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January 30, 2017

ADDENDUM 2 ITB No. 17-171B HOUSEHOLD, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES (CATALOG)

TO: ALL BIDDERS

This Addendum amends the above-referenced Bid in the following particulars only:

- 1. As a reminder, the Due Date for this Bid has been postponed for February 15, 2017.
- 2. **DELETE:** Page i of i Page **INSERT:** Page i of i Page REVISED **(Table of Contents updated with new page numbers for Section 6)**
- DELETE: Page 16 of 44 Pages through Page 30 of 44 Pages INSERT: Page 16 of 30 Pages – REVISED through Page 30 of 30 Pages - REVISED (NEW Format to submit data is being introduced and subsequent pages were renumbered)

This Notification is for informational purposes only and need not be returned with your ITB. By virtue of signing the "Invitation to Bid", Page 1 of Bid No. 17-171B, Bidder certifies acceptance of this Notification.

Sincerely,

Larissa Seda

Larissa M. Seda Purchasing Agent I

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SECTION 5, BID SUMMARY SHEET

PLEASE USE NEW EXCEL SPREADSHEET

17-171B NEW BID SUMMARY SHEET

AVAILABLE FOR DOWNLOAD IN DEMANDSTAR

The Bid Summary Spreadsheet and Company Representative information need to be both in PDF format as well as a separate attachment in an Excel (.xls) format, and submitted in time for bid opening using electronic storage media such as USB drives/memory sticks.

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 1 DISCLOSURE OF POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND CONFLICTING EMPLOYMENT OR CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP

In accordance with General Condition 11, each Bidder must disclose in its Bid, the names of any employees who are employed by Bidder who are also an employees of SBBC. Persons identified below may have obligations and restrictions applicable to them under Chapter 112, Florida Statutes.

Name of Bidder's Employee	SBBC Title or Position of Bidder's Employee	SBBC Department/ School of Bidder's Employee

Check one of the following and sign:

□ I hereby affirm that there are no known persons employed by Bidder who are also an employee of SBBC.

□ I hereby affirm that all known persons who are employed by Bidder who are also an employee of SBBC have been identified above.

Signature

Company Name

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The School Board of Broward County, Florida

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SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 2 THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA <u>SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 287.087, FLORIDA STATUTES, AS CURRENTLY ENACTED OR AS AMENDED FROM TIME</u> TO TIME, ON PREFERENCE TO BUSINESSES WITH DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PROGRAMS.

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS.

This sworn statement is submitted to The School Board of Broward County, Florida,

by_

(Print individual's name and title)

for_

(Print name of entity submitting sworn statement)

whose business address is

and (if applicable) its Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is _______(If the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number of the individual signing this sworn statement:

I certify that I have established a drug-free workplace program and have complied with the following:

- 1. Published a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that shall be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
- 2. Informed employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the business' policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
- 3. Given each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
- 4. In the statement specified in subsection (1), notified the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employee shall abide by the terms of the statement and shall notify the employer of any conviction of, or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of chapter 893 or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction.
- 5. Shall impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community by, any employee who is so convicted.
- 6. Am making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug free workplace through implementation of this section.

	(Signature)
Sworn to and subscribed before me this	_ day of, 20
Personally Known	
OR Produced identification	Notary Public - State of
(Type of identification)	My commission expires
FORM: #4530 3/93	(Printed, typed or stamped commissioned name of notary public)
VENDOR NAME:	
LS/as	ADDENDUM 2

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 3

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM LIMITS OF INSURANCE

GENERAL LIABILITY: Limits not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for Bodily Injury/ Property Damage; \$1,000,000 General Aggregate.

Limits not less than \$1,000,000 for Products/Completed Operations Aggregate.

WORKER'S COMPENSATION: Florida Statutory limits in accordance with Chapter 440; Employer's Liability limits not less than \$100,000/\$100,000/\$500,000 (each accident/disease-each employee/disease-policy limit).

AUTO LIABILITY: Owned, Non-Owned and Hired Auto Liability with Bodily Injury and Property Damage limits of not less than \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit.

If Awardee does not own any vehicles, hired and non-owned automobile liability coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 shall be accepted. In addition, an affidavit signed by the Awardee must be furnished to SBBC indicating the following:

_____(Awardee Name) does not own any vehicles. In the event insured acquires any vehicles throughout the term of this agreement, insured agrees to provide proof of "Any Auto" coverage effective the date of acquisition. (Fax affidavit with Certificate of Insurance to SBBC Risk Management at 866-897-0424.)

ACCEPTABILITY OF INSURANCE CARRIERS: The insurance policies shall be issued by companies qualified to do business in the State of Florida. The insurance companies must be rated at least A- VI by AM Best or Aa3 by Moody's Investor Service.

VERIFICATION OF COVERAGE: Proof of the required insurance must be furnished by an Awardee to SBBC Risk Management Department by Certificate of Insurance within 15 days of notification of award. All certificates (and any required documents) must be received and approved by SBBC before any work commences to permit Awardee time to remedy any deficiencies. FAX CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE TO SBBC RISK MANAGEMENT AT 866-897-0424.

REQUIRED CONDITIONS: Liability policies must contain the following provisions. In addition, the following wording must be included on the Certificate of Insurance:

The School Board of Broward County, FL, its members, officers, employees and agents are added as additional insured. The endorsement # is: ______.

All liability policies are primary of all other valid and collectable coverage maintained by the School Board of Broward County, Florida.

(**Please include the Contract # and Title on the Certificate of Insurance.) (Certificate Holder: School Board of Broward County, 600 Southeast Third Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301.)

CANCELLATION OF INSURANCE: Vendors are prohibited from providing services under this contract with SBBC without the minimum required insurance coverage and must notify SBBC within two business days if required insurance is cancelled.

Any questions as to the intent or meaning of any part of the above required coverage should be submitted in writing and in accordance with General Condition 5. See also General Conditions 12 and 20.

The School Board of Broward County, Florida reserves the right to review, reject or accept any required policies of insurance, including limits, coverage's or endorsements, herein throughout the term of this contract.

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 4 (See Special Condition 5)

LEGAL OPINION OF BIDDER'S PREFERENCE

MUST BE COMPLETED BY ALL BIDDERS.

Section 1 must be completed by the Attorney for an Out-of-State Bidder Section 2 must be completed and signed by Florida Bidder

NOTICE: The State of Florida provides a Bidder's preference for Bidders whose principal place of business is within the State of Florida for the purchase of personal property. The local preference is five (5) percent. Bidders whose principal place of business is outside the State of Florida must have an Attorney, licensed to practice law in the out-of-state jurisdiction, as required by Florida Statute 287.084(2), execute the "Opinion of Out-of-State Bidder's Attorney on Bidding Preferences" form, Section 6, Attachment 4, and must submit this form with submitted bid. Such opinion should permit SBBC's reliance on such attorney's opinion for purposes of complying with Florida Statute 287.084. Florida Bidders are not required to have an Attorney render an opinion but the Florida Bidder must complete its portion of this form. Failure to submit and execute this form, with bid, shall result in bid being considered "non-responsive" and bid rejected.

SECTION 1	LEGAL OPINION ABOUT OUT-OF-STATE BIDDING PREFERENCES
	(Must Select One)

_____ The Bidder's principal place of business is in the State of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that state <u>do not</u> <u>grant a preference</u> in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that state.

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the State of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that state grant the following preference(s) in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that state: [Please describe applicable preference(s) and identify applicable state law(s)]:

The undersigned attorney submits the foregoing opinions with the intention that they be relied upon by The School Board of Broward County, Florida in the letting of public contracts

Signature of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Printed name of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Address of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Telephone Number of out-of-state Bidder's attorney: (___) ____ - ____

Email address of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Attorney's state(s) of bar admission:

<u>SECTION 2</u> <u>LEGAL OPINION ABOUT POLITICAL SUBDIVISION BIDDING PREFERENCES FOR A FLORIDA BIDDER ONLY</u> <u>ATTORNEY'S OPINION AND SIGNATURE NOT REQUIRED FOR FLORIDA BIDDERS</u> (Must Select One)

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of Broward County, Florida.

_____ The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that political subdivision <u>do not grant a preference</u> in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that political division.

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that political subdivision grant the following preference(s) in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that political subdivision: [Please describe applicable preference(s) and identify applicable authority granting the preference(s)]:

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 5

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In the cases below, the following person must give Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States:

 In the case of a disregarded entity with a U.S. owner, the U.S. owner of the disregarded entity and not the entity,

In the case of a grantor trust with a U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner, generally, the U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner of the grantor trust and not the trust, and

 In the case of a U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust), the U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

Foreign person. If you are a foreign person or the U.S. branch of a foreign bank that has elected to be treated as a U.S. person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 or Form 8233 (see Publication 515, Withholding of Tax on Nonrealident Allens and Foreign Entitles).

Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien. Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treatly to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an examption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payee has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treatly to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following five items:

 The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.

2. The treaty article addressing the income.

The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.

4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.

Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

Example. Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. taw, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calandar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treatly (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinase student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an examption from tax on his or her scholarship or followship income would attach to Form W-0 a statement that includes the information.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8 or Form 8233.

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS a percentage of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, tax-axempt interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,

 You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 3 for details),

3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,

 The IRS tails you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or

 You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Cartain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See Exempt payee code on page 3 and the separate instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 1.

What is FATCA reporting? The Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) requires a participating foreign financial institution to report all United States account holders that are specified United States persons. Certain payees are exempt from FATCA reporting. See Exemption from FATCA reporting code on page 3 and the Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Updating Your Information

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an exempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the future from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information if you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or if you no longer are tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account, for example, if the grantor of a grantor frust dies.

Penalties

Failure to furnish TIN. If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

Criminal penalty for faisitying information. Wilifully faisitying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including thes and/or imprisonment.

Misuse of TINs. If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

Specific Instructions

Name

If you are an individual, you must generally enter the name shown on your income tax return. However, if you have changed your last name, for instance, due to marriage without informing the Social Security Administration of the name change, enter your first name, the last name shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

If the account is in joint names, list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of the form.

Sole proprietor. Enter your individual name as shown on your income tax return on the "Name" line. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA)" name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Partnership, C Corporation, or S Corporation. Enter the entity's name on the "Name" line and any business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA) name" on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Disregarded entity. For U.S. federal tax purposes, an entity that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner is treated as a "disregarded entity." See Regulation section 301.7701-2(c)(2)(II). Enter the owner's name on the "Name" line. The name of the entity enforced on the "Name" line should never be a disregarded entity. The name on the "Name" line must be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner's name is required to be provided on the "Name" line. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for the dearal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity's name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line. If the owner of the disregarded of a Form W-0. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TIN.

Note. Check the appropriate box for the U.S. federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on the "Name" line (Individual/sole proprietor, Partnership, C Corporation, S Corporation, Trust/estate).

Limited Liability Company (LLC). If the person identified on the "Name" line is an LLC, check the "Limited liability company" box only and enter the appropriate code for the U.S. faderal tax classification in the space provided. If you are an LLC that is treated as a partnership for U.S. federal tax purposes, enter "P" for partnership. If you are an LLC that has filed a Form 8832 or a Form 2553 to be taxed as a corporation, enter "C" for C corporation or "S" for S corporation, as appropriate. If you are an LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner under Regulation section 301.7701-3 (except for employment and excise tax), do not check the LLC box unless the owner of the LLC (required to be identified on the "Name" line) is another LLC that is not disregarded for U.S. federal tax purposes. If the LLC is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner, enter the appropriate tax classification of the owner identified on the "Name" line.

Other entities. Enter your business name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on the "Name" line. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Exemptions

If you are exempt from backup withholding and/or FATCA reporting, enter in the Exemptions box, any code(s) that may apply to you. See Exempt payee code and Exemption from FATCA reporting code on page 3.

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Exempt payee code. Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exampt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends. Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions.

Note. If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding: 1—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a

custodial account under section 403(b)(7) If the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)

2-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

3-A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

4-A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities

5-A corporation

6-A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States

7-A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission

8-A real estate investment trust

9-An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the investment. Company Act of 1940

10-A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)

11-A financial institution

12—A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian

13-A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 13.

IF the payment is for	THEN the payment is exempt for
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt payees except for 7
Broker transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 and all C corporations. S corporations must not enter an exempt payee code because they are exempt only for sales of noncovered securities acquired prior to 2012.
Barler exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt payees 1 through 4
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 ¹	Generally, exempt payees 1 through 5 ²
Payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4

¹See Form 1099-MISC, Miscelianeous Income, and its instructions.

²However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' tees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney, and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

Exemption from FATCA reporting code. The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank. Consult with the person requesting this form if you are uncertain if the financial institution is subject to these requirements.

A-An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)

B-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

C-A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

D-A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)()

E-A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(d)(1)()

F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the investment Company Act of 1940

I-A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)

- J—A bank as defined in section 581
- K-A broker

L-A trust exempt from tax under section 864 or described in section 4947(a)(1)

M-A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan

Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (TTIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see How to get a TIN below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, the IRS prefers that you use your SSN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (see Limited Liability Company (LLC) on page 2), enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). Do not enter the disregarded entity's EIN. If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

Note. See the chart on page 4 for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

How to get a TIN. If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local Social Security Administration office or get this form online at www.ssa.gov.You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an TIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at www.irs.gov/businesses and clicking on Employer Identification Number (EIN) under Starting a Business. You can get Forms W-7 and SS-4 from the IRS by visiting IRS.gov or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3670).

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, apply for a TIN and write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

Note. Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

Caution: A disregarded U.S. entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if items 1, 4, or 5 below indicate otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on the "Name" line must sign. Exempt payees, see Exempt payee code earlier.

Signature requirements. Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 5 below.

 Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

 Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983. You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are marely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

 Real estate transactions. You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

4. Other payments. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, noyatiles, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to altorneys (including payments to corporations).

 Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the cartification.

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For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual 2. Two or more individuals (joint account)	The individual The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account '
 Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act) 	The minor *
 a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee) 	The grantor-trustee '
 b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law 	The actual owner "
 Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual 	The owner*
 Grantor trust filing under Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (see Regulation section 1.671–4(b)(2)()(A)) 	The grantor*
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
 Disregarded entity not owned by an individual 	The owner
8. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity *
 Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553 	The corporation
 Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization 	The organization
11. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
2. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
13. Account with the Department of Agriculture In the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prisori) that receives agricultural	The public entity
program payments	The trust

¹List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

³ Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

³You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or "DBA" name on the "Business name/disregarded entity" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

⁴List first and circle the name of the trust, estats, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account tits.) Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 1.

"Note, Grantor also must provide a Form W-e to trustee of trust.

Note. If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

Secure Your Tax Records from Identity Theft

Identity theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, social security number (SSN), or other identitying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other orthmes. An identity their may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a retund.

- To reduce your risk:
- Protect your SSN,
- · Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identity theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or walket, questionable credit card activity or credit report, contact the IRS identity Theft Hotline at 1-800-908-4490 or submit Form 14030.

For more information, see Publication 4535, identity Theft Prevention and Victim Assistance.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a system problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes. Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user faisely claiming to be an established legitimate enterprise in an attempt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identify theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal datalled information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to phishing@irs.gov. You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration at 1-800-386-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at sparn@uce.gov or contact them at www.ftc.gov/idtheft or 1-877-IDTHEFT (1-877-438-4338).

Visit IRS.gov to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secure gropenty; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS; to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secure gropenty; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS; to porting the above information. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal illigation and to cities, status, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their laws. The information also may be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to foderal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section 3406, payers must generally withhold a percentage of taxable inferest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payse who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties agencies must generally withhold a percentage of taxable inferest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payse who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties apply for providing taise or fraudulent information.

	ool Board of Broward County, Florida nt Agreement Form (ACH CREDITS (See General Condition 10)	5)
VENDOR NAME:		
	Authorization Agreement	
(we) hereby authorize <u>The School Board of E</u> named below. Additionally, I authorize <u>The S</u> event that a credit entry is made in error.	Broward County to initiate automatic deposits (credits) to my School Board of Broward County to make the necessary	account at the financial instituti debit entries/adjustments in t
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Name of Bank or Financial Institution:		
Branch/ State		
Routing No:	Checking	Savings
Account No:		
VENDOR AREA: Remittance Confirmation:	Fax	Email
please select one)		
ederal Identification No. Vendor	TAX ID#	SS#
	Update Purchase Order Fax & Email Address	
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Centralized Email	[Dept
Centralized Phone No.	[Dept
	Signature	
Authorized Signature Primary) and Business title:	[Date:
Authorized Signature Joint) and Business title:	[Date:
Please attach a V	OIDED check to verify bank details and routing number.	
	e returned to: SBBC – Purchasing – Data Strategy Group Blvd, Sunrise FL 33351 call: 754-321-0516 or fax # 754-32	
	For Use by DATA STRATEGY GROUP	
Vendor Account#	Date Entered Initia	ls:

ADDENDUM 2

SECTION 7, STATEMENT OF "NO BID"

If your company shall not be submitting a bid in response to this Invitation to Bid, please complete this Statement of "No Bid" Sheet and return, prior to the Bid Due Date established within, to:

> The School Board of Broward County, Florida Procurement and Warehousing Services 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, Florida 33351

This information shall help SBBC in the preparation of future Bids.

Address:_____

Bid Number:	Title:
Company Name:	
Contact:	

Telephone: ______ Facsimile: _____

 Reasons for "NO Bid":
Unable to comply with product or service specifications.
Unable to comply with scope of work.
Unable to quote on all items in the group.
Insufficient time to respond to the Invitation to Bid.
Unable to hold prices firm through the term of the contract period.
Our schedule would not permit us to perform.
Unable to meet delivery requirements.
Unable to meet bond requirements.
Unable to meet insurance requirements.
Other (Specify below)

Comments:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

MINORITY/WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (M/WBE) PARTICIPATION FORM

Bidder's (Company) Name: _____

Complete the following information on the proposed M/WBE participation on this contract. Total percentage should not exceed 100%. If proposer is an M/WBE, proposer should be listed below. If proposer is not an M/WBE, percentage should not equal 100% unless the total work (100%) to be performed under this contract will be subcontracted to M/WBEs.

