



CHARTER SCHOOL PETITIONER CERTIFICATION

(Must be completed and signed by petitioner)

Instructions to Lead Petitioner

1. Complete and sign the Petitioner Certification and Intake Information forms.
2. Insert the petition page numbers in the far right column of the Charter School Petition Evaluation Matrix entitled: "Located on Page(s)".
3. Submit a complete Charter School Appeal Package along with the charter petition to Orange County Department of Education, Charter Schools Unit, 200 Kalmus Drive, Costa Mesa, 92626.

Education Code § 47605(a)(1): *A petition for the establishment of a charter school shall identify a single charter school that will operate within the geographic boundaries of a school district. A charter school may propose to operate at multiple sites within a school district if each location is identified in the charter school petition. The petition may be submitted to the governing board of a school district for review after either of the following conditions are met:*

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| a) The petition is signed by a number of parents or legal guardians of pupils that is equivalent to at least one-half of the number of pupils that the charter school estimates will enroll in the charter school for its first year of operation | YES | NO |
| b) The petition is signed by a number of teachers that is equivalent to at least one-half of the number of teachers that the charter school estimates will be employed at the charter school during its first year of operation | YES | NO |

Education Code § 47605(b): *A petition is deemed received by the Orange County Board of Education for purposes of commencing the timelines described in this subdivision on the day the petitioner submits a Charter School Appeal Package to the Orange County Department of Education, along with a signed certification that the petitioner deems the petition to be complete.*

I hereby certify under the laws of the State of California and the United States that the foregoing Charter School Appeal Package, including the charter petition are complete, true and correct. I understand and acknowledge that failure to provide accurate or complete information may subject the charter to revocation if later discovered and material to compliance with the Charter Schools Act.

Name of lead petitioner	Signature of lead petitioner	Date
Name of OCDE personnel receiving petition	Signature of OCDE personnel receiving petition	Date received

Petition Appeal Consideration and Acceptance EC § 47605(k)(1)(A) (OCDE Office Use Only)

Petitioner submitted the charter school petition appeal to the Orange County Board of Education within 30 days of denial by the governing board of the school district as required by law.	YES	NO	
The charter school petition appeal includes new information or changes to the original petition that was submitted to the district.	YES	NO	If yes, the petition will be immediately remanded back to the district
This is a resubmission of the charter school's petition appeal. The school district governing board denied the petition after reconsideration of the petition's new or different material terms to its charter.	YES	NO	NA