

November 23, 1999

Financial Affairs  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: AWARD OF BID #209-XX01 – CABINETS, METAL STORAGE**

The purpose of this bid, opened on July 29, 1999, is to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of metal storage cabinets, for various schools. This is a term bid which states that the Board may purchase quantities, as may be required, at the unit price bid, but is not obligated to purchase any guaranteed amount. Of 63 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 17 responded, with 14 bids meeting specifications (not all vendors bid all items), 1 non-responsive bid (vendor qualified bid term) and 2 no bids.

Fund Source  
0100-General

M/WBE Eligibility  
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD** Bid #209-XX01 – CABINETS, METAL STORAGE, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of metal storage cabinets, for various schools, during the term of the bid, effective December 8, 1999, through December 7, 2000, as follows:

1. S. T. TAYLOR  
D/B/A ADAPTO  
625 EAST 10 AVENUE  
HIALEAH, FL 33010-4641 ESTIMATE \$18,685  
OWNER: RICHARD F. ELLIOT, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price Meeting Specifications: Item 2 – Storage cabinet, industrial @ \$185 each.

2. W. W. GRAINGER, INC.  
2255 N.W. 89 PLACE  
MIAMI FL 33172 ESTIMATE \$990  
OWNER: DAVID W. GRAINGER, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price: Item 1 – Storage cabinet, commercial @ \$110 each.

3. Authorize the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$19,675. The award shall be made subject to the resolution of bid protests, if any.

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