

February 24, 1999

Financial Affairs  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: RENEWAL OF BID #179-VV10- AUCTION SERVICES**

The purpose of this bid, opened on February 3, 1998, was to establish a contract, at a firm percentage charge, in the form of a buyer's premium, to provide all necessary labor, materials and equipment to conduct auctions for the sale of all supplies and/or equipment determined to be surplus or obsolete for The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida. The terms of agreement, as contained in the subject bid, awarded by the Board March 18, 1998, provided that by mutual agreement between the successful vendor and The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, the contract may be renewed for three (3) additional one (1) year periods. The contract is currently in its initial year. The awardee has agreed to renew for the first one (1) year renewal period by letter, on file. It is considered to be in the best interest of the Board to renew this bid for an additional one (1) year period, at the current prices to avoid an increased buyer's premium.

Fund Source  
Not-Applicable

M/WBE Eligibility  
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **RENEW** Bid #179-VV10 – AUCTION SERVICES, to establish a contract, at a firm percentage charge, in the form of a buyer's premium, to provide all necessary labor, materials and equipment to conduct auctions for the sale of all supplies and/or equipment determined to be surplus or obsolete, for the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, during the term of the bid, effective April 1, 1999 through March 31, 2000, as follows:

1. NATIONAL AUCTION  
1325 SOUTH CONGRESS AVENUE, SUITE 204  
BOYNTON BEACH, FL 33426

Low Bid Meeting Specifications: Item 1– Provide all necessary labor, material and equipment to conduct auctions @ 7% Buyer’s Premium.

**(First Annual Renewal And Second Year of Contract)**

2. The award shall be made subject to the resolution of bid protests, if any.

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