Financial Affairs Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: RENEWAL OF BID #171-XX01 - STUDENT DESKS

The purpose of this bid, opened on December 15, 1998, was to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of student desks, for Stores and Mail Distribution stock. The terms of agreement, as contained in the subject bid, awarded by the Board on February 10, 1999, 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, to benefit from fixed prices during the next twelve (12) months, since the Consumer Price Index (CPI) indicates an increase of 3%.

Fund Source 0100-General

M/WBE Eligibility Female \$1,145,362.02

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, RENEW Bid #171-XX01 - STUDENT DESKS, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of student desks, for Stores and Mail Distribution stock, during the term of the bid, effective March 1, 2000, through February 28, 2001, as follows:

- 1. C. A. J. AND ASSOCIATES, INC. 807 TYLER STREET HOLLYWOOD, FL 33019 ESTIMATE \$1,145,362.02 OWNER: TERRY L. JOHNSON, PRESIDENT (WF)
 - Low Unit Price: Items 1 and 2.

Item 1 - Chair desk combo unit @ \$37.63 each.

Item 2 - Open front desk @ \$23.62 each.

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2. Authorize the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$1,145,362.02. The award shall be made subject to the resolution of bid protests, if any.

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- 67. VERNON LIBRARY SUPPLIES, INC. 2851 COLE COURT NORCROSS, GA 30071 OWNER: SHAI REBKIN, PRESIDENT
 - Item 1 @ 5% discount for furniture, 13% discount for consumables.
 - Item 2 @ 5% discount for furniture, 13% discount for consumables.
- 68. Authorize the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$2,349,308.06. The award shall be made subject to the resolution of bid protests, if any.

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