

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of April 18, 2001

March 28, 2001

Financial Affairs
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

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

(1)

Authorization is requested to utilize the State of Florida Contract No. 425-001-97-1-FURNITURE: OFFICE, which expires on March 31, 2004, to purchase office furniture, for the Office of Accounting. The district will receive a 72% discount off manufacturer's suggested retail price (Manufacturer: Knoll).

Fund Source
0100 - General

M/WBE Eligibility
None

KNOLL, INC.
C/O PARTICIPATING DEALER
P.O. BOX 157
1235 WATER STREET
EAST GREENVILLE, PA 18041 \$133,717.89
OWNER: WILLIAM L. MEYER, REGIONAL MANAGER

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, **AUTHORIZE** the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management, to utilize the following contracts:

1. State of Florida Contract No. 425-001-97-1 - FURNITURE: OFFICE, to purchase office furniture, for the Office of Accounting, for a total amount of \$133,717.89.

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