M/WBE Firm Information	Scope and/or Nature of Work to be Performed by the M/WBE	% of M/WBE Participation for this contract
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		

FOR INFORMATION ON M/WBE CERTIFIED VENDORS, PLEASE CONTACT THE SUPPLIER DIVERSITY & OUTREACH PROGRAM OFFICE (754) 321-0550, OR ONLINE AT http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/supply/sdop/vendorlist.htm

<u>Monthly Utilization Reports to be Submitted to:</u> The School Board of Broward County, Florida Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, FL 33351-6704

754-321-0550 Telephone

754-321-0934 FAX

MONTHLY M/WBE UTILIZATION REPORT

This report is required 15 days after the end of each month, whether the M/WBE(s) received payments or not, until all committed remuneration has been received by the M/WBE.

1. Reporting Period From:

Reporting Period To: _

This report is required by The School Board of Broward County, Florida. Failure to comply may result in the School Board commencing proceedings to impose sanctions on the Prime Vendor, in addition to pursuing any other available legal remedy. Sanctions may include the withholding of payments for work committed to M/WBE participants, and a negative recommendation to award further contracts bid by The School Board of Broward County, Florida.

PRIME VENDOR INFORMATION

NAME & ADDRESS OF PRIME VENDOR	CONTRACT AMOUNT (if applicable)	LENGTH OF CONTRACT	CONTRACT START DATE	CONTRACT END DATE	TOTAL % OR \$ AMOUNT TO MINORITY/ WOMEN VENDORS
ITB Number: 17-171B					
ITB Title: Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories (Catalog)					
SUPPLIER DIVERS	SITY & OUTRE	ACH PROGRA	M VENDOR II	VFORMATIC)N
NAME OF CERTIFIED M/WBE VENDOR	WORK DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT DRAWN/PAID TO VENDOR	AMOUNT FOR WORK PERFORMED DURING MONTH	AMOUNT PAID TO DATE	% of TOTAL PAID TO CONTRACT AMOUNT
Company Official's Signature & Title:					
Phone # ()		_ Date:			

THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR BID OR UPON REQUEST

EXHIBIT B CERTIFICATION OF DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION LOWER TIER TRANSACTIONS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, 45 CFR 1183.35, Participants' responsibilities. The regulations were published as Part VII of the May 26, 1988 <u>Federal Register</u> (pages 19160-19211). Copies of the regulations may be obtained by going to this link: <u>http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/granule/CFR-2011-title45-vol3/CFR-2011-title45-vol3-sec1183-35</u>

(BEFORE COMPLETING CERTIFICATION, READ INSTRUCTIONS ON THE NEXT PAGE)

(1) The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

(2) Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Organization Name

ITB Number

Name(s) and Title(s) of Authorized Representative(s)

Signature(s)

Date

EXHIBIT B INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the federal government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the person to which this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 5. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Non-procurement List (Telephone Number).
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the federal government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.

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January 27, 2017

ADDENDUM 1 ITB No. 17-171B HOUSEHOLD, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES (CATALOG)

TO: ALL BIDDERS

This Addendum amends the above-referenced Bid in the following particulars only:

- 1. The Due Date for this Bid has been postponed for February 15, 2017.
- 2. DELETE: Page 1 INSERT: Page 1 REVISED (DUE DATE has been changed)
- 3. DELETE: Page 4 INSERT: Page 4 REVISED (General Condition 37 has been revised)
- 4. Before submitting your bid response, please ensure that:
 - a. Section 1, Bidder Acknowledgement is fully completed and executed as per General Condition 1.
 - b. Section 6, Attachment 4 (Legal Opinion of Bidder's Preference) is ACCURATELY completed, executed, and submitted with your bid as indicated in Special Condition 5.
 - c. Exhibit B Certification of Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion is completed, executed and submitted as indicated in Special Condition 6.
 - d. Bid Summary Sheets are completed as indicated in Special Condition 3 AWARD.

This Notification is for informational purposes only and need not be returned with your ITB. By virtue of signing the "Invitation to Bid", Page 1 of Bid No. 17-171B, Bidder certifies acceptance of this Notification.

Sincerely,

Larissa Seda

Larissa M. Seda Purchasing Agent I

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	The School Board of Brow PROCUREMENT AND WAR 7720 West Oakland Park Sunrise, Florida 754-321-	REHOUSI Boulevar 33351-67	HOUSING SERVICES oulevard, Suite 323 3351-6704 (ITR)				
DUE DATE: Bids due on or before 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time (ET) at Procurement & Warehousing Services :		ITB NO.: 17-171B			EASE DATE : CEMBER 16, 2016	PURCHASING AGENT: Larissa Seda 754-321-0524-	
FEBRUARY 15, 2017 Check Addenda for any revised opening dates before submitting your bid. Bid(s) received, after the date and time stated above, shall not be considered for award. Faxed bids are not allowed and will not be considered for award.		BID TITLE: HOUSEHOLD, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES					
	SECTION 1	1, Bidder	Acknowledger	nent			
	al condition 1, this section must be c ND submitted with the Bid. Failure t	OMPLETED	IN ITS ENTIRETY IN	CLUDIN			
Bidder's Name and state "Doing Business As", where applicable:			<u>"REMIT TO"</u> ADDRESS FOR PAYMENT: If payment(s) is/are to be mailed to address other than as stated on left, please complete section below. Check this box if address is the same as stated on the left.				
Address:			P.O. Address:				
City:							
State:	Zip Code:		City:				
Telephone Number:			State: Zip Code:				
Toll Free Number:			Contact:				
Fax Number:			Telephone Number:				
E-Mail Address of Authorized	Representative:		Toll Free Number	:			
E-mail Address to Send Pure	chase Orders:		Fax Number:				
Federal Tax Identification Num			u.				
authorized by Bidder to do so. Biddo contents of all pages in this Invitatio Addenda released hereto; Bidder an conditions contained in the ITB, and are requirements of this ITB and fail	the following information as my firm's (Bidder) I er agrees to complete and unconditional accept in To Bid (ITB), and all appendices and the cont grees to be bound to any and all specifications, any released Addenda and understand that th ure to comply will result in disqualification of bid	ance of the tents of any , terms and he following I submitted;			ed Representative (Man		
with any other Bidder or party to an offered campaign contributions to So	or compared the bid with other Bidders and has n y other bid; Bidder, its principals, or their lobbyi shool Board Members or offer contributions to Sc andidates for political office during the period in	ists has not chool Board		rized F	Representative (Typed or	Printed)	
Bidder is attempting to sell goods o offering campaign contributions sha any solicitation for a competitive pro II, Section GG as well as School I Fundraising. Bidder acknowledges record as defined by the State of F data and information contained in th	r services to the School Board. This period of I Il commence at the time of the "cone of silence icurement as described by School Board Policy Board Policy 1007, Section 5.4 – Campaign C that all information contained herein is part of lorida Sunshine and Public Records Laws; all is bid are true and accurate and open to public i <i>ithdrawn within 90 days from date due</i> .	limitation of " period for 3320, Part Contribution f the public responses, inspection.	Title				
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Bid Bond	Descriptive Literature		/WBE Participation	n		I Safety Data Sheets	
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Note: If your firm wishes to not submit a bid in response to the ITB, please complete and return, via mail or fax, the Statement of No Bid attached as the last page of this ITB.

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37.

PROTESTING OF BID CONDITIONS/SPECIFICATIONS: Any person desiring to protest the conditions/specifications in this ITB, or any Addenda subsequently released thereto, shall file a notice of intent to protest, in writing, within 72 hours after electronic release of the competitive solicitation or Addendum and shall file a formal written protest within ten calendar days after the date the notice of protest was filed. Saturdays, Sundays, state holidays or days during which SBBC administration is closed shall be excluded in the computation of the 72 hours. If the tenth calendar day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which SBBC administration is closed, the formal written protest must be received on or before 5:00 p.m. ET of the next calendar day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which SBBC administration is closed. Section 3 b, Chapter 120.57, Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that "The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based."

Failure to file a notice of protest or to file a formal written protest within the time prescribed by Section 3, Chapter 120.57), Florida Statutes, or a failure to post the bond or other security required by SBBC Policy 3320, within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. The bond shall be conditioned upon the payment of all costs which may be adjudged against the protestant in an Administrative Hearing in which the action is brought and in any subsequent appellate court proceeding. In lieu of a bond, SBBC may accept a cashier's check, official bank check or money order in the amount of the bond. If, after completion of the Administrative Hearing process and any appellate court proceedings, SBBC prevails, SBBC shall recover all costs and charges which shall be included in the Final Order or judgment, including charges made by the Division of Administrative Hearings, but excluding attorney's fees. Upon payment of such costs and charges by the protestant, the bond shall be returned. The failure to post the bond required by SBBC Policy 3320, Part VIII, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. Notices of protest, formal written protests, and the bonds required by SBBC Policy 3320, shall be filed at the office of the Director, Procurement and Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704 (fax 754-321-0936). Fax filing shall not be acceptable for the filing of bonds.

