

**REFERENCE: APPROVED MINUTES – August 14, 2009 Public Charter
School Commission Special Meeting**

**PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION SPECIAL MEETING
AUGUST 14, 2009
650 W. STATE STREET, BOISE, IDAHO
CLEAR WATERS ROOM**

A special meeting of the Idaho Public Charter School Commission was held on August 14, 2009, at 650 W. State Street, Boise, Idaho. Chairman William Goesling presided. The following members were in attendance by telephone:

Esther Van Wart Brad Corkill Gayle O'Donahue

Gayann DeMordaunt attended the meeting in person.

Alan Reed was absent.

Chairman Goesling called the meeting to order at 3:10 p.m.

M/S (DeMordaunt/Corkill): To move into executive session for the purpose of considering records that are exempt from disclosure as provided in chapter 3, title 9, Idaho Code. *The motion passed unanimously.*

Chairman Goesling said the Commission has received and considered written comments from Nampa Classical Academy and members of the public in advance of the meeting, and verbal comment will not be accepted during this meeting. He stated that, upon the advice of counsel, the Commission will take the position that the use of religious texts in public school curriculum is in violation of the Idaho Constitution. Accordingly, if Nampa Classical Academy proceeds to use religious texts in the classroom, the Commission will be obligated to issue to the school a notice of defect.

M/S (Corkill/Van Wart): To waive the attorney-client privileged document prepared by the Commission's counsel for this meeting. *The motion passed unanimously.*

M/S (Corkill/DeMordaunt): To adjourn the meeting. *The motion passed unanimously.*