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

NURSING COMPREHENSIVE TESTING SERVICES Daley, Kennedy-King, Malcolm X, Olive-Harvey, Truman and Wright Colleges Academic Affairs (Amend Board Report #29147 Adopted December 2, 2008 for Additional Authority and Payment Ratification)

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that in Board Report #29147 adopted December 2, 2008, the Board of Trustees authorized the Chairman to enter into an agreement with Elsevier Review & Testing to deliver Associate Degree Nursing Program students a comprehensive examination in an amount not to exceed \$42,000 and to provide a review course for Fall 2008 through Summer 2010; as well as examinations for the Fall, Spring and Summer semesters in an amount not to exceed \$300,000 for a total cost of \$342,000, for the period of September 7, 2008 through September 6, 2010; and

that there is a need to amend Board Report #29147 to include Wright College nursing students; and

that Academic Affairs also seeks approval for the purchase of specialty test for individual online access from Elsevier Review & Testing for fiscal year 2010 and 2011 for approximately 1,200 students at \$290 per student for a total of \$348,000 annually; and

that Elsevier Review & Testing has customized the specialty test for individual online access for CCC students and this professional testing service is exempt from District competitive bidding procedures; and

that the Office of M/WBE Contract Compliance has reviewed the above referenced nursing comprehensive testing and review services and, Elsevier Review & Testing was previously granted a waiver from compliance, is recommending that this waiver from compliance with the Board Approved Participation Plan be continued.

THE CHANCELLOR

- **RECOMMENDS** that the Board of Trustees authorizes the Chairman to amend the agreement with Elsevier Review & Testing to include the following: Wright College nursing students; and request additional authority to purchase the customized specialty test for individual online access for CCC students for fiscal years 2010 and 2011in an amount not to exceed \$348,000 annually for an additional total not to exceed amount of \$ 696,000 from September 3, 2009 through September 2, 2011.
- FINANCIALAdditional Authority Not to Exceed \$696,000FY10 \$348,000 Education Fund 00003-Various Colleges-538100FY11 \$348,000 Education Fund 00003-Various Colleges-538100

Respectfully submitted,

Deidra Lewis, Interim Chancellor