

Financial Affairs  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: AWARD BID NO. 080-AA06 – BUTTERFLY KITS**

The purpose of this bid, opened on April 12, 2001, is to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm prices, butterfly kits, for various schools. Of 41 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 3 responded, with 1 bid meeting specifications and 2 no bids.

In situations where only one bid was received, the Board has requested additional information. Included with each bid is a form requesting information as to why the vendor chose not to submit a bid. Vendors returned the forms with the following reasons for not bidding:

1. Our company does not handle this type of product/service. (2)

Fund Source  
0100-General

M/WBE Eligibility  
None

**RECOMMENDED:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AWARD** Bid No. 080-AA06 – BUTTERFLY KITS, to purchase, at firm prices, butterfly kits, for various schools, effective May 16, 2001, as follows:

1. BUTTERFLY MYSTIQUE OF MIAMI, INC.  
22601 S.W. 152 AVENUE  
MIAMI, FL 33170 \$34,382  
OWNER: MATTHEW L. BIELECKI, PRESIDENT

Only Bid Submitted:

Item 1 – Custom Science kit for S.M.I.L.E. @ \$25 each.  
Item 2 – Custom Science kit for New Teachers @  
\$78.50 each.

2. The award amount shall not exceed \$34,382.

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