special education school” for students with disabilities. *Supra*, at ¶ 5. The school serves children ranging in age from 6 to 22. Consequently, NCC constitutes a private elementary and high school under § 25-314(b)(1).

11. NCC is located at 201 Rittenhouse Street, N.W., while VIP is located at 6201 3rd Street, N.W. *Supra*, at ¶¶ 1-2. Exhibit 6 shows that VIP’s proposed location is within 400 feet of the NCC’s campus. *Supra*, at ¶ 4. Therefore, by law, the Board is prohibited from issuing a license at 6201 3rd Street, N.W., because the location is located within 400 feet of a private school.

### ORDER

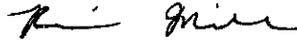
Therefore, the Board, on this 15th day of October 2014, hereby **DENIES** the Application for a New Retailer's Class CT License at premises 6201 3rd Street, N.W. filed by The VIP Room, LLC, t/a The VIP.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the issue of whether VIP satisfies the § 25-314(b)(1) vis-à-vis the nearby recreation center is moot.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the motions filed by the parties in this matter are moot.

The ABRA shall deliver a copy of this order to the Applicant, ANC 4B, and Ms. Lehman on behalf of the Peck Group.

District of Columbia  
Alcoholic Beverage Control Board



Ruthanne Miller, Chairperson



Nick Alberti, Member

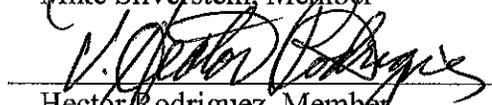


Donald Brooks, Member

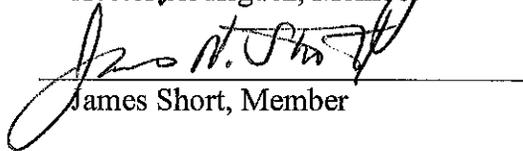
Herman Jones, Member



Mike Silverstein, Member



Hector Rodriguez, Member



James Short, Member

Pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1, any party adversely affected may file a Motion for Reconsideration of this decision within ten (10) days of service of this Order with the Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration, Reeves Center, 2000 14th Street, NW, 400S, Washington, D.C. 20009.

Also, pursuant to section 11 of the District of Columbia Administrative Procedure Act, Pub. L. 90-614, 82 Stat. 1209, D.C. Official Code § 2-510 (2001), and Rule 15 of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, any party adversely affected has the right to appeal this Order by filing a petition for review, within thirty (30) days of the date of service of this Order, with the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, 500 Indiana Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001. However, the timely filing of a Motion for Reconsideration pursuant to 23 DCMR § 1719.1 stays the time for filing a petition for review in the District of Columbia Court of Appeals until the Board rules on the motion. See D.C. App. Rule 15(b) (2004).

## Suero, John (ABRA)

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**From:** Stewart, Edgar (OSSE)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 27, 2014 3:18 PM  
**To:** Suero, John (ABRA)  
**Cc:** Masoodi, Jennifer (OSSE)  
**Subject:** National Children's Center information  
**Attachments:** NCC - Amendment COA - 12.19.12.pdf; NP List - Day - 5.30.14.pdf

Good afternoon Mr. Suero,

As per your request, please find the attached certificate of approval (COA) documents along with the following information regarding the National Children's Center (NCC). NCC has a COA granted by the District of Columbia (DC) Office of the State Superintendent of Education to provide special education services to DC students. As of today (8/26/14), NCC's school currently serves DC students, providing them with instructional and related services.

Best regards,

Edgar Stewart

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Get involved! Give input on the draft Age-Friendly DC goals and objectives at community meetings in August and September.



