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## **Communities In Schools of the Nation's Capital Names New Executive Director**

*Nonprofit veteran joins local affiliate of the largest dropout prevention organization in the United States.*

**Washington, DC, [May 5, 2009]** – Communities In Schools of the Nation's Capital (CISNCAP), a nonprofit organization working with community partners to successfully address the dropout crisis in the district, has named Tobeka G. Green as its new executive director.

"Tobeka brings a vast amount of nonprofit experience, a deep understanding of student needs, and a drive to make our organization a great success," said Karl Bourdeau, board chair of CISNCAP. "She will be a tremendous asset to our team."

Green, acting as interim executive director for CISNCAP since November, 2008, is a 17-year association veteran. At JasMar WorldWide, LLC, Green developed strategic initiatives and grassroots campaigns for association and nonprofit clients. Prior to JasMar, Green was a vice president at America's Promise, an organization started by General Colin Powell that provides children access to fundamental resources. At America's Promise, Green led the technology department and provided strategic counsel for organization and day-to-day management of departmental staff.

"I am thrilled to be part of an important organization that works with the community to give children what they need to stay in school and prepare for life," said Ms. Green. "I am grateful for the opportunity to serve the children in Washington, DC and look forward to expanding our partnerships and services throughout the city."

Green earned her BS from the Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University and her MA in Public Administration from Baruch College City University in New York. As executive director, Green will lead the program, development, and strategic planning teams.

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*Communities In Schools of the Nation's Capital is an affiliate of Communities In Schools, Inc., the nation's largest dropout prevention organization. Founded in 2004, CIS of the Nation's Capital works with community partners to provide integrated services to students throughout the District of Columbia to help them successfully learn, stay in school and prepare for life. For additional information, visit [www.cisnationscapital.org](http://www.cisnationscapital.org).*

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