BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508

County of Cook and State of Illinois

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COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

ALSP BOOKS & CAREER TRAINING MATERIALS ALL COLLEGES

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that it is necessary to purchase books and instructional materials each year for students in the Adult Learning Skills Program at all Colleges and specialized career programs including: Health Occupation Career Programs, Computerized Numerical Control, Tool Technology and Offset Printing and Food Service Programs at Dawson Technical Institute, Kennedy-King College; and

that bids were not solicited because purchases of books and instructional materials are exempt from competitive bidding; and

that exact quantities or costs of purchases cannot be determined because titles and quantities will vary depending upon each College's requirements; and

that based on previous usage, estimated purchases from the following publishers/ distributors will exceed \$5,000 during FY2000:

PUBLISHERS	ESTIMATED AMOUNT	
Addison Wesley/Longman ESL, Reading, MA	\$190,000	
American Technical Publishers Inc., Homewood, IL	\$ 5,000	
Atlantic Publishing Group, Inc., Tryon, NC	\$ 5,000	
Baker & Taylor, Momence, IL	\$ 10,000	
Contemporary Books, Chicago, IL	\$120,000	
Continental Press, Inc., Elizabethtown, PA	\$ 5,000	
CTB/McGraw-Hill, Monterey, CA	\$ 40,000	
Curriculum Associates, North Bellerica, MA	\$ 10,000	
Educational Design, Inc., New York, NY	\$ 5,000	
Educational Foundation of the NRA, Chicago, IL	\$ 10,000	
Glencoe/McGraw-Hill Publishers, Manchester, MO	\$ 60,000	
Goodheart Willcox, South Holland, IL	\$ 10,000	
International Thompson Publishers, Florence, KY	\$ 75,000	
MacMillan Publishing Company, Riverside, NJ	\$ 5,000	
Martinez-Gonzalez Materials, Wilmont, WI	\$ 10,000	
McGraw-Hill Publishing, Rolling Meadows, IL	\$ 60,000	
Mosby, St. Louis, MO	\$ 35,000	
New Reader Press, Syracuse, NY	\$ 30,000	
Oxford University Press, New York, NY	\$ 8,000	
Paradigm Publishers, Eden Prairie, MN	\$ 5,000	
Prentice Hall-Regents, Old Tappan, NJ	\$190,000	

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PUBLISHERS	ESTIMATED AMOUNT	
Scott Foresman, Inc., Glenview, IL	\$	5,000
Simon & Schuster, New York, NY	\$	5,000
Southwestern Publishing Company/ITP	\$	40,000
Steck-Vaughn, Inc., Austin, TX	\$	50,000
Weiser Educational, Inc., Rancho Santa Margarita, CA	\$	12,000
John Wiley & Son, Sommerset, NY	\$	10,000

that the Office of Contract Compliance, in its efforts to complete the M/WBE compliance process for these estimated purchases, determined that no MBE or WBE firms are available in this market to supply the materials requested. All items supplied are considered sole source; therefore, this purchase does not apply to the District M/WBE requirements.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approves the issuance of annual purchase orders to the above listed publishers on an as-needed basis, and in accordance with FY2000 ISBE grant allocations, with each College issuing its own purchase orders for the books and instructional materials during FY2000.

FINANCIAL

As needed -- ISBE Grant

Respectfully submitted:

Wayne D. Watson Chancellor

July 1, 1999