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KIMBERLEY HARRINGTON
Acting Commissioner

Mr. Paul Josephson, President
Board of Trustees
Princeton Charter School
100 Bunn Drive
Princeton, NJ 08540

Dear Mr. Josephson:

On November 28, 2016, Princeton Charter School submitted an amendment request to increase the school’s enrollment, and to implement a weighted lottery to provide economically disadvantaged students a 2:1 enrollment preference. The charter amendment was sought pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:11-2.6, which allows a charter school to submit an amendment request to the Commissioner after having been granted a charter. The New Jersey Department of Education (Department) has completed a comprehensive review including, but not limited to, student performance on statewide assessments, operational stability, fiscal viability, public comment, fiscal impact on sending districts, and other information in order to render a decision regarding the school’s admendment request.

Based on recommendations and my review, I am approving the school’s request to increase enrollment and implement a weighted lottery. I confirm the school’s maximum approved enrollment below for the approved district of residence of Princeton.

Grade Level	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021
Pre-K				
K	40	40	40	40
1	42	42	42	42
2	22	44	44	44
3	48	48	48	48
4	50	50	50	50
5	50	50	50	50
6	50	50	50	50
7	50	50	50	50
8	50	50	50	50
9				
10				
11				
12				
TOTAL	402	424	424	424

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If you have any questions, please contact Katherine Czehut, director, Office of Charter and Renaissance Schools at 609-292-5850.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kimberley Harrington".

Kimberley Harrington
Acting Commissioner

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