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November 6, 2013

Mr. Rafael Villalobos  
Ascend Career Academy, LLC.  
Ascend Career Academy (ACA)  
13727 SW 152<sup>nd</sup> Street # 408  
Miami, Florida 33177

Dear Mr. Villalobos:

Pursuant to Section 1002.33(6)(b)(3), Florida Statutes, the purpose of this letter is to notify you of The School Board of Broward County, Florida's, action upon the charter school application you submitted for the 2014-2015 school year.

The School Board of Broward County, Florida, approved the charter school application for Ascend Career Academy, LLC., {Ascend Career Academy (ACA)}, at its Regular School Board Meeting on November 5, 2013, Agenda Item L-1.

Per Section 1002.33,(6)(h), Florida Statutes, within 30 days, The School Board of Broward County, Florida, will provide you with an initial proposed charter contract for your school. At that time, you will receive further information regarding the charter contractual agreement process and timeline.

Should any further information be needed, please contact **Jody Perry, Director, Charter Schools Management/Support, at 754-321-2135.**

Sincerely,

Robert W. Runcie

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Attachment

c: Ms. Leslie M. Brown, Chief Portfolio Officer, Portfolio Services  
Ms. Jody Perry, Director, Charter Schools/Management Support  
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