December 19, 2012

Amendment to Certificate of Approval issued on November 7, 2012, to

**National Children's Center, Inc.**

Campus Name	Campus Address	Nonpublic Type	Disabilities Served	Grades	Ages	Approval Status	Expiration Date
National Children's Center- NW Campus	201 Rittenhouse Street, NW, Washington, DC 20011	Day	AU, ED, ID, HI, SLI, OI, OHI, SLD, MD, TBI, DD	1st-12th	6-22	Full	11/7/2015
National Children's Center- SE Campus (Upper)	3400 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., SE, Washington DC 20032	Day	AU, ED, ID, HI, SLI, OI, OHI, SLD, MD, TBI, DD	1st-12th	6-22	Full	11/7/2015

5 DCMR §A-2803.3: A nonpublic special education school or program shall operate in a manner consistent with the specifications of the certificate of approval and may not extend, assign, or transfer a certificate of approval status to additional operating sites.

5 DCMR §A-2803.4: A nonpublic special education school or program shall notify OSSE in writing and submit an application to amend its certificate of approval before a change in circumstances occurs. A change in circumstances includes without limitation, a change of ownership, accreditation status, location, or other form of change in operation that is inconsistent with information or specifications submitted to OSSE. If a nonpublic special education school or program expects to experience a change in circumstances, it shall: (a) Notify OSSE in writing at least sixty (60) calendar days before a change in circumstance(s); and (b) Submit to OSSE specific documentation to describe the change, including any additional information requested by OSSE.

Amy Maisterra, Ed.D., MSW  
 Assistant Superintendent of Specialized Education





Division of Specialized Education  
 Approved Nonpublic Day Schools – as of 5.30.2014

**KEY**

Disability	Abbreviation
Autism	AU
Deaf-blindness	DB
Deafness	D
Developmental Delay	DD
Emotional disturbance	ED
Hearing impairment	HI
Intellectual disabilities (formerly mental retardation)	ID
Multiple disabilities	MD
Orthopedic impairment	OI
Other health impairment	OHI
Specific learning disability	SLD
Speech or language impairment	SLI
Traumatic brain injury	TBI
Visual impairment	VI



**Day Schools**

SCHOOL/PROGRAM	CAMPUS/ PHYSICAL ADDRESS	TELEPHONE/FAX NUMBERS	GRADES	AGES	DISABILITIES SERVED	APPROVAL STATUS	WEB ADDRESS
Accotink	Accotink Academy 8533 Tuttle Road Springfield, VA 22152	Phone: 703-451-8041 Fax: 703-569-5365	K – 12 <sup>th</sup>	5-22	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SU	Full	<a href="http://www.accotinkcenter.com">www.accotinkcenter.com</a>
	Accotink Alternative Learning Center 6228 Rolling Road, # F Springfield, VA 22152	Phone: 703-644-9072 Fax: 703-644-9074	7 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>	12-22	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.accotinkcenter.com">www.accotinkcenter.com</a>
Chelsea School	2970 Belcrest Center Drive Hyattsville, MD 20782	Phone: 301-585-1430 Fax: 301-585-5865	5 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>	10-21	MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.chelseaschool.edu">www.chelseaschool.edu</a>
Children's Guild	Children's Guild - Baltimore Campus 410 East Jeffrey Street Baltimore, MD 21225	Phone: 410-444-3800 Fax: 410-426-6105	Pre-K – 12 <sup>th</sup>	3-21	AU, ED, ID, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.childrenguild.org">www.childrenguild.org</a>
	Children's Guild - Prince George's County 5702 Sargent Road Chillum, MD 20782	Phone: 301-853-7370 Fax: 301-853-7376	K – 8 <sup>th</sup>	6-14	AU, ED, ID, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.childrenguild.org">www.childrenguild.org</a>
Community School of Maryland (CSAAC)	Community School of Maryland – Brookeville 21515 Zion Road Brookeville, MD 20833	Phone: 240-912-3694 Fax: 301-208-7259	Nongraded	7-21	AU, DD	Full	<a href="http://www.csaac.org">www.csaac.org</a>
	Community School of Maryland at Northwood High School 919 University Boulevard West Silver Spring, MD 20912	Phone: 301-649-8203 Fax: 240-813-1005	Nongraded	14-21	AU	Full	<a href="http://www.csaac.org">www.csaac.org</a>
Episcopal Center for Children	5901 Utah Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20015	Phone: 202-363-1333 Fax: 202-537-5044	K – 6 <sup>th</sup>	5-12	ED, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.eccofdc.org">www.eccofdc.org</a>
The Forbush School	The Forbush School at Oakmont – Upper 610 E. Diamond Avenue, Suite E Gaithersburg, MD 20877	Phone: 301-330-4359 Fax: 301-330-0533	7 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> ; Nongraded	12-21	AU, DD	Full	<a href="http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx">http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx</a>
	The Forbush School at Glyndon 407 Central Avenue Reisterstown, MD 21136	Phone: 410-517-5400 Fax: 410-517-5600	K – 12 <sup>th</sup> Nongraded	2-21	AU, ED, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx">http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx</a>
	The Forbush School at Prince George's County 4949 Addison Road Capital Heights, MD 20743	Phone: 240-667-1423 Fax: 240-764-6764	Nongraded	5-21	AU	Full	<a href="http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx">http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx</a>
	The Forbush Therapeutic Preschool at Towson 6501 North Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21285	Phone: 410-938-4411 Fax: 410-938-4412	K – 3 <sup>rd</sup> ; Nongraded	3-7	AU	Full	<a href="http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx">http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx</a>
	The Forbush School at Hunt Valley 11201 Pepper Road Hunt Valley, MD 21031	Phone: 410-527-9505 Fax: 410-527-0329	K – 8 <sup>th</sup> ; Nongraded	5-21	AU, DD	Full	<a href="http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx">http://www.sheppardpratt.org/default.aspx</a>

