NEVADA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION CONSENT AGENDA ITEM

July 23, 2020

SUBJECT: Private School Re-Licensing

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the re-licensing for a four-year period of:

- Adelson Education Campus, Clark County
- Montessori Visions Academy, Clark County

BACKGROUND:

Private education institutions are covered by Chapter 394 in both the Nevada Revised Statutes and the Nevada Administrative Code. The Private Schools Education Program Professional verifies that the statutory and regulatory requirements are met. The Nevada State Board of Education approves the issuing of each private school license.

SUBMITTED BY:

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Private School Analysis

School Name: Dr. Miriam and Sheldon G. Adelson Education Campus

Background: The Dr. Miriam and Sheldon G. Adelson Education Campus holds pre-k through grade 12. The mission of the school is to instruct and inspire new generations of students who will draw strength from a rich Jewish heritage, and use their knowledge, values, and vision to fulfill their own potential, and build a better world. The Preschool/Lower School provides students from 18 months through 5th grade with a highly nurturing academic environment. The Upper School, encompassing grades 6–12, educates students to hone their critical thinking skills and prepares them for higher education.

Recommendation: It is recommended that the State Board approve the re-licensing of the Dr. Miriam and Sheldon G. Adelson Education Campus for four years, July 16, 2020- July 31, 2024. Montessori Visions Academy has complied with all statutory and regulatory requirements.

Address: 9700 W. Hillpointe Rd., Las Vegas, NV 89134

Ownership:

Corporation, The Dr. Miriam and Sheldon G. Adelson Institute Sheldon Adelson, Chair

Insurance:

Philadelphia Indemnity Ins. Co. Insurance liability for death, personal injury or property damage is at least \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Bond: \$5,000, The Hartford

Financial Stability:

Expenses: \$12,985,871 Revenue: \$12,979,448

Enrollment: 467

Educational Staff: 38

Complaint Status: No complaints on file.

Private School Analysis

School Name: Montessori Visions Academy

Background: Montessori Visions Academy serves children from the age of two through high school. The school has been licensed for 20 years and has grown to having two sites for their K-12 students. In addition to the Nevada Content Standards, students learn life skills with a focus on the whole child. Montessori Visions Academy fosters a peaceful community of respectful, responsible, self-motivated, and independent learners who embrace academic challenges creating a lifelong love of learning.

Recommendation: It is recommended that the State Board approve the re-licensing of Montessori Visions Academy for four years, July 28, 2020- July 31, 2024. Montessori Visions Academy has complied with all statutory and regulatory requirements.

Address: 1905 E. Warm Springs Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89119

Ownership: Lori Jo Bossy, President

Insurance:

Direct Point Insurance Insurance liability for death, personal injury or property damage is at least \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Certificate of Deposit: \$5,000, Nevada State Bank

Financial Stability:

Expenses: \$435,203 Revenue: \$539,874

Enrollment: 95

Educational Staff: 14

Complaint Status: No complaints on file.