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ORDER OF THE NEW HAVEN BOARD OF ALDERS AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ENTER INTO A FIVE-YEAR AGREEMENT WITH THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT EDUCATION NETWORK TO PROVIDE INTERNET SERVICES IN THE AMOUNT \$400,380 BEFORE THE FEDERAL ERATE DISCOUNT OF NINETY PERCENT (90%) IS APPLIED

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WHEREAS, Section 2-376 (A) of the Code of General Ordinances, "Unless expressly authorized by law or by vote of the board of Alders, the city shall not be bound by any contract executed after one (1) year from the date thereof. The board of ALDER's prior approval is necessary for any city contract that does not go to bid that costs more than one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00)"; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Education is seeking approval to enter into a five-year agreement with State of Connecticut Education Network for internet services at 54 Meadow and 255 Blatchley Ave; and,

WHEREAS, The total cost for the five year contract is \$400,380 before the federally funded E-Rate program is applied.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED by the New Haven Board of Alders that the Board of Education be authorized to enter into a five-year agreement with State of Connecticut Education Network in a total amount of \$400,380 before the E-Rate