Financial Affairs
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: REJECT REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS NO. 068-BB10 - SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL

The purpose of this Request For Proposals, opened on February 19, 2002, was to establish a contract, to provide services to Miami-Dade County Public Schools employees, who have tested positive for drug and/or alcohol under the Drug-Free Work Place Policy, specifically under the provision of the Omnibus Transportation Employee Testing Act (OTETA). Of 18 proposers sent proposal forms or card notices of this advertised proposal, 4 responded, with 3 proposals meeting specifications and 1 no proposal.

Inasmuch as the specifications as relates to cost breakdown were ambiguous, the selection committee recommended rejecting all proposals in order to permit rebidding, using revised specifications.

Fund Source 0100 - General

M/WBE Eligibility
None

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, REJECT Request For Proposals No. 068-BB10 – SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL, to permit rebidding, using revised specifications.

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