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Arkansas Department of Education  
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c/o Nancy Acre  
Charter School Office  
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Little Rock, AR 72201

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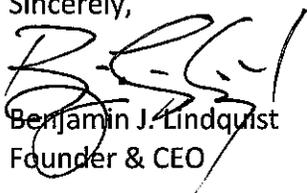
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Dear Dr. Tom W. Kimbrell,

Please accept this letter of intent for an open-enrollment public charter school.

- 2. **Name of the eligible entity:** Exalt Education Inc., an Arkansas non-profit organization. Exalt Education has submitted to the IRS a 501 (c) (3) application and has received notice that it is pending.
- 3. **Contact person:** Benjamin Lindquist  
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- 4. **Entity Description:** Exalt Education, Inc., is interested in being considered as a charter operator authorized by the Arkansas Department of Education (ADE). Exalt is committed to improving the educational outcomes for Arkansas students in under-served communities by launching high-quality schools.
- 5. **Name of the proposed open-enrollment public charter school:** Exalt Academy of Southwest Little Rock.
- 6. **Location:** Southwest Little Rock Region
- 7. **Grade Levels of Students:** Kindergarten through grade 8
- 8. **Proposed student enrollment cap:** 540
- 9. **Description of the Purpose of the Proposed School:** The Exalt Academy of Southwest Little Rock will prepare students from underserved communities for competitive colleges and advanced careers. Exalt develops virtuous leaders, scholars and citizens through rigorous liberal arts learning. Exalt specializes in equipping students from low-income homes with the broad foundation of knowledge, skills and attributes essential to succeed in the 21st Century. Typically, each Exalt Academy opens its doors to 240 students in grades K-5 and expands through 8th grade over its first several years of operation.

Sincerely,

  
Benjamin J. Lindquist  
Founder & CEO

A copy of the letter of intent is being sent via certified mail to the superintendent of the public school district.