

FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE SEEQS: THE SCHOOL FOR EXAMINING ESSENTIAL QUESTIONS OF SUSTAINABILITY JULY 01, 2017 3.0 CHARTER CONTRACT

I. Background

This Amendment to Extend the July 01, 2017 3.0 Charter Contract (the “Amendment”) dated as of July 01, 2020 (the “Effective Date”), is by and between the State Public Charter School Commission located at 1140 Bishop Street, Suite 1100, Honolulu, Hawaii, 96813 (the “Commission”), and SEEQS: the School for Examining Essential Questions of Sustainability (“SEEQS”), whose mailing address is 2705 KAIMUKI AVE. HONOLULU, HI 96816, (the “School”), (collectively the “Parties”).

WHEREAS, the Parties entered into a 3.0 Charter Contract effective July 01, 2017 (the “Charter Contract”) for the purposes of authorizing SEEQS as a public charter school in the state of Hawaii; under its terms, the Charter Contract expires on June 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the School was awarded a five-year Charter School Contract which was scheduled to begin on July 01, 2020 (“New Charter Contract”); and

WHEREAS, the Commission’s award of the New Charter Contract was conditioned upon the School’s fulfillment of certain requirements and conditions (“renewal conditions”); and

WHEREAS, for reasons including closures due to COVID-19, the School needs additional time to meet the renewal conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Commission on April 23, 2020, unanimously passed a Motion to Extend the current Charter Contract for one year to allow the School time to complete renewal conditions prior to the commencement of the New Charter Contract; and

WHEREAS, effective July 01, 2020, the parties agree to extend the Charter Contract and to the following terms and conditions set forth in this Amendment, it is hereby understood and agreed as follows.

II. Amendments

The following amendments are agreed to by the parties and added to the July 01, 2017 Charter Contract to be amended as follows, in replacement of the corresponding portion of each section or exhibit referenced below:

Section 2.3 Term: A one year extension of the July 01, 2017 Charter Contract signed by the parties June 30, 2017 and attached hereto, **shall commence on July 01, 2020 and will terminate on June 30, 2021.**

Exhibit B Academic Performance Framework: All of the targets for academic proficiency, academic growth, college and career readiness, and achievement gap set forth for SEEQS for school year 2019-2020 shall apply to school year 2020-2021, and are as follows:

I. Student Academic Outcomes

I. Academic Proficiency

Subject	TARGETS		
	% Proficient	% Proficient	% Proficient
	SY 18-19	SY 19-20	SY 20-21
Math	46% - 55%	48% - 57%	48% - 57%
ELA	68% - 77%	70% - 79%	70% - 79%

2. Academic Growth

SGP = Student Growth Percentile

Subject	TARGETS		
	Median SGP	Median SGP	Median SGP
	SY 18-19	SY 19-20	SY 20-21
Math	46 - 55	50 - 59	50 - 59
ELA	51 - 55	52 - 56	52 - 56

3. College and Career Readiness

Chronic Absenteeism: Middle

TARGETS		
% Chronically Absent Combined Elementary & Middle	% Chronically Absent Combined Elementary & Middle	% Chronically Absent Combined Elementary & Middle
SY18-19	SY 19-20	SY 20-21
11% or less	11% or less	11% or less

4. Achievement Gap

Targets for increasing the proficiency of high needs students in order to close the achievement gap

Subject	TARGETS		
	% Proficient High Needs	% Proficient High Needs	% Proficient High Needs
	SY 18-19	SY 19-20	SY 20-21
Math	26% - 35%	27% - 36%	27% - 36%
ELA	46% - 55%	47% - 56%	47% - 56%

This First Amendment to the SEEQS July 01, 2017 Charter Contract, along with the attached original Charter Contract forms the entire agreement between the Parties. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Amendment, all of the terms or conditions of the July 01, 2017 Charter Contract remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

State Public Charter School Commission

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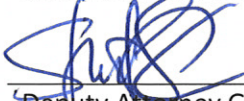


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