APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH CDW GOVERNMENT (CDW-G) FOR THE PURCHASE OF SOFTWARE RESALE AND SUPPORT SERVICES AND PRODUCTS

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve entering into an agreement with CDW Government, LLC for the purchase of Software Resale, Support Services and Products for CPS schools, charter schools, network instructional offices, and departments at a total cost not to exceed \$16,683,000.00. This agreement is subject to the Board's Strategic Sourcing policy. Vendor was selected on a competitive basis pursuant to Board Rule 7-2 through a joint Request for Proposals with the Board, City of Chicago, and Cook County (Specification No. 105081). A written agreement for this purchase is currently being negotiated. No goods may be ordered or received and no payment shall be made to Vendor prior to execution of the written agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written agreement is not executed within 90 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this agreement is stated below.

Contract Administrator:

Sinnema, Mr. Ethan Cedric / 773-553-3295

VENDOR:

1) Vendor # 63673 CDW GOVERNMENT, LLC 300 NORTH MILWAUKEE AVE. VERNON HILLS, IL 60061 Brad Huffman 877 489-8641

USER INFORMATION:

Contact:

12510 - Information & Technology Services

125 South Clark Street - 3rd Floor

Chicago, IL 60603

Foster, Mr. Belvie J

773-553-1347

TERM:

The term of this agreement shall commence on August 1, 2013 and shall end on July 31, 2016. This agreement shall have two (2) options to renew for periods of two (2) years each.

EARLY TERMINATION RIGHT:

The Board shall have the right to terminate this agreement with 30 days written notice.

DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE:

Vendor will source all Microsoft software titles and all Commercial Off-The-Shelf (COTS) software titles that are ready-made and available for the sale, lease, or license to the general public. Vendor will function as the Enterprise Software Reseller of Record for Board software agreements. Vendor will also provide the following services: software order fulfillment services; automated on-line order fulfillment and license inventory management services; general maintenance and support services; implementation, configuration and support services; and recommendations on enterprise licensing strategies, software titles, and negotiation strategies with enterprise software licensing providers.

OUTCOMES:

Vendor will provide services that will centralize and simplify the acquisition of software, licenses, software implementation/configuration, software maintenance, and support services for all Microsoft products and all commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) software used by all network offices, remote central office locations, central office departments, and schools.

COMPENSATION:

Vendor shall be paid in accordance with the unit prices contained in the agreement; total not to exceed the sum of \$16,683,000.00.

AUTHORIZATION:

Authorize the General Counsel to include other relevant terms and conditions in the written agreement. Authorize the President and Secretary to execute the agreement. Authorize the Chief Procurement Officer to execute all ancillary documents required to administer or effectuate this agreement.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:

This agreement is in full compliance with the goals required by the Remedial Program for Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise Participation in Goods and Services Contracts The MBE/WBE goals for this agreement are: 25% total MBE and 5% total WBE participation.

The Vendor has identified the following:

Total MBE - 25%

KBS Computer Services 418 Highland Road Matteson, Illinois 60443 Contact: Anthony Kitchens

Total WBE - 5%

Advotek, Inc. 148 Ogden Avenue Downers Grove, Illinois 60515 Contact: Diana Conley

LSC REVIEW:

Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL:

Charge to various schools and departments:

Fiscal years: 2014-2017 Budget Classification: 53306 - Software

56105 - Services/Repair Contracts

54105 - Contractual Services

CFDA#: Not Applicable

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General - Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Conflicts - The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to, former Board members during the one year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Indebtedness - The Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted June 26, 1996 (96-0626-PO3), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

Ethics - The Board's Ethics Code adopted May 25, 2011 (11-0525-PO2), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

Contingent Liability - The agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability, subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year budget(s).

Approved for Consideration:

SÉBASTIEN de LONGEAUX Chief Procurement Officer Approved:

BARBARA BYRD-BENNETT Chief Executive Officer

Approved as to Legal For

JAMES L. BEBLEY General Counsel