Financial Affairs Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: AWARD BID NO. 067-AA07 - FORKLIFTS AND PALLET TRUCKS (REBID)

The purpose of this bid, opened on December 12, 2000, was to establish a contract, to purchase, at firm unit prices, quantities, as may be required, of forklifts and pallet trucks, for various departments. This is a term bid which states that the Board may purchase quantities, as may be required, at the unit price bid, but is not obligated to purchase any guaranteed amount. Of 21 vendors sent bid forms or card notices of this advertised bid, 6 responded, with 5 bids meeting specifications and 1 no bid.

This award will generate a savings of \$10,310, which will permit the originator to purchase 2 additional pallet trucks.

Fund Source 0100-General

M/WBE Eligibility None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, AWARD Bid No. 067-AA07 - FORKLIFTS AND PALLET TRUCKS (REBID), to purchase, at a firm unit price, quantities, as may be required, of pallet trucks, for various departments, during the term of the bid, effective April 18, 2001, through April 17, 2002, as follows:

> 1. BRUNGART EQUIPMENT COMPANY OF FLORIDA 16500 N.W. 54 AVENUE MIAMI, FL 33014 **ESTIMATE \$83,580** OWNER: KENNETH BROWN, PRESIDENT

Low Unit Price: Item 2 - Pallet truck @ \$6,965 each.

2. Authorize the Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management to purchase up to the total estimated amount of \$83,580.

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