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CHILD DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATE CREDENTIAL CONFERRED WASHINGTON COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that on Friday, November 21, 1997, the Human Services/CDA Training Unit of Harold Washington College hosted a celebration in honor of the 28 Head Start and Child Care staff who received their CDA credentials this year; and

that to earn the competency-based credential, the participants completed a comprehensive training program, including Child Development classes, on-site training, preparation of a Resource File, and testing by a national representative; and

that this credential is issued by the nationally recognized Council for Early Childhood Professional Recognition; and

that greetings on behalf of the College were given by Ghingo Brooks, Vice President of Academic Affairs and Student Development, and Adbul-Rasheed Akbar, Acting Assistant Dean of Student Services; and

that Marge Doolan and Isolda Davila spoke on behalf of the Chicago Department of Human Services, the grantor that sponsors the collaborative program. Leah Shapiro, former Director of HWC's CDA Training Program, was the guest speaker. The credentialled CDAs were encouraged to further their education and increase their knowledge for the sake of the children of the City of Chicago.

Respectfully submitted:

Ronald J. Temple Chancellor