**Day Schools**

SCHOOL/PROGRAM	CAMPUS/ PHYSICAL ADDRESS	TELEPHONE/FAX NUMBERS	GRADES	AGES	DISABILITIES SERVED	APPROVAL STATUS	WEB ADDRESS
The Foundation School	The Foundation School - Prince George's County 1330 McCormick Drive Largo, MD 20774	Phone: 301-773-3500 Fax: 301-386-4479	1 <sup>st</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	6-21	ED, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.foundationsschools.org">www.foundationsschools.org</a>
	The Foundation School - Montgomery County 220 Girard Street, Suite 300 Gaithersburg, MD 20877	Phone: 301-740-7807 Fax: 301-740-7809	1 <sup>st</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	6-21	ED, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.foundationsschools.org">www.foundationsschools.org</a>
The Frost School	4915 Aspen Hill Road Rockville, MD 20853	Phone: 301-933-3451 Fax: 301-933-0350	K - 12 <sup>th</sup>	5-21	AU, ED, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.frostschoo.org">www.frostschoo.org</a>
Hannah More School	12039 Reisterstown Road Reisterstown, MD 21136	Phone: 410-526-5000 Fax: 410-526-7631	6 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	10-21	AU, ED, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI, TBI	Full	<a href="http://www.hannahmore.org">www.hannahmore.org</a>
The Harbour School	The Harbour School at Annapolis 1277 Green Holly Drive Annapolis, MD 21409	Phone: 410-974-4248 Fax: 410-757-3722	1 <sup>st</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	6-21	AU, ID, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.harbourschool.org">www.harbourschool.org</a>
	The Harbour School at Baltimore 11251 Dolfield Boulevard Owings Mills, MD 21117	Phone: 443-394-3760 Fax: 443-394-3765	1 <sup>st</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	6-21	AU, ID, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.harbourschool.org">www.harbourschool.org</a>
Specialized Education Services, Inc. - High Road of Maryland	High Road Academy of Howard County 9705 Washington Boulevard Laurel, MD 20723	Phone: 301-483-8605 Fax: 301-483-3182	3 <sup>rd</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	10-21	AU, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
	High Road Academy of Prince George's County 5100 Philadelphia Way Lanham, MD 20706	Phone: 301-429-6191 Fax: 301-429-6194	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	8-21	ED, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
	High Road School of Prince George's County 1441 McCormick Drive, Suite 1050 Largo, MD 20774	Phone: 301-636-6614 Fax: 301-324-8903	3 <sup>rd</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	8-21	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
	High Road School of Southern Maryland 95 Catalpa Drive, Suite 100 La Plata, MD 20646	Phone: 301-392-6377 Fax: 301-392-6371	6 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	12-21	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
	High Road Upper School of Prince George's County 12050 Baltimore Avenue Beltsville, MD 20705	Phone: 301-210-4860 Fax: 301-210-4863	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	13-21	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
Specialized Education Services, Inc. - High Road of Washington, DC	High Road Academy of DC 711-A Edgewood Street, NE Washington, DC 20017	Phone: 202-529-7677 Fax: 202-529-7678	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	14-21	AU, ED, ID, MD OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
	High Road Primary & Middle Academy of DC 1530 1 <sup>st</sup> Street, SW	Phone: 202-291-1042 Fax: 202-291-1045	K - 8 <sup>th</sup>	5-13	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>