POSTING OF BID RECOMMENDATIONS/TABULATIONS: ITB Recommendations and Tabulations shall be posted in Procurement and Warehousing Services and on www.demandstar.com on March 1, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. ET, and shall remain posted for 72 hours. Any change to the date and time established herein for posting of ITB Recommendations/Tabulations shall be posted in Procurement and Warehousing Services and/or at www.demandstar.com (under the document section for this ITB). In the event the date and time of the posting of ITB Recommendations/Tabulations is changed, it is the responsibility of each Bidder to ascertain the revised date of the posting of ITB Recommendations/Tabulations. Any person desiring to protest the intended decision shall file a notice of protest, in writing, within 72 hours after the posting of the ITB tabulation and shall file a formal written protest within ten calendar days after the date the notice of protest was filed. Saturdays, Sundays, state holidays and days during which SBBC administration is closed shall be excluded in the computation of the 72 hours. If the tenth calendar day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which SBBC administration is closed, the formal written protest must be received on or before 5:00 p.m. ET of the next calendar day that is not a Saturday or Sunday, state holiday or days during which SBBC administration is closed. No submissions made after the Bid opening amending or supplementing the Bid shall be considered. Section 120.57(3)(b), Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that "The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based". Any person who files an action protesting an intended decision shall post with SBBC, at the time of filing the formal written protest, a bond, payable to SBBC, in an amount equal to one percent (1%) of SBBC's estimate of the total volume of the contract. SBBC shall provide the estimated contract amount to the vendor within 72 hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and other days during which SBBC administration is closed, of receipt of notice of intent to protest. The estimated contract amount is not subject to protest pursuant to Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes. The bond shall be conditioned upon the payment of all costs which may be adjudged against the protestant in an Administrative Hearing in which the action is brought and in any subsequent appellate court proceeding. In lieu of a bond, SBBC may accept a cashier's check, official bank check or money order in the amount of the bond. If, after completion of the Administrative Hearing process and any appellate court proceedings, SBBC prevails, SBBC shall recover all costs and charges which shall be included in the Final Order or judgment, including charges made by the Division of Administrative Hearings, but excluding attorney's fees. Upon payment of such costs and charges by the protestant, the bond shall be returned. All documentation necessary for the protest proceedings shall be provided electronically by SBBC.

Failure to file a notice of protest or to file a formal written protest within the time prescribed by Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or a failure to post the bond or other security required by SBBC Policy 3320 within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. The failure to post the bond required by SBBC Policy 3320, Part VIII, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. Notices of protests, formal written protests, and the bonds required by Policy 3320, shall be filed at the office of the Director, Procurement and Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704 (fax 754-321-0936). Fax filing shall not be acceptable for the filing of bonds.

- 38. <u>SUBMITTAL OF BIDS:</u> All Bidders are reminded that it is the sole responsibility of the BIDDER to assure that their bid is time stamped in PROCUREMENT AND WAREHOUSING SERVICES on or before 2:00 p.m. ET on date due. The address for bid submittal, including hand delivery and overnight courier delivery, is indicated as: 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704. The Bidder is fully and completely responsible for the payment of all delivery costs associated with the delivery of their bid or related material. Procurement and Warehousing Services shall not accept delivery of any bid or related material requiring SBBC to pay for any portion of the delivery cost or the complete delivery cost. Prior to bid submittal, it is the responsibility of the Bidder to be certain that all Addenda released have been received, that all Addendum requirements have been completed, and that all submittals required by the Addendum have been timely filed. (See General Condition 1.)
- 39. <u>PACKING SLIPS:</u> It shall be the responsibility of the Awardee to attach all packing slips to the OUTSIDE of each shipment. Packing slip must reference SBBC Purchase Order number/control number. Failure to provide packing slip attached to the outside of shipment shall result in refusal of shipment at Awardee's expense.
- 40. <u>USE OF OTHER CONTRACTS:</u> SBBC reserves the right to utilize any other SBBC contract, any State of Florida Contract, any contract awarded by any other city or county governmental agencies, other school s, other community college/state university system cooperative bid agreement, or to directly negotiate/purchase per SBBC and/or Rule 6A-1.012, Florida Administration Code as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, in lieu of any offer received or award made as a result of this bid if it is in its best interest to do so.
- 41. <u>INDEMNIFICATION:</u> This General Condition of the bid is NOT subject to negotiation and any bid that fails to accept these conditions shall be rejected as "non-responsive."
 - a) SBBC agrees to be fully responsible for its acts of negligence or its agents' acts of negligence when acting within the scope of their employment and agrees to be liable for any damages resulting from said negligence. Nothing herein is intended to serve as a waiver of sovereign immunity by SBBC. Nothing herein shall be construed as consent by SBBC to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of any contract. Nothing herein shall be construed as a waiver by SBBC of any rights or limits to liability under Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.
 - b) AWARDEE agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend SBBC, its agents, servants and employees from any and all claims, judgments, costs and expenses including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees, reasonable investigative and discovery costs, court costs and all other sums which SBBC, its agents, servants and employees may pay or become obligated to pay on account of any, all and every claim or demand, or assertion of liability, or any claim or action founded thereon, arising or alleged to have arisen out of the products, goods or services furnished by the AWARDEE, its agents, servants or employees; the equipment of the AWARDEE, its agents, servants or employees; the equipment is on premises owned or controlled by SBBC; or the negligence of AWARDEE or the negligence of AWARDEE's agents when acting within the scope of their employment, whether such claims, judgments, costs and expenses be for damages, damage to property including SBBC's property, and injury or death of any person whether employed by the AWARDEE, SBBC or otherwise.
- 42. <u>PURCHASE BY OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES</u>: With the consent and agreement of the awarded contractor(s), purchases may be made under this bid by other agencies. Such purchases shall be governed by the same terms and conditions as stated herein.
- 43. <u>GOVERNING LAW</u>: This ITB, and any award(s) resulting from this ITB shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. Any protests arising from this ITB shall be subject to Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes. Any disputes or controversies arising out of a contract award under this ITB shall be submitted to the jurisdiction of the state courts of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit Court in and for Broward County, Florida.

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Dear Prospective Bidders:

SUBJECT: Instructions to Bidders Invitation to Bid - 17-171B – Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories (CATALOG)

The School Board of Broward County, Florida (SBBC) is interested in receiving bids in response to the attached Invitation to Bid (ITB) for Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories (CATALOG). Any questions regarding this ITB should be addressed to me, in writing, at the address stated above, via facsimile at 754-321-0533 or via e-mail at Larissa.seda@browardschools.com. No other School Board staff member should be contacted in relation to this ITB. Any information that amends any portion of this ITB, which is received by any method other than an Addendum issued to the ITB, is not binding on SBBC.

In order to assure that your bid is in full compliance with all requirements of the ITB, carefully read all portions of the ITB document, paying particular attention to the following areas:

• MINORITY/WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (M/WBE) CERTIFICATION/PARTICIPATION (See EXHIBIT A1 AND A2)

SBBC has implemented a Minority/Women Business Enterprise (M/WBE) Program as part of the SBBC's competitive solicitation and contracting activity in accordance with School Board Policy 7007-A Administrative Procedures for The School Board of Broward County, Florida's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program. The purpose of the program is to utilize available minority and women businesses within the Board's market area to compete for the award of SBBC construction and purchasing contracts. <u>M/WBE vendors utilized for this contract must be certified by SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program Office prior to submission of bid proposal</u>. For information on M/WBE Certification, contact SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program at 754-321-0550 or visit http://www.browardschools.com/sdop.

SECTION 2, SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

Section 2, Submittal Requirements, is a listing of all submittals that are required to be part of your bid package. Please make sure that all required submittals have been included as part of your bid package.

COMPLETION OF BIDS

The Bid Summary Sheets upon which the Bidder submits its prices shall be completed in ink or typewritten. The Bidder Acknowledgement Section should be completed in full and fully executed by an authorized representative of the Bidder. SBBC reserves the right to reject any bid which is not completed in full.

• PRICING CORRECTIONS

If a price correction is necessary on the Bid Summary Sheet, draw a single line through the entered figure and enter the corrected figure or use an opaque correction fluid. All price corrections shall be initialed by the person signing the bid even when using opaque correction fluid. SBBC reserves the right to not tabulate any illegible entries, pencil bids or price corrections not initialed and to reject any bid containing any of these errors.

• DUE DATE

Bids are due in Procurement and Warehousing Services on the date and time stated on Page 1 of the ITB. In order to have your bid considered, it must be received on or before the date and time due. Bids received after 2:00 p.m. ET on date due will not be considered.

