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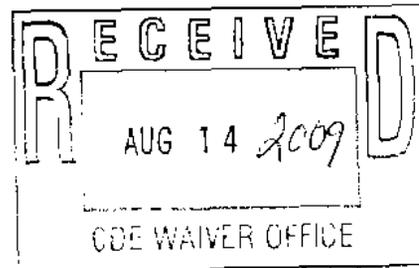
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August 10, 2009

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Dr. Theodore R. Mitchell, President
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BOARD OF EDUCATION

RE: Opposition to General Waiver Request - Inglewood USD

JAMES HARRIS
DISTRICT 1

Dear Dr. Mitchell:

I am opposed to granting a waiver to the Inglewood Unified School District for Today's Fresh Start Charter School. My professional recommendation and request is that the State Board of Education denies the waiver.

REBEKAH INGRAHAM
DISTRICT 2

DIXIE SERVER
DISTRICT 3

Current statute establishes County Boards of Education as the agency with the authority to grant "countywide" charter schools. I am concerned that approval of this waiver disregards Education Code which has served the students of our state well.

JIM HAYS
DISTRICT 4

MARCELLA HAYNES
DISTRICT 5

Granting a waiver which allows a neighboring school district to operate within the geographic boundaries of another district breaches the intent of the legislature and undermines the authority of neighboring school districts and County Boards of Education.

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With respect,

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Gary L. Jones

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