Day Schools							
SCHOOL/PROGRAM	CAMPUS/ PHYSICAL ADDRESS	TELEPHONE/FAX NUMBERS	GRADES	AGES	DISABILITIES SERVED	APPROVAL STATUS	WEB ADDRESS
	Washington, DC 20024 High Road Primary & Middle School of DC 1530 1 <sup>st</sup> Street, SW Washington, DC 20024	Phone: 202-722-7900 Fax: 202-799-7930	K - 8 <sup>th</sup>	5-13	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
	High Road Upper School of DC 711-B Edgewood Street, NE Washington, DC 20017	Phone: 202-635-7171 Fax: 202-635-7172	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	14-21	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.highroadschool.com">www.highroadschool.com</a>
The Ivymount School, Inc.	11614 Seven Locks Road Rockville, MD 20854	Phone: 301-469-0223 Fax: 301-469-0778	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	4-21	AU, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.ivymount.org">www.ivymount.org</a>
The Katherine Thomas School	9975 Medical Center Drive Rockville, MD 20850	Phone: 301-738-9691 Fax: 301-738-8897	Pre-K - 12 <sup>th</sup>	4-21	AU, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.ttlc.org">www.ttlc.org</a>
The Kellar School of Inova Kellar Center	11204 Waples Mill Road Fairfax, VA 22030	Phone: 703-218-8500 Fax: 703-359-0463	3 <sup>rd</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	9-20	AU, ED, MD, OHI, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.inova.org/healthcare-services/inova-kellar-center/kellarschool.jsp">www.inova.org/healthcare-services/inova-kellar-center/kellarschool.jsp</a>
	Kennedy Krieger at Fairmount Campus - LS/MS 1750 E. Fairmount Avenue Baltimore, MD 21231	Phone: 443-923-9100 Fax: 443-923-4525	K-8 <sup>th</sup>	5-14	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, TBI	Full	<a href="http://www.KennedyKrieger.org">www.KennedyKrieger.org</a>
	Kennedy Krieger at Greenspring - High School 3825 Greenspring Avenue Baltimore, MD 21211	Phone: 443-923-7800 Fax: 443-923-7805	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	14-21	AU, ED, ID, MD, OI, OHI, SLD, SLI, TBI	Full	<a href="http://www.KennedyKrieger.org">www.KennedyKrieger.org</a>
Kennedy Krieger	Kennedy Krieger at Greenspring - L.E.A.P. Program 3825 Greenspring Avenue Baltimore, MD 21211	Phone: 443-923-7800 Fax: 443-923-7805	Nongraded	5-21	AU, ID, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.KennedyKrieger.org">www.KennedyKrieger.org</a>
	Kennedy Krieger at Montgomery County Campus 12301 Academy Way Rockville, MD 20852	Phone: 443-923-4170 Fax: 443-923-4181	3 <sup>rd</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> and 9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-21	AU, ID, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.KennedyKrieger.org">www.KennedyKrieger.org</a>
	Kingsbury Day School 5000 14 <sup>th</sup> Street, NW Washington, DC 20011	Phone: 202-722-5555 Fax: 202-722-5531	Nongraded; 9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	5-19	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, TBI	Full	<a href="http://www.kingsbury.org">www.kingsbury.org</a>
Kingsbury Center, Inc.	Kingsbury Day School - HOPE Program 5000 14 <sup>th</sup> Street, NW Washington, DC		9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	14-21	AU, HI, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI, TBI, VI	Full	<a href="http://www.kingsbury.org">www.kingsbury.org</a>
Lab School of Washington, The	4759 Reservoir Road, NW Washington, DC 20007	Phone: 202-965-6600 Fax: 202-454-2269	K - 12 <sup>th</sup>	6-19	MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.labschool.org">www.labschool.org</a>
Lt. Joseph P. Kennedy	Kennedy School	Phone: 202-281-2757	Nongraded	5-22	ED, ID, MD, OHI,	Full	<a href="http://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org">www.catholiccharitiesdc.org</a>

