

Financial Services  
Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

**SUBJECT: TERMINATE AWARD TO CS BENSCH, INC. ON CONTRACT NO. 052-JJ06 – HVAC AND CONTROLS: REPAIR, REPLACE, SUPPLY AND/OR INSTALL**

**COMMITTEE: FACILITIES AND CONSTRUCTION REFORM**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: FINANCIAL EFFICIENCY/STABILITY**

This contract was awarded by the Board on August 5, 2009, to pre-approved vendors, to furnish all labor, supervision, equipment and materials necessary, to replace/repair HVAC equipment, controls and related components, at Miami-Dade County Public Schools facilities.

Subsequent to the award, CS Bensch, Inc., of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, failed to perform in accordance with the terms and conditions of the bid and to pay liquidated damages. Therefore, the recommendation reflects the termination of CS Bensch, Inc. as an awardee on Contract No. 052-JJ06 and the loss of its eligibility to transact new business with the Board for a period of fourteen (14) months, pursuant to School Board Policy 6320 – Purchasing.

Fund Source

0300 – Capital Projects Fund

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

1. **TERMINATE** award to CS Bensch, Inc. on Contract No. 052-JJ06 – HVAC AND CONTROLS: REPAIR, REPLACE, SUPPLY AND/OR INSTALL, effective August 3, 2011, as follows:

CS BENSCH, INC.  
6499 N. POWERLINE ROAD, SUITE 101  
FORT LAUDERDALE, FL 33309  
OWNER: C. SCOTT BENSCH, PRESIDENT

2. Require that CS Bensch, Inc., of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, lose eligibility to transact new business with the Board for a period of fourteen (14) months, pursuant to School Board Policy 6320-Purchasing, effective August 3, 2011.

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