STATEMENT OF "NO BID"

If you are **not** submitting a bid in response to this ITB, please complete Section 7, Statement of "No Bid" and return via facsimile to 754-321-0533 or scan and send via email to <u>Larissa.seda@browardschools.com</u>. Your response to the Statement of "No" Bid are very important to the Supply Management & Logistics Department when creating future ITBs.

Thank you for your interest in SBBC. Again, if you have any questions, please contact me at the telephone number or email address stated above.

Larissa Seda Purchasing Agent

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Note: If your firm wishes to not submit a bid in response to the ITB, please complete and return, via mail or fax, the Statement of No Bid attached as the last page of this ITB.

SECTION 3, GENERAL CONDITIONS

- <u>SEALED BID REQUIREMENTS</u>: The "Bidder Acknowledgement Section" must be completed, signed and returned with the bid. The Bid Summary Sheet pages on which the Bidder actually submits a bid, and any pages, upon which information is required to be inserted, must be completed and submitted with the bid. The School Board of Broward County (SBBC) reserves the right to reject any bid that fails to comply with these submittal requirements.
 - a) <u>BIDDER'S RESPONSIBILITY</u>: It is the responsibility of the Bidder to be certain that all numbered pages of the bid and all attachments thereto are received and all Addendum released are received prior to submitting a bid without regard to how a copy of this ITB was obtained. All bids are subject to the conditions specified herein on the attached bid documents and on any Addenda issued thereto.
 - b) <u>BID SUBMITTED</u>: Completed bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope with bid number and name clearly typed or written on the front of the envelope. Bids must be time stamped in Procurement and Warehousing Services on or before 2:00 p.m. ET on date due for bid to be considered. Bids shall be opened at 2:00 p.m. ET on date due. Bids submitted by telegraphic or facsimile transmission shall not be accepted.
 - c) <u>EXECUTION OF BID</u>: Bid must contain an original manual signature of an authorized representative in the space provided above. All bids must be completed in ink or typewritten. If a price correction is necessary, draw a single line through the entered figure and enter the corrected figure or use an opaque correction fluid. All price corrections must be initialed by the person signing the bid even when using opaque correction fluid. SBBC reserves the right to reject any bid or bid item completed in pencil or any bid that contains illegible entries or price corrections not initialed.
 - d) <u>BIDDING PREFERENCE LAWS</u>: ALL BIDDERS MUST COMPLETE AND SUBMIT THE LEGAL OPINION OF BIDDER'S PREFERENCE FORM IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDRED FOR AWARD. The State of Florida provides a Bidder's preference for Florida vendors for the purchase of personal property. The local preference is five (5) percent. Bidders outside the State of Florida must have an Attorney, licensed to practice law in the out-of-state jurisdiction, as required by Section 2, Chapter 287.084, Florida Statutes, execute the "Opinion of Out-of-State Bidder's Attorney on Bidding Preferences" form and must submit this form with the submitted bid. Such opinion should permit SBBC's reliance on such attorney's opinion for purposes of complying with Chapter 287.084, Florida Statutes. Florida Bidders must also complete its portion of the form. Failure to submit and execute this form, with the bid, shall result in bid being considered "non-responsive" and bid rejected.
- <u>PRICES QUOTED</u>: Deduct trade discounts and quote firm net prices. Give both unit price and extended total. Prices must be stated in units to quantity specified in the bidding specification. In case of discrepancy in computing the amount of the bid, the Unit Price quoted shall govern.

All prices quoted shall be F.O.B. destination and freight prepaid (Bidder pays and bears freight charges). Awardee owns goods in transit and files any claims. Discounts for prompt payment: Award, if made, shall be in accordance with terms and conditions stated herein. Each item must be bid separately and no attempt is to be made to tie any item or items in with any other item or items. <u>Cash or quantity discounts offered shall not be a consideration in determination of award of bid(s)</u>. If an Awardee offers a discount or offers terms less than Net 30, it is understood that a minimum of 30 days shall be required for payment, and if a payment discount is offered, the discount time shall be computed from the date of satisfactory delivery at place of acceptance and receipt of correct invoice at the office specified.

- a) <u>TAXES</u>: SBBC does not pay Federal Excise and State taxes on direct purchase of tangible personal property. The applicable tax exemption number is shown on the Purchase Order. This exemption does <u>not</u> apply to purchases of tangible personal property made by contractors who use the tangible personal property in the performance of contracts for the improvement of SBBC owned real property as defined in Chapter 192, Florida Statutes.
- b) <u>MISTAKES</u>: Bidders are expected to examine the specifications, delivery schedules, bid prices and extensions, and all instructions pertaining to supplies and services. Failure to do so shall be at Bidder's risk.
- c) <u>CONDITION AND PACKAGING</u>: It is understood and agreed that any item offered or shipped as a result of this bid will make maximum use of recovered/recycled materials, but if not available, then the item shall be new (current production model at the time of this bid) unless otherwise specified. All containers shall be suitable for storage or shipment and all prices shall include standard commercial packaging.
- d) <u>UNDERWRITERS' LABORATORIES</u>: Unless otherwise stipulated in the Bid, all manufactured items and fabricated assemblies shall be UL listed where such has been established by UL for the item(s) offered and furnished. In lieu of the UL listing, Bidder may substitute a listing by an independent testing laboratory recognized by OSHA under the Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratories (NRTL) Recognition Program.

- BIDDER'S CONDITIONS: Bid conditions and specifications shall not be changed, altered or conditioned in any way. SBBC specifically reserves the right to reject any conditional bid.
- 3. <u>SAMPLES:</u> Samples of items, when required, must be furnished free of expense within five (5) working days of request unless otherwise stated and, if not destroyed, will, upon request, be returned at the Bidder's expense. Bidders shall be responsible for the removal of all samples furnished within 30 days after bid opening. All samples shall be disposed of after 30 days. Each individual sample must be labeled with Bidder's name, bid number and item number. Failure of Bidder to either deliver required samples or to clearly identify samples as indicated may be reason for rejection of the bid item. Unless otherwise indicated, samples should be delivered to Procurement and Warehousing Services, The School Board of Broward County, Florida, 7720 West Oakland, Park Boulevard, Suite 323,Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704.
- 4. <u>DELIVERY:</u> All deliveries shall be F.O.B. destination point. Unless actual date of delivery is specified (or if specified delivery cannot be met), show number of days required to make delivery after receipt of Purchase Order in space provided. Delivery time may become a basis for making an award (see Special Conditions). Delivery shall be within the normal working hours of the user, Monday through Friday, excluding state holidays and days during which SBBC administration is closed.
- INTERPRETATIONS: Any questions concerning conditions and specifications must be submitted in writing and received by Procurement and Warehousing Services no later than ten working days, or as stated in the Special Conditions, prior to the original bid opening date. If necessary, an Addendum shall be issued.
- 6. <u>AWARDS:</u> In the best interest of SBBC, SBBC reserves the right to: 1) withdraw this ITB at any time prior to the time and date specified for the bid opening; 2) to reject any or all bids received when there are sound documented business reasons that serve the best interest of SBBC; 3) to accept any item or group of items unless qualified by Bidder; and 4) to acquire additional quantities at prices quoted on this ITB unless additional quantities are not acceptable, in which case, the bid sheets must be noted "BID IS FOR SPECIFIED QUANTITY ONLY." All awards made as a result of this bid shall conform to applicable Florida Statutes and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Florida, and must have venue established in the 17th Judicial Circuit Court of Broward County, Florida or the United States Court of the Southern District of Florida.
- 7. <u>BID OPENING:</u> Shall be public, on the date and at the time specified on the bid form. All bids received after that time shall not be considered.
- 8. <u>ADVERTISING:</u> In submitting a bid, Bidder agrees not to use the results there from as a part of any commercial advertising without prior approval of SBBC.
- 9. <u>INSPECTION, ACCEPTANCE & TITLE:</u> Inspection and acceptance shall be at destination unless otherwise provided. Title to/or risk of loss or damage to all items shall be the responsibility of the Awardee until acceptance by the buyer unless loss or damage resulting from negligence by the buyer. If the materials or services supplied to SBBC are found to be defective or not conform to specifications, SBBC reserves the right to cancel the order upon written notice to the seller and return product at Awardee's expense.
- <u>PAYMENT:</u> Payment shall be made by SBBC after the items awarded have been received, inspected, found to comply with award specifications and free of damage or defect and properly invoiced. All payments shall be made by ACH (Automated Clearing House) for automatic deposits (credits).
- 11. <u>CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND CONFLICTING EMPLOYMENT OR CONTRACTUAL</u> <u>RELATIONSHIP</u>: Section 112.313 (3) and (7), Florida Statutes, sets forth restrictions on the ability of SBBC employees acting in a private capacity to rent, lease, or sell any realty, goods or services to SBBC. It also places restrictions on SBBC employees concerning outside employment or contractual relationships with any business entity which is doing business with SBBC. Each Bidder is to disclose any employees it has who are also SBBC employees by submitting Attachment 1, Disclosure of Potential Conflict of Interest and Conflicting Employment or Contractual Relationship, with its Bid. Any employees identified by the Bidder when completing Attachment 1 should obtain legal advice as to their obligations and restrictions under Section 112.313 (3) and (7), Florida Statutes.
- 12. <u>INSURANCE:</u> Bidder, by virtue of submitting a bid, shall be in full compliance with paragraph 20: LIABILITY INSURANCE, LICENSES AND PERMITS of the General Conditions. Insurance Requirements are shown in FORMS AND ATTACHMENTS Section of this ITB. Bidder shall take special notice that SBBC shall be named as an additional insured under the General Liability policy including Products Liability.

