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ADOPTED - BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508  
DECEMBER 2, 2008

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

ADULT EDUCATION BOOKS  
ALL COLLEGES  
(Amend Board Report # 28108, 28109, 28624)

REPORTS

THE CHANCELLOR

that the Adult Education Program has recently finalized the process of creating a new standardized curriculum for ABE/GED/ESL programs; and

that as a final step before full implementation, the colleges have selected the vendors and core textbooks they plan to use for fiscal year 2009-10. The textbooks selected are aligned and correlated to the new standardized curriculum; in addition, the need to move towards adopting a core text is one of the requirements of the Illinois Community College Board; and

that approval is requested to amend Board Reports No. 28108, 28109, and 28624, in order to increase the spending authority of the publishers listed below for the purchase of textbooks for the adult education program; and

Vendor	Approved for FY 2008-09	Additional Funds Request FY2009-10
Oxford University Press (#28624)	\$ 60,000	\$ 20,000
Pearson Longman (#28109)	\$ 80,000	\$ 10,000
Cambridge University Press (#28109)	\$ 30,000	\$178,000
New Readers Press (#28108)	\$ 60,000	\$ 20,000
Contemporary Publishers	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$160,000</u>
	\$230,000	\$388,000

that the Office of M/WBE Contract Compliance has reviewed the above referenced amendment to previously approved Board reports for books, and since each of these vendors are sole sources for their respective books, it is recommended that a waiver from compliance from the Board approved Participation Plan be granted.

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RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approves the issuance of purchase orders for additional funds of \$388,000 for a total amount not to exceed \$618,000 per Fiscal Year through Fiscal Year 2010 to the vendors listed above for the purchase of adult education books.

FINANCIAL

Not to exceed \$618,000 per Fiscal Year Education and/or Grant Funds -  
Various Colleges: 10000-11000-541200

Respectfully submitted:

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Chancellor

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