



# THE NEW YORK CITY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

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## AGENDA

The Department of Education's (DOE) Committee on Contracts has been asked for approval to enter into contract negotiations with the following organizations for the services described below. Other organizations interested in providing these services to the DOE are invited to indicate their ability to do so by writing to Jay G. Miller at 65 Court Street, Room 1201, Brooklyn, NY 11201. Responses should be received no later than 9:00 AM Thursday, September 6, 2007.

### ITEM(S) FOR CONSIDERATION:

#### 1. IBM/CentrePath for DWDM Services

*Service: The Division of Instructional and Information Technology (DIIT) is requesting an exception to competitive procurement to enter into contract with IBM/CentrePath (CentrePath is a sub-contractor to IBM) for Dense Wave Division Multiplexing Installation and Support Services.*

*The term of this agreement will be for one-year from July, 1 2007 through June 30, 2008, for a cost of \$202,280.16.*

TERM: 7/1/07-6/30/08)

Total Contract Cost \$202,280.16

Funding Source: Quick Code: 037719; Object Code: 686; Location Code: G901

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#### 2. Success for All Foundation, Inc.

*Service: The Manhattan Integrated Service Center (ISC) requests an exception to competitive procurement to enter into contract with Success for All Foundation, Inc., (SFA) to provide professional development, on and off-site training, regular assessment, materials, and ongoing support for reading at P.S. 129 M, The John H. Finley Campus School.*

*The term of this agreement will be for three years from July, 1, 2007 through June 30, 2010, for a total contract cost of \$193,142.*

TERM: 7/1/07-6/30/10

Total Contract Cost \$193,142

Funding Source: Galaxy Location: 05M129; Activity Code: 0594; Quick Code: 081675

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#### 3. College Board

*Service: The Office of Assessment and Accountability is requesting an exception to bid for the procurement of standardized exam materials and pedagogical training from the College Board. The College Board is a sole source manufacturer and proprietor in the United States for the Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) and Advanced Placement (AP test) Exams.*

*The proposed contract agreement is for two years from September 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009 for a cost of \$3,664,013.60.*

TERM: 9/1/07 – 6/30/09

Total Contract Cost \$3,664,013.60

Funding Source: Tax Levy, District 40; Quick Code 044780; Location M04S

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#### 4. IBM

*Service: The Division of Teaching and Learning, Office of Special Education Initiatives is requesting an increase in the value of the IBM Special Education Student Information System (SEIS) Strategic Plan Development Contract #25257709. Originally, the amount of this full value contract was \$500,000 for a term of May 1, 2006 to April 30, 2009. This amount covered the first of four (4) components of the scope of work entailing assistance in the writing of a detailed strategic plan and project specification document(s), including a timetable for field-testing and system-wide implementation resulting in a Request for Proposal (RFP) document.*

*This amendment will enable IBM to revise the RFP and begin Phase 2 of the work plan. Phase 2 will allow IBM to do blueprinting, assist in the evaluation and selection of a vendor, and assist with the contract process.*



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*The proposed contract amendment will add \$975,000 to the contract, bringing the total cost to \$1,475,000, term of the contract will remain unchanged. Of the \$975,000 amendment value, \$489,015 will be earmarked for requirements gathering necessary to complete the strategic plan resulting in the release of the RFP. An additional \$485,985 can be exercised as an option by the NYCDOE for “solution blueprinting” and business negotiations.*

TERM: 5/1/06 – 4/30/09

Original Contract Cost: \$500,000

Cost of this amendment: \$975,000

Total Contract Cost: \$1,475,000

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