



Memorandum

DATE: August 14, 2009
TO: Dr. Sarvis
FROM: Kristine Robertson, Ed.D.
Director of Personnel
RE: **Total Cost for Matef Harmachis Legal Process**

In July, 2008 and January 2009, I provided the board with updates on the cost associated with our legal process in the matter of Matef Harmachis. I am now providing you with the final cost including all legal fees, expenses and the salary and benefits for Mr. Harmachis while on paid administrative leave.

Liebert Cassidy Whitmore Total Legal Fees and Expenses

2004 – 2005	\$ 71,233.04
2005 – 2006	\$120,776.19
2006 – 2007	\$ 65,117.07
2007 – 2008	\$ 22,396.60
2008 – 2009	\$ 3,455.36

Total \$282,978.26

School District Salary and Benefits

2004 – 2005	\$ 32,189.21
2005 – 2006	\$ 66,117.36
2006 – 2007	\$ 71,565.98
2007 – 2008	\$ 75,575.46
2008 – 2009	\$ 65,446.40 (only through April due to final appeal outcome)

Total \$310,894.41

Legal Fees for Harmachis Defense Attorney's - \$275,953.13

Total Cost to District - \$ 869,825.80