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BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
County of Cook and State of Illinois

FURNITURE FOR SMART CLASSROOMS
OLIVE-HARVEY COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that it is necessary to purchase the following furniture to set up four smart (wireless) classrooms at Olive-Harvey College capable of supporting laptop computers, high-speed network printers, the Internet and data projectors to enhance student instruction:

- 54 Datalink multipurpose Tables
- 148 Armless Chairs

that it is proposed that this purchase and installation be completed through the current State of Illinois contract with Krueger International, Chicago, Illinois, which has proposed to provide furniture and installation services for a total cost not-to-exceed \$50,260.48; and

that this purchase is exempt from the District's competitive bidding requirements; and

that since the City Colleges of Chicago is purchasing and installing said furniture under an existing State of Illinois contract with Krueger International and because their contract with the State required them to meet M/WBE compliance goals, it is determined that this purchase is in compliance with the Board approved Contract Participation Plan.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approves the issuance of a purchase order in an amount not-to-exceed \$50,260.48 to Krueger International, Chicago, Illinois, for the classroom furniture at Olive-Harvey College.

FINANCIAL

\$50,260.48 – Education Fund - 541900-00003-5050500-00021

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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