

Financial Affairs
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: RENEWAL OF BID #187-VV06 – INFANT CAR SEATS

The purpose of this bid, opened on January 15, 1998, was to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of infant car seats, for the Teenage Parent Program. 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 one (1) additional one (1) year period. The contract is currently in its initial year. The awardee has agreed to renew for the final 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, inasmuch as the Consumer Price Index (CPI) has increased approximately 2%.

Fund Source
0100-General

M/WBE Eligibility
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **RENEW** Bid #187-VV06—INFANT CAR SEATS, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of infant car seats, for the Teenage Parent Program, during the term of the bid, effective March 18, 1999 through March 17, 2000, as follows:

1. CENTURY PRODUCTS COMPANY
9600 VALLEY VIEW ROAD
MACEDONIA, OH 44056-----ESTIMATE \$7,717.25

Low Unit Price: Items 1 and 2.

Item 1 - Infant car seat @ \$20.50 each.

Item 2 - Car seat, convertible @ \$38.00 each.

(First Annual Renewal and Final Year of Contract)

2. Authorize the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$7,717.25. The award shall be made subject to the resolution of bid protests, if any.

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