

Business Operations
Ofelia San Pedro, Deputy Superintendent

**SUBJECT: RESCIND AWARD OF ITEMS 56, 80, AND 82 THROUGH 89 ON
CONTRACT NO. 018-CC08 – MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS**

COMMITTEE: BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

This contract was awarded by the Board on July 9, 2003, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of musical instruments, for the Division of Life Skills and Special Projects and various locations.

Item 56 - Mallet, Item 80 - Bongo, Item 82 - Snare, Item 83 - Quad 13", Item 84 - Quads, 10-14", Item 85 - Bass drum, 14" x 20", Item 86 - Bass drum, 14" x 22", Item 87 - Bass drum, 14" x 24", Item 88 - Bass drum, 14" x 26" and Item 89 - Bass drum 14" x 28" were awarded to Columbus Pro Percussion, Inc., of Columbus, Ohio. **Subsequent to the award, the awardee failed to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract.**

The vendor has advised that the contract would no longer be honored. Based on the failure of this vendor to perform, it is recommended that the award of these items be rescinded and that the vendor lose eligibility to transact new business with the Board for a period of fourteen (14) months pursuant to Board Rule 6Gx13- 3C-1.08 -- Performance and Payment Security, Declining a Bid Award and Bonding Company Qualifications.

These items will be purchased as the need arises, pursuant to Board Rule 6Gx13- 3C-1.111 -- Bidding Process -- Competitive Bidding Requirements, which describes the procedures and guidelines to be used for bidding based on the estimated dollar expenditure.

Fund Source
0100 - General

M/WBE Eligibility
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida:

1. **RESCIND** the award of Items 56, 80, and 82 through 89 on Contract No. 018-CC08 – MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, effective November 17, 2004, as follows:

COLUMBUS PRO PERCUSSION, INC.
5052 NORTH HIGH STREET
COLUMBUS, OH 43214 ESTIMATE \$28,101
OWNER: JIM RUPP, PRESIDENT

2. Require that Columbus Pro Percussion, Inc., of Columbus, Ohio, lose eligibility to transact new business with the Board for a period of fourteen (14) months, pursuant to Board Rule 6Gx13- 3C-1.08 -- Performance And Payment Security, Declining A Bid Award, And Bonding Company Qualifications, effective November 17, 2004.

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