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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PAYMENT FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES TO VARIOUS  
STATE APPROVED, NON-PUBLIC FACILITIES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES PLACED  
BY CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

special education services, which includes separate special education facilities or residential settings, for CPS students with disabilities (20 U.S. §1412(a)(5); 34 CFR §300.115);

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to IDFA and state regulations, the first placement option for a student with disabilities is in

a general education classroom and placement to a separate class, separate school or other placement from the general education environment occurs only if the nature or severity of the disability is such that education in