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ORDER OF THE NEW HAVEN BOARD OF ALDERS CONCERING THE CONTINUED CLOSURE OF QUINNIPIAC SCHOOL AND OTHERS SCHOOLS

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WHEREAS: it has been reported that Quinnipiac School and other schools would not open on January 19, 2020 though other schools will open at that time; and

WHEREAS: the Health Department and New Haven Public Schools leadership determined that Quinnipiac School and others would not open with the others on January 19, 2020; and

WHEREAS: Whereas this decision was made despite no one receiving any public reports that explain or outline the support this decision; and

WHEREAS: The Board of Education President has indicated that she wanted to ensure transparency and public input is received before making major decisions; and

WHEREAS: due the significance and time sensitive of this issue there is an urgent need for an immediate hearing with the Board of Education on the decision to maintain the closure of these schools

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE New Haven Board of Alders, that the appropriate committee take this up as the earliest consideration to ensure that everyone has had the opportunity to review and voice their concerns and contribute as necessary to get the schools opened for those families that wish to take advantage of that option.