The insurance policies shall be issued by companies qualified to do business in the State of Florida. The insurance companies must be rated at least A-VI by AM Best or Aa3 by Moody's Investor Service. All policies must remain in effect during the performance of the contract.

13. <u>LICENSES, CERTIFICATIONS AND REGISTRATIONS</u>: As of the Bid Opening Date, Bidder must have all Licenses, Certifications and Registrations required when performing the services as described herein, in order for Bid to be considered a responsive and responsible Bid. Licenses, Certifications and Registrations required for this Bid shall be as required by Chapter 489, Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time; by the State Requirements for Educational Facilities (SREF), latest version; and by Broward County, Florida. Bidder must submit a copy of all its current Licenses, Certifications and Registrations required as described herein, either with its Bid or within five working days of notification.

An Awardee who has any License, Certification or Registration either suspended, revoked or expired after the date of the Bid Opening, shall provide notice to the Director of Procurement & Warehousing Services within five working days of such suspension, revocation or expiration. However, such suspension, revocation or expiration after the date of the Bid Opening shall not relieve the Awardee of its responsibilities under this ITB.

- 14. <u>PATENTS & ROYALTIES:</u> The Awardee, without exception, shall indemnify and save harmless SBBC and its employees from liability of any nature or kind, including cost and expenses for any copyrighted, patented, or unpatented invention, process, or article manufactured or used in the performance of the contract, including its use by SBBC. If the Awardee uses any design, device, or materials covered by letters, patent, or copyright, it is mutually understood and agreed without exception that the bid prices shall include all royalties or cost arising from the use of such design, device or materials in any way involved in the work.
- 15. <u>OSHA:</u> The Awardee warrants that the product supplied to SBBC shall conform in all respects to the standards set forth in the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970, as amended, and the failure to comply with this condition shall be considered as a breach of contract.
- <u>SPECIAL CONDITIONS:</u> The Superintendent or Designee has the authority to issue Special Conditions and Specifications as required for individual bids. Any and all Special Conditions that may vary from these General Conditions shall have precedence.
- <u>ANTI-DISCRIMINATION:</u> SBBC, prohibits any policy or procedure which results in discrimination on the basis of age, color, disability, gender identity, gender expression, national origin, marital status, race, religion, sex or sexual orientation. Individuals who wish to file a discrimination and/or harassment complaint may call the Executive Director, Benefits, Employment Services and EEO Compliance at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine TTY 754-321-2158.
- 18. <u>QUALITY:</u> Offered products will make maximum use of recovered/recycled materials, but if not available, then materials used for the manufacture or construction of any supplies, materials or equipment covered by this bid shall be new unless otherwise specified. If recovered/recycled materials are not available, the items bid must be new, the latest model, of the best quality and highest grade workmanship.
- 19. <u>LIABILITY INSURANCE, LICENSES AND PERMITS:</u> Where Awardees are required to enter or go onto SBBC property to deliver materials or perform work or services as a result of a bid award, the Awardee agrees to The Hold Harmless Agreement stated herein and shall assume the full duty obligation and expense of obtaining all necessary licenses, permits and insurance. The Awardee shall be liable for any damages or loss to SBBC occasioned by negligence of the Awardee (or agent) or any person the Awardee has designated in the completion of the Contract as a result of their bid.
- 20. <u>BID BONDS, PERFORMANCE BONDS AND CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE:</u> Bid bonds, when required, shall be submitted with the bid in the amount specified in Special Conditions. Bid bonds shall be returned to non-Awardees. After acceptance of bid, SBBC shall notify the Awardee to submit a performance bond and certificate of insurance in the amount specified in Special Conditions. Upon receipt of the performance bond, the bid bond shall be returned to the Awardee.
- <u>CANCELLATION</u>: In the event any of the provisions of this bid are violated by the Awardee, the Superintendent shall give written notice to the Awardee stating the deficiencies and unless deficiencies are corrected within five days, recommendation shall be made to SBBC for immediate cancellation.
- 22. IRREVOCABILITY OF BID: A bid may not be withdrawn before the expiration of 90 days from the date of bid opening.
- <u>INFORMATION NOT IN ITB</u>: No verbal or written information which is obtained by a Bidder other than by information within this document or Addenda to this ITB shall be binding on SBBC.
- 24. <u>EXPENDITURE</u>: No guarantee is given or implied as to any sums payable or the quantity or scope of any award under this ITB. SBBC is not obligated to place any order for goods/services as a result of this award. Order placement shall be based upon the needs and best interest of SBBC.

- 25. <u>BILLING INSTRUCTIONS:</u> Invoices, unless otherwise indicated, must show Purchase Order numbers and shall be submitted in duplicate to The School Board of Broward County, Florida, Accounting and Financial Reporting Department, Attn: Accounts Payable, 600 S.E. ^{3rd} Avenue, 7th Floor, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301. (Unless otherwise stated in the Special Conditions) Payment shall be made a minimum of 30 days after delivery, authorized inspection and acceptance. When vendors are directed to send invoices to a school, the school shall make direct payments to the vendor.
- <u>NOTE TO VENDORS DELIVERING TO MATERIALS LOGISTICS CENTRAL</u> (WAREHOUSE): Receiving hours are Monday through Friday (excluding state holidays and days during which SBBC administration is closed) 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. ET.
- <u>SUBSTITUTIONS:</u> SBBC SHALL NOT accept substitute shipments of any kind. Awardees are expected to furnish the brand quoted in their bid once awarded by SBBC. Any substitute shipments shall be returned at the Awardee's expense.
- FACILITIES: SBBC reserves the right to inspect the Awardee's facilities at any time with prior notice. SBBC may use the information obtained from this in determining whether a Bidder is a responsible Bidder.
- 29. <u>ASBESTOS AND FORMALDEHYDE STATEMENT:</u> All building materials, pressed boards, and furniture supplied to SBBC shall be 100% asbestos free. It is desirous that all building materials, pressed boards and furniture supplied to SBBC also be 100% formaldehyde free. Bidder, by virtue of bidding, certifies by signing bid that, if awarded this bid, only building materials, pressed boards, and/or furniture that is 100% asbestos free shall be supplied.
- 30. <u>ASSIGNMENT:</u> Neither any award of this bid nor any interest in any award of this bid may be assigned, transferred or encumbered by any party without the prior written consent from the Director, Procurement and Warehousing Services. There shall be no partial assignments of this ITB including, without limitation, the partial assignment of any right to receive payments from SBBC.
- 31. <u>EXTENSION:</u> In addition to any extension options contained herein, SBBC is granted the right to extend any award resulting from this bid for the period of time necessary for SBBC to release, award and implement a replacement bid for the goods, products and/or services provided through this bid. Such extension shall be upon the same prices, terms and conditions as existing at the time of SBBC's exercise of this extension right. The period of any extension under this provision shall not be for a period in excess of six months from (a) the termination date of a contract entered into as a result of this bid or (b) the termination date under any applicable period of extension under a contract entered into as a result of this bid.
- 32. <u>OMISSION FROM THE SPECIFICATIONS:</u> The apparent silence of this specification and any Addendum regarding any details or the omission from the specification of a detailed description concerning any point shall be regarded as meaning that only the best available units shall be provided and the best commercial practices are to prevail, and that only materials and workmanship of first quality are to be used. All interpretations of this specification shall be made upon the basis of this agreement.
- 33. <u>SUBMITTAL OF INVOICES:</u> All Bidders are hereby notified that any invoice submitted as a result of the award of this bid must be in the same format as any Purchase Order released as a result of the award of this bid. <u>Each line of the invoice must reference a corresponding single line shown on the Purchase Order</u>. A single invoice line must not correspond to or commingle the cost shown on multiple Purchase Order lines. An invoice submitted that does not follow the same format and line numbering as shown on the Purchase Order shall be deemed to be not correct, and may be returned to the vendor by the Accounts Payable Department for correction. Address for submitting invoices is included on Purchase Order.
- 34. <u>PURCHASE AGREEMENT:</u> This bid and the corresponding Purchase Orders shall constitute the complete agreement. SBBC shall not accept proposed terms and conditions that are different than those contained in this Invitation to Bid, including preprinted text contained on catalogs, price lists, other descriptive information submitted or any other materials. By virtue of submitting a bid, Awardee agrees to not submit to any SBBC employee, for signature, any document that contains terms and conditions that are different than those contained herein and that in the event any document containing any term or condition that differs from those contained herein is executed, said document shall not be binding on SBBC.
- 35. <u>SBBC INFORMATION SECURITY GUIDELINES:</u> It is the responsibility of the Awardee to read and adhere to the SBBC Information Security Guidelines when using any device connected to the SBBC's network. Following the conclusion of the contract term, all of SBBC's confidential information must be removed from Awardee's equipment and all access privileges must be revoked. Final payment shall be withheld until the Awardee has confirmed, in writing, that all SBBC's confidential information has been purged from any and all electronic technology devices that were used during this contract and were connected to the SBBC's network.

