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# INTERNAL AUDIT OFFICE

December 19, 2014

#### **MEMORANDUM**

To: Jon P. Fernandez

Superintendent of Education

From: Franklin Cooper-Nurse

Chief Auditor

Subject: December Review of Charter School's Invoices

Hafa Adai,

The internal audit office has completed its review of Guahan Academy's invoices for the month of December. Please see the attached report for IAO's complete review and results.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 300-1336 or via email at <a href="mailto:fjtcooper-nurse@gdoe.net">fjtcooper-nurse@gdoe.net</a>.

Cc: Deputy Superintendent of

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# Department of Education

## Internal Audit Office

### Audit Review - Guahan Academy Charter School Invoice Validation

### For the period of December 2014

<u>Purpose:</u> To validate Guahan Academy Charter School's invoices for the month of December

2014.

**Source**: Doris Bainco, Office Manager of Guahan Academy Charter School

Annabelle Santos, Accounting Staff of Guahan Academy Charter School

<u>Prepared by:</u> Franklin Cooper-Nurse, Chief Auditor for Department of Education

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<u>Results:</u> As required by Section 6.3 of the Guahan Academy Charter School's Invoice Validation Standard Operating Procedures, IAO's review focused on validation of December expenditures. The results were as follows;

As per letter dated December 1, 2014, it stated there was a total of \$ 276,500.00 for the December invoice expenditures. The classifications of accounts provided by the charter school listing were;

	GACS Request	Supported	IAO Validation (BASED ON REQUEST)	Variance
1. Personnel salaries	240,000.00	234,638.75	234,638.75	5,361.25
2. Benefits	-	28,350.44	<u>-</u>	(28,350.44)
3. Contractual	23,264.00	31,972.95	23,264.00	(8,708.95)
4. Supplies & materials	436.00	5,270.61	436.00	(4,834.61)
5. Power	9,000.00	13,440.01	9,000.00	(4,440.01)
6. Water	800.00	484.58	484.58	315.42
7. Telephone	3,000.00	5,387.34	3,000.00	(2,387.34)
TOTAL	\$276,500.00	\$319,544.68	\$270,823.33	(\$43,044.68)

On December 1, 2014 IAO received the Guahan Academy Charter School's drawdown request. Invoices were subsequently provided by GACS on December 12 and December 15, 2014. Based on IAO's review, a total of \$319,544.68 was supported by invoices. The invoices provided by GACS, which totaled

\$319,544.68, exceeded their drawdown request of \$276,500.00 by \$43,044.68. Therefore, the IAO can only validate the amount of \$270,823.33 for the month of December.