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SCHOOL/PROGRAM	CAMPUS/ PHYSICAL ADDRESS	TELEPHONE/FAX NUMBERS	GRADES	AGES	DISABILITIES SERVED	APPROVAL STATUS	WEB ADDRESS
Institute	801 Buchanan Street, NE Washington, DC 20017	Fax: 202- 529-1368			SLD, SLI, TBI		
	Kennedy School - St. Ann's, Inclusion 4404 Wisconsin Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20016	Phone: 202-281-2757 Fax: 202-529-1368	K - 8 <sup>th</sup>	5-15	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI, TBI	Full	<a href="http://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org">www.catholiccharitiesdc.org</a>
	Kennedy School at Dunbar High School, Inclusion 1301 New Jersey Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20240	Phone: 202-281-2757 Fax: 202-529-1368	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	15-22	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI, TBI	Full	<a href="http://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org">www.catholiccharitiesdc.org</a>
	Kennedy at Department of Interior, Project SEARCH 1849 C Street, NW Washington, DC 20240	Phone: 202-281-2757 Fax: 202-529-1368	Nongraded	18-22	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI, TBI	Full	<a href="http://www.catholiccharitiesdc.org">www.catholiccharitiesdc.org</a>
The Maryland School for the Blind	3501 Taylor Avenue Baltimore, MD 21236	Phone: 410-444-5000 Fax: 410-319-5719	Pre-K - 12 <sup>th</sup>	Birth- 21	AU, DB, HI, ID, MD, OHI, OI, SLD, SLI, TBI, VI	Full	<a href="http://www.mdschblind.org">www.mdschblind.org</a>
The Monroe School, Inc.	2060 West Virginia Avenue, NE 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Washington, DC 20002	Phone: 202-399-8350 Fax: 202-399-8353	6 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-21	ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.monroeschool.net">www.monroeschool.net</a>
National Children's Center	National Children's Center - NW Campus 201 Rittenhouse Street, NW Washington, DC 20011	Phone: 202-722-2333 Fax: 202-722-2503	1 <sup>st</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	6-22	AU, ED, ID, HI, SLI, OI, OHI, SLD, MD, TBI, DD	Full	<a href="http://www.nccinc.org">www.nccinc.org</a>
	National Children's Center - SE Campus (Upper) 3400 Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20032	Phone: 202-279-4900 Fax: 202-279-4961	1 <sup>st</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup>	6-22	AU, ED, ID, HI, SLI, OI, OHI, SLD, MD, TBI, DD	Full	<a href="http://www.nccinc.org">www.nccinc.org</a>
New Beginnings Vocational Program LLC	2060 West Virginia Avenue, NE Washington, DC 20002	Phone: 202-636-1190 Fax: 202-636-1192	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	16-22	ED, ID, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.newbeginningsvocational.com">www.newbeginningsvocational.com</a>
New Vision's Academy	New Vision's Academy at Baltimore County 7131 Rutherford Road Baltimore, MD 21244	Phone: 410-298-2691 Fax: 410-298-0835	6 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-21	ED	Full	<a href="http://www.thementornetwork.com">www.thementornetwork.com</a>
Oak Valley Center	11230 Waples Mill Road Suite 100 Fairfax, VA 22030	Phone: 703-591-1146 Fax: 703-591-1148	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	7-21	ED, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.oakvalleycenter.com">www.oakvalleycenter.com</a>
The Pathways School	The Pathways School - Crossland Re-Entry 6901 Temple Hills Road Temple Hills, MD 20748	Phone: 301-449-3173 Fax: 301-449-3047	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-22	ED, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.pathwayschools.org">www.pathwayschools.org</a>
	The Pathways School - DuVal Re-Entry	Phone: 301-794-5872	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-22	ED, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.pathwayschools.org">www.pathwayschools.org</a>

