

RESOLUTION OF THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION REGARDING THE MEMPHIS ACADEMY OF HEALTH SCIENCES MIDDLE SCHOOL AND HIGH SCHOOL REVOCATION APPEAL

Whereas, pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-13-101 et. seq., Memphis Academy of Health Sciences ("MAHS") Middle School and High School submitted an appeal of the revocation of its charter agreements by the Memphis-Shelby County Schools Board of Education dated January 20, 2022 to the Tennessee Public Charter School Commission ("Commission"), which is charged with serving as an appellate authorizer beginning with the 2020-2021 school year, and;

Whereas, representatives of the governing board of MAHS participated in a public hearing on February 25, 2022 to answer questions of the Commission staff and receive comment from members of the public in the school district where MAHS is located, and;

Whereas, the Commission, at quarterly meeting on April 1, 2022, reviewed, discussed, and considered the full appeal record, final statements of the parties, and Executive Director's recommendation prior to voting on a decision;

Whereas, the Commission, through its staff, determined the following findings of fact:

- 1. MAHS committed material violations of its charter agreements with MSCS
- 2. MAHS failed to meet general accepted standards of fiscal management.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Tennessee Public Charter School Commission that the decision by Memphis-Shelby County Schools Board of Education to revoke the charter agreements for Memphis Academy Health Sciences Middle School and High School is affirmed, pursuant to T.C.A. § 49-13-122.

Commissioner Hanson moved for approval of the Resolution.

The motion was seconded by Commissioner Levine and, upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

- 1. Commissioner Hanson voted aye;
- 2. Commissioner Levine voted aye;
- 3. Commissioner Patterson voted aye;
- 4. Commissioner Richards voted aye;
- 5. Commissioner Sisnett voted aye;
- 6. Commissioner Tucker voted aye;
- 7. Commissioner Griscom voted aye;
- 8. Commissioner Smith was absent;
- 9. Commissioner Woodson was absent.

The Chair thereupon declared that the resolution was duly passed and adopted on this 1st day of April 2022.



In accordance with T.C.A. § 49-13-122 (g)(1), the decision of the Commission is final and not subject to appeal.

Tom Griscom, Chairman