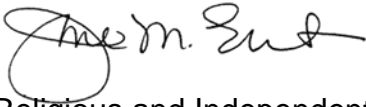





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**TO:** The Honorable the Members of the Board of Regents

**FROM:** Jhone M. Ebert 

**SUBJECT:** Registration of Religious and Independent High Schools Visited in 2017-2018

**DATE:** May 31, 2018

**AUTHORIZATION(S):** 

### **SUMMARY**

#### **Issue for Decision (Consent Agenda)**

Should the Board of Regents approve the registration of two nonpublic high schools?

#### **Reason(s) for Consideration**

Required by State statute.

#### **Proposed Handling**

This question will come before the Regents at its June 2018 meeting.

#### **Procedural History**

The Board of Regents has acted on the registration of religious and independent high schools each year.

#### **Background Information**

Religious and independent high schools which had a senior class for the first time, submitted Applications for Nonpublic Secondary School Registration and were visited by a staff member from the State Office of Religious and Independent Schools.

Approved registration of the religious and independent high schools will allow them to issue valid NYS diplomas and administer State examinations on-site, and the schools will become members of the University of the State of New York.

**Related Regent’s Items**

[Summary of June 2017 Meeting](#)

[http://www.regents.nysed.gov/common/regents/files/717bra2\\_0.pdf](http://www.regents.nysed.gov/common/regents/files/717bra2_0.pdf)

**Recommendation**

VOTED: That the following schools, which participated in the 2017-18 nonpublic high school registration program, be registered:

<b>School</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Recommended Status</b>
East Palmyra Christian School	Wayne	Registered
The Ideal School of Manhattan	New York	Registered

**Timetable for Implementation**

The religious and independent high schools will become registered upon approval of the Board of Regents.