





TO: The Honorable Members of the Board of Regents
FROM: Daniel Morton-Bentley 
SUBJECT: Charter Applications
DATE: February 27, 2025
AUTHORIZATION(S): 

SUMMARY

Issue for Decision (Consent)

Should the Board of Regents approve the charter applications?

Reason(s) for Consideration

Required by State statute (Education Law §216).

Proposed Handling

This issue will come before the Full Board for action at its March meeting.

Approval in accordance with the respective recommendations prepared by the program offices which are contained in the attached summary table of charter applications.

Procedural History

Not applicable.

Background Information

Not applicable.

Related Regents Items

Not applicable.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Regents take the following action:

VOTED: Approve each application in accordance with the recommendations contained in the summary table.

Timetable for Implementation

Not applicable.

Summary Table

Name of Institution	Program Area	County (City/Town) of Location	Description of Charter Action(s)
Snug Harbor Cultural Center and Botanical Garden	CE	Richmond (Staten Island)	Extend provisional charter for five years.
Southampton Arts Center	CE	Suffolk (Southampton)	Merge with "SCOA, Inc.", a New York NFP corporation, with Southampton Arts Center as the surviving corporation.
Stratford, NY Historical Society	CE	Fulton (Stratford)	Grant provisional charter for five years.
Castle Island Bilingual Montessori	P12	Albany (Albany)	Extend provisional charter for three years.
The Educational Records Bureau, Incorporated	P12	New York (New York)	Merge with "The Enrollment Management Association, Inc.", a New York NFP corporation, with "The Enrollment Management Association, Inc.", as the surviving corporation.
New York State Association for Supervision and Curriculum	P12	Oswego (Oswego)	Amend the Regents certificate of incorporation to change the corporate name to "New York State Alliance for Learning and Leading."
The Sara Maria School	P12	Saratoga (Clifton Park)	Extend provisional charter for three years.

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