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May 26, 2010

Paul O'Neill
Chairperson, Board of Trustees
Manhattan Charter School
100 Attorney Street
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Dear Mr. O'Neill:

I am writing to notify you that the Board of Regents, at its meeting on May 17, 2010, approved and issued the first renewal to the initial charter for Manhattan Charter School. Your school's record of academic success, organizational strength and implementation of the charter terms, together, comprise the basis for the renewal terms of the school's charter.

The terms of the renewal charter include the following:

Name of School:	Manhattan Charter School
Authorizer:	Chancellor, City School District of the City of New York
District(s) of Location:	NYC CSD 1
Number of students (max):	274
Grade levels:	Kindergarten through Grade 5
Charter term:	July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2015

To view the full item that was acted on by the Board of Regents, please visit:
<http://www.regents.nysed.gov/meetings/2010Meetings/May2010/0510emsca4.htm>

Congratulations to you, your fellow board of trustee members, the School's leaders and teachers. I look forward to working with you as you continue to develop and offer high quality educational opportunities for students in New York State.

If you have any questions, you can contact the New York State Education Department Charter School Office at 518-474-1762.

Sincerely,

Sally Bachofer

c: Ginevra DePolo
Michael T. Duffy