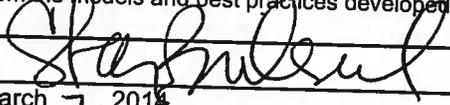


**DISCLOSURE BY NON-ELECTED STATE EMPLOYEE OF FINANCIAL INTEREST  
AND DETERMINATION BY APPOINTING AUTHORITY  
AS REQUIRED BY G. L. c. 268A, § 6**

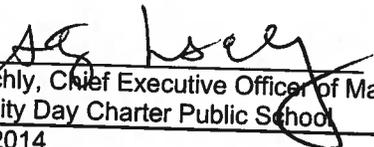
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<b>STATE EMPLOYEE INFORMATION</b>	
Name:	Stacy Birdsell
Title or Position:	Director of Training of Match Teacher Residency program of Match Charter Public School (the " <u>Match School</u> ")
State Agency:	Match Charter Public School
Agency Address:	1001 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02215
Office Phone:	(617) 232-0300
Office E-mail:	Stacy.Birdsell@matcheducation.org
	My duties to the Match School require me to participate in a particular matter in another entity, and I may not participate because of a financial interest that I am disclosing here. I request a determination from my appointing authority about how I should proceed.
<b>PARTICULAR MATTER</b>	
Particular matter  E.g., a judicial or other proceeding, application, submission, request for a ruling or other determination, contract, claim, controversy, charge, accusation, arrest, decision, determination, or finding.	Please describe the particular matter.  The Chief Executive Officer (the " <u>CEO</u> ") of Match Charter Public School and Match Community Day Charter Public School (collectively, the " <u>Schools</u> ") has required that I provide services to The Charles Sposato Graduate School of Education, Inc. (" <u>Sposato</u> "), as part of my duties as the Director of Training of Match Teacher Residency program of the Match School.
Your required participation in the particular matter:  E.g., approval, disapproval, decision, recommendation, rendering advice, investigation, other.	Please describe the task you are required to perform with respect to the particular matter.  The CEO requires that I devote approximately 5% of my time to the operation of Sposato, as an adjunct faculty member, teaching certain graduate school courses based on my expertise. I will not be compensated by Sposato for these activities, and I do not have an interest in contracts between the Schools and Sposato. The CEO has required my services to Sposato to assist with the dissemination of the Schools' education approach through Sposato and to ensure that Sposato provides effective support to the Schools.
<b>FINANCIAL INTEREST IN THE PARTICULAR MATTER</b>	
Write an X by all that apply.	<input type="checkbox"/> I have a financial interest in the matter. <input type="checkbox"/> My immediate family member has a financial interest in the matter. <input type="checkbox"/> My business partner has a financial interest in the matter. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I am an officer, director, trustee, partner or employee of a business organization, and the business organization has a financial interest in the matter. <input type="checkbox"/> I am negotiating or have made an arrangement concerning future employment with a person or organization, and the person or organization has a financial interest in the matter.
Financial interest in the matter	Please explain the financial interest and include a dollar amount if you know it.  Sposato, a Massachusetts not-for-profit corporation, is a graduate school of education, which requires its students to undertake actual full-time teaching experiences, in addition to coursework, in

	order to obtain a Masters of Effective Teaching. Students at Sposato are drawn from participants in the Match Teacher Residency program, a teacher-training program operated by the Match School. There are no contracts between Sposato and the Schools, but Sposato donates services to the Match Teacher Residency program operated by the Match School and pays an administrative fee for services provided by the Schools to Sposato (including those of the Schools' employees). Sposato is also a dissemination arm for the Schools; many of the courses taught at Sposato derive from the models and best practices developed at the Schools.
Employee signature:	
Date:	March 7, 2014

**DETERMINATION BY APPOINTING OFFICIAL**

	<b>APPOINTING AUTHORITY INFORMATION</b>
Name of Appointing Authority:	Stig Leschly
Title or Position:	Chief Executive Officer
Agency/Department:	Match Charter Public School and Match Community Day Charter Public School
Agency Address:	1001 Commonwealth Avenue Boston, MA 02215
Office Phone:	(617) 232-0300
Office E-mail	sleschly@matcheducation.org
	<b>DETERMINATION</b>
Determination by appointing authority:  <b>Write an X by your selection.</b>	As appointing official, as required by G.L. c. 268A, § 6, I have reviewed the particular matter and the financial interest identified above by a state employee.  <input type="checkbox"/> I am assigning the particular matter to another employee, or <input type="checkbox"/> I am assuming responsibility for the particular matter, or <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I have determined that the financial interest is not so substantial as to be deemed likely to affect the integrity of the services which the Commonwealth may expect from the employee.
Appointing Authority signature:	By:  Stig Leschly, Chief Executive Officer of Match Charter Public School and Match Community Day Charter Public School
Date:	March 11, 2014
Comment:	

Attach additional pages if necessary.

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