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	9880 Good Luck Road Lanham, MD 20706	Fax: 301-794-7845					
	The Pathways School - Edgewood 801 University Blvd West Silver Spring, MD 20901	Phone: 301-681-4112 Fax: 301-681-4113	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-22	ED, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.pathwayschools.org">www.pathwayschools.org</a>
	The Pathways School - Northwood at Hyattsville 3401 East West Highway, Suite 240 Hyattsville, MD 20782	Phone: 301-853-3923 Fax: 301-853-3925	6 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-22	ED, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.pathwayschools.org">www.pathwayschools.org</a>
	Springville 2601 University Blvd West, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Wheaton, MD 20902	Phone: 301-942-1115 Fax: 301-942-7677	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-22	ED, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.pathwayschools.org">www.pathwayschools.org</a>
PHILLIPS Program for Children and Families	PHILLIPS School at Annandale 7010 Braddock Road Annandale, VA 22003	Phone: 703-941-8810 Fax: 703-658-2378	1 <sup>st</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	6-21	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.phillipsprograms.org">www.phillipsprograms.org</a>
	PHILLIPS School at Laurel 8920 Whiskey Bottom Road Laurel, MD 20723	Phone: 301-470-1620 Fax: 301-470-1624	3 <sup>rd</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	8-21	AU, ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.phillipsprograms.org">www.phillipsprograms.org</a>
Reginald S. Lourie Center	12301 Academy Way Rockville, MD 20852	Phone: 301-984-4444 Fax: 301-881-8043	Pre-K - 5 <sup>th</sup>	4-21	ED, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.louriecenter.org">www.louriecenter.org</a>
The Ridge School	The Ridge School of Montgomery County 14901 Broschart Road Rockville, MD 20850	Phone: 301-251-4624 Fax: 301-251-4588	9 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	14-21	ED, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.potomacridge.com">www.potomacridge.com</a>
River School	4880 MacArthur Boulevard, NW Washington, DC 20007	Phone: 202-337-3554 Fax: 202-337-3534	Pre-K - 3 <sup>rd</sup>	1½-9	D, HI, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.riverschool.net">www.riverschool.net</a>
St. John's Community Services	St. John's Community Services - Anacostia 1600 16 <sup>th</sup> Street, SE Washington, DC 20020	Phone: 202-698-2155 Fax: 202-698-2188	Nongraded; 10 <sup>th</sup> - 12 <sup>th</sup>	15-22	AU, DD, ED, ID, MD, OHI	Full	<a href="http://www.sics.org">www.sics.org</a>
	St. John's Community Services - Payne 305 15 <sup>th</sup> Street, SE Washington, DC 20003	Phone: 202-698-3262 Fax: 202-698-3263	Nongraded; 4 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup>	9-14	AU, DD, ED, ID, MD, OHI	Full	<a href="http://www.sics.org">www.sics.org</a>
	St. John's Community Services - Shaed-Emory at Langley 101 T Street, NE Washington, DC 20002	Phone: 202-274-3461 Fax: 202-337-5459	Nongraded, Pre-K - 4 <sup>th</sup>	4-9	AU, DD, ED, ID, MD, OHI	Full	<a href="http://www.sics.org">www.sics.org</a>
	St. John's Community Services - Eastern 1700 East Capitol Street, NE Washington, DC 20003	Phone: 202-698-4500 Fax: 202-337-5459	Nongraded; 9 <sup>th</sup> - 10 <sup>th</sup>	14-22	AU, DD, ED, ID, MD, OHI	Full	<a href="http://www.sics.org">www.sics.org</a>

