BETWEEN:

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF FARRINGTON PARK

AND:

ASSOCIATION HARRINGTON PARK EDUCATION

DATED:

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### AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT entered into this day of 1970, by and between the BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARRINGTON PARK, Bergen County, New Jersey, (hereinafter called the "BOARD") and the HARRINGTON PARK EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, (hereinafter called the "ASSOCIATION").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, The parties have reached certain understandings which they desire to confirm in this Agreement.

In consideration of the following mutual covenants, it is agreed as follows:

### ARTICLE I

#### RECOGNITION

The BOARD recognizes the ASSOCIATION as the exclusive representative for collective negotiations concerning the terms and conditions of employment of all regularly employed certificated personnel exercising non-supervisory positions.

#### ARTICLE II

## NEGOTIATION PROCEDURE

A. The parties agree to enter into collective negotiations over a successor Agreement in accordance with Chapter 303.

Public Laws 1968 in good faith on all matters concerning the terms and conditions of teachers' employment. Such negotiations shall begin not later than October 1 of the calendar year preceding the calendar year in which this Agreement expires.

- shall present relevant data, exchange points of view and make proposals and counterproposals. The Board shall make available to the Association for inspection all pertinent public records, public data and public information of the Harrington Park School District. Not later than December 31 of each year, the Board shall provide the Association with a tentative line budget for the next fiscal year as well as preliminary budgetary proposals, requirements and allocations, to the extent that the budget has been prepared.
- C. Neither party in any negotiations shall have any control over the selection of the negotiating representatives of the other party. The parties mutually pledge that their representatives shall have the authority to make proposals, consider proposals, and make counterproposals in the course of negotiations. Neither party shall have more than five representatives at any bargaining sessions.
- D. 1. Representatives of the Board and the Association's negotiating committee shall hold regularly scheduled meetings during the school year until agreement is reached.
- 2. Bach party shall submit to the other, at lease three (3) days prior to the meeting, an agenda covering matters they wish to discuss:

### ARTICLE III

# GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

The parties shall be governed by the grievance

procedure adopted by the Board on June 1, 1966, which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

#### ARTICLE IV

## SALARIES

The salaries of all personnel covered by this Agreement are set forth in Schedule B which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

# ARTICLE V

# INSURANCE PROTECTION

The Board shall provide for personnel covered by this Agreement single coverage under the New Jersey Public and School Employee Health Benefits Plan, which shall include Blue Cross, Blue Shield, Rider J and major medical insurance protection.

#### ARTICLE VI

### BOARD RIGHTS

authority over matters of policy and retains and reserves unto itself, without limitations all the powers, rights, authority, duties and responsibilities conferred upon and vested in it by the laws and the Constitution of the State of New Jersey and of the United States, by the decision of the Courts of the United States and of the State of New Jersey, the Commissioner of Education and the State Board of Education of the State of New Jersey and by the Rules and Regulations of the State Board of Education of

### ARTICLE VII

# TEACHERS' RIGHTS

Teachers shall enjoy all rights granted under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 303 of the Laws of 1968 or under any other laws of the State of New Jersey, the United States, and the Constitution of the United States and of the State of New Jersey. They shall not be discriminated against, coerced, or reprimanded, by wirtue of their exercise of such rights.

### ARTICLE VIII

# DURATION OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement shall be effective July 1, 1970 and shall continue in effect until June 30, 1971, unless amended by mutual consent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be signed by their respective presidents, attested by their respective secretaries, and their corporate seals to be placed hereon all on the day and year first above written.

ATTEST:

HARRINGTON PARK EDUCATION

ASSOCIATION

President

ATTEST:

BOARDOF EDUCATION OF HARRINGTON