

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

METI SIMULATORS
TRUMAN COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that it is necessary to purchase METI™ Simulator equipment for the Nursing program at Truman College; and

that the purchase is required to meet the specifications of the Nursing School Expansion grant awarded to Truman by the Illinois Board of Higher Education for improving equipment in lab facilities; and

that the METI™ simulator equipment requested includes a full-body instrumented pediatric mannequin, an enhanced drug recognition system and an instructor's remote laptop configured to run METI V6 software; and

that METI™ is the sole provider of high-fidelity human patient simulators in the United States; and

that this sole source purchase is exempt from the District's competitive procurement procedures; and

that the Office of M/WBE Contract Compliance has reviewed the above referenced purchasing opportunity and determined that since it is sole source transaction, it is recommended that a waiver from compliance with the Board approved Participation Plan be granted.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees authorize the issuance of a purchase order to Medical Education Technologies, Inc.(METI™) for \$53,100 to purchase the simulator equipment.

FINANCIAL

\$53,100 – IBHE Nursing Expansion Grant 21000-4000400-00029-00000-304530740-586100

Respectfully submitted:

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor