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October 7, 2015

Manuel E. Vieira
Union Board of Education
2369 Morris Avenue
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Dear Mr. Vieira:

Union County Educational Services Commission is pleased to initiate a Nonpublic School Security Aid Program. For your consideration, please find two sample 2015-2016 New Jersey Nonpublic School Security Aid Agreements and a sample resolution between the Union Board of Education and the Union County Educational Services Commission. In addition, there is a copy of the Nonpublic Security Aid Entitlement notice for your district.

Kindly have your Board President sign (2) two copies of your Agreement, and you, as Board Secretary, attest the signature. Return them to my office. A fully executed copy will be returned to you for your files.

Very truly yours,

Robert A. Behot, Ed.D.
School Business Administrator/
Board Secretary

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Sample Resolution for Nonpublic School Security Aid Program

WHEREAS P.L. 2015. C.63, requires the State and local community purchase nonpublic security aid program upon individual request to all students enrolled in grades Kindergarten through 12 in nonpublic schools located within the local school district. From the amount appropriated for Nonpublic Security Aid, the Commissioner of Education shall provide State aid to each school district in an amount to equal \$25 multiplied by the number of nonpublic school students within the district identified by the district on or before November 5 for security services, equipment or technology to ensure a safe and secure school environment for nonpublic school students.

WHEREAS the Union County Educational Services Commission has agreed to handle the purchasing and processing of nonpublic school security aid program, security services, equipment or technology for local public school districts for the purpose of greater cost effectiveness through joint purchasing and centralized administration,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Twp of Union Board of Education Board of Education enter into an agreement with the Union County Educational Services Commission whereby the Commission will administer a nonpublic security aid program for those eligible students attending nonpublic schools located within Union Twp for the 2015-2016 school year, in accordance with P.L. 2015. C.63; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township of Union Board of Education pay a surcharge equal to 12% of the allocation for nonpublic school security to cover the Commission's costs for administering the program. The Commission will bill the district for services rendered throughout the 2015-2016 school year. There will be a 12% surcharge on these invoices.

District Letterhead

2015-2016

NEW JERSEY NONPUBLIC SECURITY AID PROGRAM AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT made this first day of July 2015, between the Union County Educational Services Commission, having its principal office at 45 Cardinal Drive, in the Town of Westfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, hereinafter referred to as **U.C.E.S.C.**, and the Twp of Union Board of Education having its principal office at 2369 Morris Avenue, Union Township, County of Union, and State of New Jersey hereinafter referred to as the Public School District.

WHEREAS, the U.C.E.S.C. by the authority of its Board of Directors, acting on approval of the State Board of Education, is capable of administering the Nonpublic School Security Aid Program; and

WHEREAS, the U.C.E.S.C. services are in accordance with the New Jersey Nonpublic School Security Aid Program, and the Rules and Regulations governing same to nonpublic schools; and

WHEREAS, the Public School District is under an obligation to provide said services to all eligible nonpublic schools within its district to assure equal access to the specified New Jersey Nonpublic School Security Aid Program; and

WHEREAS, the Public School District has by Resolution of its Board agreed to contract with the U.C.E.S.C. to provide said services pursuant to said legislation and serve as the district designee:

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree as follows:

- I. The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall be in effect from July 1, 2015 through and including June 30, 2016.
- II. The U.C.E.S.C. will fulfill the following responsibilities on behalf of the Public School District within the limitations of funds;
 - A. Confer with the nonpublic school administrator(s) to determine the security aid to be provided and the limit of funds available;
 - B. Provide the agreed upon security material which may include purchasing security services, equipment or technology pursuant to the Public School Contract law;
- III. BE IT FURTHER UNDERSTOOD that the Twp of Union Board of Education pay a surcharge equal to 12% of the allocation for nonpublic security aid to cover the Commission's costs for administering the program. The Commission will bill the district for services rendered throughout the 2015-2016 school year, not to exceed State aide for nonpublic security aid. There will be a 12% surcharge on these invoices to be paid out of district current expense funds. Surcharge is not to be paid from nonpublic school security aid entitlement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of Directors of the Union County Educational Services Commission and the _____ Board of Education, have by Resolution directed their respective Presidents and Secretaries to set their signatures and affix their seals. A certified copy of the Public School Resolution is annexed hereto.

ACCEPTED AND APPROVED:

(Please Print Board of Education Name)

_____, Board President Date

_____, Board Secretary Date

**UNION COUNTY EDUCATIONAL
SERVICES COMMISSION**

Helen E. Kirsch, Board President Date

Robert A. Behot, Ed.D, Board Secretary Date

NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
 DIVISION OF FINANCE
 NONPUBLIC SECURITY AID NOTICE
 AMOUNT PER PUPIL \$25.00
 ENTITLEMENT YEAR 2015-16
 DISTRICT SUMMARY

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SCHOOL	PUPILS	STATE AID
HOLY SPIRIT SCHOOL 970 SUBUREAN ROAD UNION, NJ (908) 687-8415 07083	202	\$5,050.00
SAINTE MICHAEL SCHOOL 1212 KELLY ST. UNION, NJ (908) 688-1063 07083	334	\$8,350.00

DISTRICT TOTALS:

NUMBER OF SCHOOLS	->	2
PUPILS	->	536
STATE AID	->	\$13,400.00