

 NEW JERSEY SCHOOLS INSURANCE GROUP

 RESOLUTION INDEMNITY AND TRUST RENEWAL AGREEMENT

**THIS AGREEMENT**, made this \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, 2015, in the County of      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State of New Jersey, by and between New Jersey Schools Insurance Group, hereinafter referred to as “**NJSIG**”, and the      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the     \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter referred to as “**Educational Institution**”;

**WHEREAS**, the **NJSIG** seeks to provide its members with protection, services and savings relating to insurance and self-insurance;

**WHEREAS**, two or more educational institutions have collectively formed a joint insurance fund as is authorized and described in N.J.S.A. 18A:18B-1 *et. seq*. and the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto;

**WHEREAS**, the **Educational Institution** has resolved to apply for and/or renew its membership with NJSIG; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Educational Institution** certifies that it has not defaulted on a claim, and has not been cancelled for non-payment of insurance premium for a period of at least two (2) years prior to the date of its application to **NJSIG**.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** it is agreed as follows:

1. The **Educational Institution** hereby establishes/renews its membership with **NJSIG** for a one (1) year period, beginning July 1, 2015, and ending July 1, 2016 at 12:01 a.m. eastern standard time.
2. The **Educational Institution** agrees to participate in **NJSIG** with respect to the types of coverage stated in the Renewal of Membership Resolution, attached hereto as Exhibit “A”.
3. The **Educational Institution** hereby ratifies and affirms the bylaws and other organizational and operational documents of **NJSIG** and as from time to time amended by **NJSIG** and/or Department of Banking and Insurance in accordance with the applicable statutes and regulations as if each and every one of said documents were re-executed contemporaneously herewith.
4. The **Educational Institution** agrees to be a participating member of **NJSIG** for the period herein provided for and to comply with all of the rules and regulations and obligations associated with said membership, including, but not limited to the NJSIG Plan of Risk Management.
5. In consideration of membership in **NJSIG**, the **Educational Institution** agrees that for those types of coverage in which it participates, the **Educational Institution** shall jointly and severally assume and discharge the liability of each and every member of **NJSIG** all of whom, as a condition of membership in **NJSIG**, shall execute a verbatim counterpart to this Agreement. By execution hereof the full faith and credit of the **Educational Institution** is pledged to the punctual payment of any sums which shall become due to **NJSIG** in accordance with the bylaws thereof, this Agreement or any applicable statute or regulation.

1. If **NJSIG**, in the enforcement of any part of this Agreement, shall incur necessary expense or become obligated to pay attorney's fees and/or court costs, the **Educational Institution** agrees to reimburse **NJSIG** for all such reasonable expenses, fees and costs on demand.
2. **The Educational Institution** and **NJSIG** agree that **NJSIG** shall hold all monies paid by the **Educational Institution** to **NJSIG** as fiduciaries for the benefit of **NJSIG** claimants all in accordance with applicable statutes and/or regulations.
3. **NJSIG** shall establish and maintain Trust Accounts in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A: 18B-1 *et. seq*. and such other statutes and regulations as may be applicable.
4. The Business Official designated in the Resolution to Renew Membership is hereby authorized to execute this Agreement to renew membership.

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|  | Executive Director, William M. Mayo, New Jersey Schools Insurance Group |  |

**Exhibit A**

**RESOLUTION TO JOIN**

THE NEW JERSEY SCHOOLS INSURANCE GROUP

**NJSIG**
**2015-2016**

**WHEREAS**, N.J.S.A. 18A:18B-1, *et seq*., enables school districts to cooperate with each other to make the most efficient use of their powers and resources on a basis of mutual advantage in the areas of insurance and self-insurance and related services; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Education of the      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ District desires to secure protection, services, and savings relating to insurance and self-insurance for itself and its departments and employees; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Education of the      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ District finds that the best and most efficient way of securing this protection and services is by cooperating with other school districts across the State of New Jersey;

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Education of the      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ under its obligations as a member of the New Jersey Schools Insurance Group does allow for safety inspections of its properties, to pay contributions in a timely fashion and to comply with the bylaws and standards of participation of this Group.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE**      **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ DISTRICT:**

**THAT** the Board of Education of      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ joins with other school districts in organizing and becoming members of the New Jersey Schools Insurance Group; and

**THAT**, by adoption and signing of this resolution, the Board of Education is hereby joining the New Jersey Schools Insurance Group in accordance with the terms of the attached Indemnity and Trust Agreement, effective the date indicated below, for the following types of insurance:

Property [ ]  EDP[ ]  General Liability[ ]  Umbrella/Excess[ ]

Equip Breakdown [ ]  Crime/Bonds[ ]  Automobile Liability[ ]  Errors Omissions[ ]

Auto Physical Damage[ ]  Workers’ Compensation[ ]

Adopted by the Board of Education of the     \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ District, New

Jersey, this      \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of      \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20     \_\_ for a one (1) year term.

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| Print Name and Title |  | **William M. Mayo, Executive Director**New Jersey Schools Insurance Group |

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