

Office of Superintendent of Schools  
Board Meeting of November 14, 2001

October 31, 2001

Financial Affairs  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO UTILIZE OTHER ENTITY BIDS FOR PURCHASES OVER \$100,000**

Authorization is requested to utilize the Broward County Public Schools Bid No. 20-054B, which expires on June 30, 2002, to purchase audio visual, television, digital video equipment and peripherals, for various schools. The District's Bid No. 119-AA11 - AUDIO VISUAL, TELEVISION, RADIO, STUDIO EQUIPMENT, CCTV, PERIPHERALS AND MISCELLANEOUS ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT CATALOG DISCOUNT, is currently under protest. It is necessary to utilize the Broward County Public Schools bid, in order to provide these items to new schools and renovation projects that include, but are not limited to, pending projects at Dr. Michael M. Krop Senior High School, Miami Lakes Education Center and Booker T. Washington Senior High School and process pending requisitions.

Fund Source  
Various

M/WBE Eligibility  
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AUTHORIZE** the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management, to utilize the Broward County Public Schools Bid No. 20-054B, to purchase audio visual, television, digital video equipment and peripherals, for various schools, for a total amount not to exceed \$300,000.

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