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PROTESTING OF BID CONDITIONS/SPECIFICATIONS: Any person desiring to protest the conditions/specifications in this ITB, or any Addenda subsequently released thereto, shall file a notice of intent to protest, in writing, within 72 hours after electronic release of the competitive solicitation or Addendum and shall file a formal written protest within ten calendar days after the date the notice of protest was filed. Saturdays, Sundays, state holidays or days during which SBBC administration is closed shall be excluded in the computation of the 72 hours. If the tenth calendar day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which SBBC administration is closed, the formal written protest must be received on or before 5:00 p.m. ET of the next calendar day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which SBBC administration is closed. Section 3 b, Chapter 120.57, Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that "The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based."

Failure to file a notice of protest or to file a formal written protest within the time prescribed by Section 3, Chapter 120.57), Florida Statutes, or a failure to post the bond or other security required by SBBC Policy 3320, within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. The bond shall be conditioned upon the payment of all costs which may be adjudged against the protestant in an Administrative Hearing in which the action is brought and in any subsequent appellate court proceeding. In lieu of a bond, SBBC may accept a cashier's check, official bank check or money order in the amount of the bond. If, after completion of the Administrative Hearing process and any appellate court proceedings, SBBC prevails, SBBC shall recover all costs and charges which shall be included in the Final Order or judgment, including charges made by the Division of Administrative Hearings, but excluding attorney's fees. Upon payment of such costs and charges by the protestant, the bond shall be returned. The failure to post the bond required by SBBC Policy 3320, Part VIII, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. Notices of protest, formal written protests, and the bonds required by SBBC Policy 3320, shall be filed at the office of the Director, Procurement and Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704 (fax 754-321-0936). Fax filing shall not be acceptable for the filing of bonds.

POSTING OF BID RECOMMENDATIONS/TABULATIONS: ITB Recommendations and Tabulations shall be posted in Procurement and Warehousing Services and on www.demandstar.com on February 14, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. ET, and shall remain posted for 72 hours. Any change to the date and time established herein for posting of ITB Recommendations/Tabulations shall be posted in Procurement and Warehousing Services and/or at www.demandstar.com (under the document section In the event the date and time of the posting of ITB for this ITB) Recommendations/Tabulations is changed, it is the responsibility of each Bidder to ascertain the revised date of the posting of ITB Recommendations/Tabulations. Any person desiring to protest the intended decision shall file a notice of protest, in writing, within 72 hours after the posting of the ITB tabulation and shall file a formal written protest within ten calendar days after the date the notice of protest was filed. Saturdays, Sundays, state holidays and days during which SBBC administration is closed shall be excluded in the computation of the 72 hours. If the tenth calendar day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, state holiday or day during which SBBC administration is closed, the formal written protest must be received on or before 5:00 p.m. ET of the next calendar day that is not a Saturday or Sunday, state holiday or days during which SBBC administration is closed. No submissions made after the Bid opening amending or supplementing the Bid shall be considered. Section 120.57(3)(b), Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that "The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based". Any person who files an action protesting an intended decision shall post with SBBC, at the time of filing the formal written protest, a bond, payable to SBBC, in an amount equal to one percent (1%) of SBBC's estimate of the total volume of the contract. SBBC shall provide the estimated contract amount to the vendor within 72 hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and other days during which SBBC administration is closed, of receipt of notice of intent to protest. The estimated contract amount is not subject to protest pursuant to Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes. The bond shall be conditioned upon the payment of all costs which may be adjudged against the protestant in an Administrative Hearing in which the action is brought and in any subsequent appellate court proceeding. In lieu of a bond, SBBC may accept a cashier's check, official bank check or money order in the amount of the bond. If, after completion of the Administrative Hearing process and any appellate court proceedings, SBBC prevails, SBBC shall recover all costs and charges which shall be included in the Final Order or judgment, including charges made by the Division of Administrative Hearings, but excluding attorney's fees. Upon payment of such costs and charges by the protestant, the bond shall be returned. All documentation necessary for the protest proceedings shall be provided electronically by SBBC.

Failure to file a notice of protest or to file a formal written protest within the time prescribed by Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or a failure to post the bond or other security required by SBBC Policy 3320 within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. The failure to post the bond required by SBBC Policy 3320, Part VIII, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings. Notices of protests, formal written protests, and the bonds required by Policy 3320, shall be filed at the office of the Director, Procurement and Warehousing Services, 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704 (fax 754-321-0936). Fax filing shall not be acceptable for the filing of bonds.

- 38. <u>SUBMITTAL OF BIDS:</u> All Bidders are reminded that it is the sole responsibility of the BIDDER to assure that their bid is time stamped in PROCUREMENT AND WAREHOUSING SERVICES on or before 2:00 p.m. ET on date due. The address for bid submittal, including hand delivery and overnight courier delivery, is indicated as: 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351-6704. The Bidder is fully and completely responsible for the payment of all delivery costs associated with the delivery of their bid or related material. Procurement and Warehousing Services shall not accept delivery of any bid or related material requiring SBBC to pay for any portion of the delivery cost to be certain that all Addenda released have been received, that all Addendum requirements have been completed, and that all submittals required by the Addendum have been timely filed. (See General Condition 1.)
- 39. <u>PACKING SLIPS:</u> It shall be the responsibility of the Awardee to attach all packing slips to the OUTSIDE of each shipment. Packing slip must reference SBBC Purchase Order number/control number. Failure to provide packing slip attached to the outside of shipment shall result in refusal of shipment at Awardee's expense.
- 40. <u>USE OF OTHER CONTRACTS:</u> SBBC reserves the right to utilize any other SBBC contract, any State of Florida Contract, any contract awarded by any other city or county governmental agencies, other school s, other community college/state university system cooperative bid agreement, or to directly negotiate/purchase per SBBC and/or Rule 6A-1.012, Florida Administration Code as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, in lieu of any offer received or award made as a result of this bid if it is in its best interest to do so.
- 41. <u>INDEMNIFICATION:</u> This General Condition of the bid is NOT subject to negotiation and any bid that fails to accept these conditions shall be rejected as "non-responsive."
 - a) SBBC agrees to be fully responsible for its acts of negligence or its agents' acts of negligence when acting within the scope of their employment and agrees to be liable for any damages resulting from said negligence. Nothing herein is intended to serve as a waiver of sovereign immunity by SBBC. Nothing herein shall be construed as consent by SBBC to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of any contract. Nothing herein shall be construed as a waiver by SBBC of any rights or limits to liability under Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.
 - b) AWARDEE agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend SBBC, its agents, servants and employees from any and all claims, judgments, costs and expenses including, but not limited to, reasonable attorney's fees, reasonable investigative and discovery costs, court costs and all other sums which SBBC, its agents, servants and employees may pay or become obligated to pay on account of any, all and every claim or demand, or assertion of liability, or any claim or action founded thereon, arising or alleged to have arisen out of the products, goods or services furnished by the AWARDEE, its agents, servants or employees; the equipment of the AWARDEE, its agents, servants or employees while such equipment is on premises owned or controlled by SBBC; or the negligence of AWARDEE or the negligence of AWARDEE's agents when acting within the scope of their employment, whether such claims, judgments, costs and expenses be for damages, damage to property including SBBC's property, and injury or death of any person whether employed by the AWARDEE, SBBC or otherwise.
- 42. <u>PURCHASE BY OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES</u>: With the consent and agreement of the awarded contractor(s), purchases may be made under this bid by other agencies. Such purchases shall be governed by the same terms and conditions as stated herein.
- 43. <u>GOVERNING LAW</u>: This ITB, and any award(s) resulting from this ITB shall be interpreted and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida. Any protests arising from this ITB shall be subject to Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes. Any disputes or controversies arising out of a contract award under this ITB shall be submitted to the jurisdiction of the state courts of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit Court in and for Broward County, Florida.

