ADOPTED – BOARD OF TRUSTEES COMMUNITY **COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508 JUNE 3, 2010**

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

DATABASE PUBLISHERS and LEARNING RESOURCES SINGLE SOURCE PURCHASES **ALL COLLEGES**

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that in Fiscal Year 2009 Board Report # 28914 adopted August 7, 2008 granted approval to annually purchase database published online subscription services for libraries, legal research and instructional aids for various programs at all colleges from sole source database publishers; and

that the College libraries are expected to provide resources which support the curriculum and it is necessary to continue to provide the students with these resources; and

that based on previous usage, CCC staff recommends approval to purchase online subscription services annually beginning July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011 which are procurable exclusively through the vendors listed below:

	Actual	Estimated Annual
	Usage	Usage
	FY 2010	FY 2011
ProQuest	\$ 74,215.00	\$ 81,826.50
Ebsco Subscriptions	\$ 37,147.97	\$ 13,598.55
C.Q. Researcher	\$ 9,440.88	\$ 4,669.35
West Group	\$ 8,595.88	\$ 10,688.48
New Readers Press	\$ 6,318.95	\$ 7,350.00
Backstage Library Works	\$ 0	\$ 3,423.00
Innovative Interfaces, Inc.	\$ 34,140.00	\$ 36,527.40
R. R. Bowker	\$ 9,271.55	\$ 10,319.23
Illinet/OCLC	\$ 0	\$ 21,320.25
Total	\$179,130.23	\$189,722.76

that sole source purchases are exempt from the District's competitive procurement requirements; and

that the Office of M/WBE Contract Compliance has reviewed the above referenced listing of sole source vendors and, as there is no opportunity to further directly subcontract the online services provided by these vendors, is recommending a waiver of direct participation of certified MBE and WBE vendors on this project in compliance with the Board Approved Participation Plan.

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RECOMMENDS that the Board of Trustees approves the issuance of purchase orders on an as needed basis to the vendors identified above for access to online database publishing services in an estimated total amount not to exceed \$189,722.76 for the period beginning July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011.

FINANCIAL Not to exceed \$189,722.76 - Various Funds - Various Colleges-544200

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl L. Hyman Chancellor