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Summit School	664 Central Avenue Edgewater, MD 21037	Phone: 410-798-0005 Fax: 410-798-0008	1 <sup>st</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup>	6-14	MD, SLD, SLI	Full	<a href="http://www.thesummitschool.org">www.thesummitschool.org</a>
Villa Maria Schools	Villa Maria School at Dulaney Valley 2300 Dulaney Valley Road Timonium, MD 21093	Phone: 410-252-6343 Fax: 410-560-1347	6 <sup>th</sup> – 9 <sup>th</sup>	11-15	ED, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.catholiccharities-md.org/villa-maria-schools/">http://www.catholiccharities-md.org/villa-maria-schools/</a>
	Villa Maria School of Harford County 1370 Brass Mill Road Bekamp, MD 21017	Phone: 410-297-4100 Fax: 410-273-9555	K – 9 <sup>th</sup>	5-15	ED, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.catholiccharities-md.org/villa-maria-schools/">http://www.catholiccharities-md.org/villa-maria-schools/</a>
	Villa Maria School at Pot Spring 2600 Pot Spring Road Timonium, MD 21093	Phone: 410 252-4000 ext. 1629 Fax: 410-453-9712	Pre K – 5 <sup>th</sup>	4-11	ED, MD, OHI, SLD	Full	<a href="http://www.catholiccharities-md.org/villa-maria-schools/">http://www.catholiccharities-md.org/villa-maria-schools/</a>
The Village Academy of Washington, DC	The Village Academy of Washington, DC 680 Rhode Island Avenue, NE Washington, DC 20002	Phone: 202-397-7240 Fax: 202-397-7248	6 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>	12-22	ED, ID, MD, OHI, SLD, SLI	Probationary <sup>1</sup>	<a href="http://www.villageacademydc.org">www.villageacademydc.org</a>
	Village Academy of Washington, DC: Prince George's County 8601 Ashwood Drive Capitol Heights, MD 20743	Phone: 301-333-0820 Fax: 301-333-0870	9 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>	15-22	ED, MD, SLD, SLI	Probationary	<a href="http://www.villageacademydc.org">www.villageacademydc.org</a>
Youth in Transition School	7205 Rutherford Road Baltimore, MD 21244	Phone: 410-944-9994 Fax: 410-944-7622	6 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>	11-21	AU, ED, ID, MD	Full	<a href="http://www.ncianet.org">www.ncianet.org</a>

<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to 5 DCMR §A-2803.6, The Village Academy of Washington, DC has been issued a Probationary Certificate of Approval and may not accept or enroll any additional students from the District of Columbia.



December 19, 2012

Amendment to Certificate of Approval issued on November 7, 2012, to

**National Children's Center, Inc.**

Campus Name	Campus Address	Nonpublic Type	Disabilities Served	Grades	Ages	Approval Status	Expiration Date
National Children's Center- NW Campus	201 Rittenhouse Street, NW, Washington, DC 20011	Day	AU, ED, ID, HI, SLI, OI, OHI, SLD, MD, TBI, DD	1st-12th	6-22	Full	11/7/2015
National Children's Center- SE Campus (Upper)	3400 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., SE, Washington DC 20032	Day	AU, ED, ID, HI, SLI, OI, OHI, SLD, MD, TBI, DD	1st-12th	6-22	Full	11/7/2015

5 DCMR §A-2803.3: A nonpublic special education school or program shall operate in a manner consistent with the specifications of the certificate of approval and may not extend, assign, or transfer a certificate of approval status to additional operating sites.

5 DCMR §A-2803.4: A nonpublic special education school or program shall notify OSSE in writing and submit an application to amend its certificate of approval before a change in circumstances occurs. A change in circumstances includes without limitation, a change of ownership, accreditation status, location, or other form of change in operation that is inconsistent with information or specifications submitted to OSSE. If a nonpublic special education school or program expects to experience a change in circumstances, it shall: (a) Notify OSSE in writing at least sixty (60) calendar days before a change in circumstance(s); and (b) Submit to OSSE specific documentation to describe the change, including any additional information requested by OSSE.

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