

**APPROVE THE PARTICIPATION OF PECK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN THE CHICAGO-AMMAN SISTER CITIES "WE GROW IN JORDAN INTERNATIONAL SUMMER CAMP" IN AMMAN, JORDAN**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Approve the participation of four (4) Peck Elementary School students in the Chicago-Amman Sister Cities

International Program in the "We Grow in Jordan International Summer Camp" in Amman, Jordan from July 26, 2007 through August 3, 2007.

**USER:** Peck Elementary School  
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**PROGRAM:** To assist CPS students enrolled at Peck School in further developing into global citizens, the Peck School in cooperation with the Amman Chicago Sister Cities International Program, is sponsoring the "We Grow in Jordan International Summer Camp" in Amman, Jordan. This event gathers international youth from several countries for a week of visiting, learning and cultural interaction which is especially designed to promote creativity, promote cross-cultural understanding, tolerance and solidarity amongst

youth. Amman, Jordan is a Sister City of Chicago, Illinois.

**EDUCATIONAL VALUE/OUTCOMES:** Peck School believes that all students should have the opportunity to experience and develop an appreciation for languages and cultures beyond their own. This summer camp will

conduct those investigations.

Conflicts – Any agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to, former Board members during the one-year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Contingent Liability – Any agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability, subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year budget(s).

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