- 44. <u>PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES:</u> Section 287.133(2)(a), Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, states that a person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017 for CATEGORY TWO [currently \$25,000] for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.
- 45. CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY OR VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION - Lower Tier Covered Transactions: Executive Order 12549, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, provides that, to the extent permitted by law, Executive departments and agencies shall participate in a government-wide system for non-procurement debarment and suspension. A person who is debarred or suspended shall be excluded from Federal financial and nonfinancial assistance and benefits under Federal programs and activities. Except as provided in § 85.200, Debarment or Suspension, § 85.201, Treatment of Title IV HEA participation, and § 85.215, Exception Provision, debarment or suspension of a participant in a program by one agency shall have government-wide effect. A lower tier covered transaction is, in part, any transaction between a participant [SBBC] and a person other than a procurement contract for goods or services, regardless of type, under a primary covered transaction; and any procurement contract for goods or services between a participant and a person, regardless of type, expected to equal or exceed the Federal procurement small purchase threshold fixed at 10 U.S.C. 2304(g) and 41 U.S.C. 253(g) (currently \$100,000) under a primary covered transaction; or any procurement contract for goods or services between a participant and a person under a covered transaction, regardless of amount, under which that person shall have a critical influence on or substantive control over that covered transaction. A participant may rely upon the certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it and its principals are not debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment under 48 CFR part 9, subpart 9.4, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. Each participant shall require participants in lower tier covered transactions to include the certification for it and its principals in any bid submitted in connection with such lower tier covered transactions.

CERTIFICATION

- a) The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this bid, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- b) Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this bid.

Every time a Bid is submitted that includes reference to this Form, a new Form is required. Any Bid that does not include this required Form shall not be evaluated and shall not be considered for award. A signature is required on <u>BOTH</u> the Debarment Form <u>AND</u> the Invitation to Bid page. A signature on one document <u>cannot</u> be substituted for the signature required on the other document. Failure to complete and sign both documents requiring signature shall result in rejection of bid submitted.

- 46. <u>REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION:</u> Individuals with disabilities requesting accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) may call Equal Educational Opportunities (EEO) at 754-321-2150 or Teletype Machine TTY 754- 321-2158.
- 47. <u>SEVERABILITY:</u> In case of any one or more of the provisions contained in this Bid shall be for any reason be held to be invalid, illegal, unlawful, unenforceable or void in any respect, the invalidity, illegality, unenforceability or unlawful or void nature of that provision shall not affect any other provision and this Bid shall be considered as if such invalid, unlawful, unenforceable or void provision had never been included herein.
- 48. <u>DISTRIBUTION</u>: DemandStar by Onvia, <u>www.demandstar.com</u>, is the official method approved by Procurement and Warehousing Services for the distribution of all competitive solicitations including ITBs and RFPs. It is the responsibility of all Bidders to assure they have received all necessary documents, including Addenda and have included all necessary information within their response. SBBC is not responsible for Bidder's failure to obtain complete bidding documents from DemandStar. SBBC reserves the right to reject any bid as non-responsive for failure to include all necessary documents or required Addenda. For information regarding the above referenced solicitation, contact the designated Purchasing Agent as stated herein.

- 49. LOBBYIST ACTIVITIES: In accordance with SBBC Policy 1100B, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time, persons acting as lobbyists must state, at the beginning of their presentation, letter, telephone call, e-mail or facsimile transmission to School Board Members, Superintendent or Members of Senior Management, the group, association, organization or business interest she/he is representing.
 - a) A lobbyist is defined as a person who for immediate or subsequent compensation, (e.g., monetary profit/personal gain) represents a public or private group, association, organization or business interest and engages in efforts to influence School Board Members on matters within their official jurisdiction.
 - b) A lobbyist is not considered a person representing school-affiliated groups (e.g., PTA, DAC, Band Booster Associations, etc.) nor a public official acting in her/his official capacity.
 - c) Lobbyists shall annually (July 1) disclose in each instance and for each client prior to any lobbying activities, their identity and activities by completing the lobbyist statement form which can be obtained from Official School Board Records, School Board Member's Offices or the Superintendent's Office and shall be recorded on SBBC's website, www.browardschools.com.
 - d) The lobbyist must disclose any direct business association with any current elected or appointed official or employee of SBBC or any immediate family member of such elected or appointed official or employee of SBBC.
 - e) Senior-level employees (Pay Grade 30 and above) and/or School Board Members are prohibited from lobbying activities for one year after resignation or retirement or expiration of their term of office.
- 50. <u>TIE BID PROCEDURES:</u> When identical prices are received from two or more Bidders and all other factors are equal, priority for award shall be given to Bidders in the following sequence:
 - A business that certifies that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program shall be given preference in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 287.087, Florida Statutes, as currently enacted or as amended from time to time;
 - The Broward County Certified Minority/Women Business Enterprise Bidder;
 - The Palm Beach County or Miami-Dade County Certified Minority/Women Business Enterprise Bidder;
 - > The Florida Certified Minority/Women Business Enterprise Bidder;
 - The Broward County Bidder, other than a Minority/Women Business Enterprise Bidder;
 - The Palm Beach County or Miami-Dade County Bidder, other than a Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor;
 - The Florida Bidder, whose main office is in the State of Florida, other than a Minority/Women Business Enterprise vendor.
 - If application of the above criteria does not indicate a priority for award, the award shall be decided by a coin toss. The coin toss shall be held publicly in Procurement and Warehousing Services; the tie low bid Bidders invited to be present as witnesses.

Included as a part of these bid documents is a Form entitled <u>SWORN STATEMENT</u> <u>PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 287.087, FLORIDA STATUTES, AS CURRENTLY</u> <u>ENACTED OR AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, ON PREFERENCE TO</u> <u>BUSINESSES WITH DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PROGRAMS.</u> This form shall be used by the Bidder to certify that it has implemented a drug-free workplace program. In order for bid to be considered, the Invitation to Bid form (Page 1 of this bid) must be properly signed in order for the bid to be considered. A Bidder cannot sign this form in lieu of properly signing the Invitation to Bid form.

- 51. <u>DISPUTES</u>: in the event of a conflict between the documents, the order of priority of the documents shall be as follows:
 - Addenda released for this ITB, with the latest Addendum taking precedence, then;
 - The ITB; then
 - Bidder's submitted bid.

In case of any other doubt or difference of opinion, the decision of SBBC shall be final and binding on both parties.

- 52. <u>MINORITY/WOMEN BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (M/WBE) PARTICIPATION</u>: SBBC has implemented a Minority/Women Business Enterprise (M/WBE) Program as part of the SBBC's competitive solicitation and contracting activity in accordance with School Board Policy 7007-A Administrative Procedures for The School Board of Broward County, Florida's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program. The purpose of the program is to utilize available minority and women businesses within the Board's market area to compete for the award of SBBC construction and purchasing contracts. <u>M/WBE vendors utilized for this contract must be certified by SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program Office prior to submission of Bid. For information on MWBE Certification, contact SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program at 754-321-0550 or visit www.browardschools.com/sdop.</u>
- 53. <u>SBBC MATERIAL NUMBER</u>: The seven digit number shown in parenthesis at the beginning of an item on the Bid Summary Sheet represents SBBC's material number for the item. It does not represent any manufacturer/distributor model/part number.
- 54. SBBC PHOTO IDENTIFICATION BADGE:

Background Screening: Awardee agrees to comply with all the requirements of Sections 1012.32 and 1012.465, Florida Statutes, and that Awardee and all its personnel who (1) are to be permitted access to school grounds when students are present, (2) will have direct contact with students, or (3) have access or control of school funds shall successfully complete the background screening required by the referenced statutes and meet the standards established by the statutes. Personnel shall include employees, representatives, agents or sub-contractors performing duties under the contract to SBBC, and who meet any or all of the three requirements identified above. This background screening shall be conducted by SBBC in advance of Awardee or its personnel providing any services. Awardee shall bear the cost of acquiring the background screening required under Section 1012.32, Florida Statutes, and any fee imposed by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement to maintain the fingerprints provided with respect to Awardee and its personnel. The Parties agree that the failure of Awardee to perform any of the duties described in this section shall constitute a material breach of this ITB entitling SBBC to terminate immediately with no further responsibilities or duties to perform under this Agreement. Awardee agrees to indemnify and hold harmless SBBC, its officers and employees of any liability in the form of physical or mental injury, death or property damage resulting in Awardee's failure to comply with the requirements of this section or Sections 1012.32 and 1012.465, Florida Statutes.

SBBC issued identification badges must be worn at all times when on SBBC property and must be worn where they are visible and easily readable.

As of July 1, 2015, Fieldprint, Inc. has been contracted to provide all background and fingerprinting services. All questions pertaining to fingerprinting, photo identification and background check services must be directed to the Project Coordinator at 754-321-1830 or 754-321-2374. Each individual, for whom a SBBC photo identification badge is requested, must be registered into the Fieldprint, Inc. applicant enrollment website. A background check shall be conducted for each badge applicant. SBBC reserves the right to require additional information, should it be necessary, and to deny the issuance of a badge to an applicant. Any applicant, that has been denied a badge, is prohibited from entering SBBC property as an employee, sub-contractor or agent of a contract Awardee. Applicant enrollment and scheduling website is www.fieldprintflorida.com. The total fee(s) for the SBBC photo identification badge, fingerprinting and a FBI background check be found at the following website: can http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/police/pdf/seccle/FIELDPRINT_CODES.pdf. Payment options can be made by electronic check (e-check), Visa, MasterCard or use of an established escrow account code. These fees are non-refundable and are subject to change without notice. Badges are issued for a one-year period and must be renewed annually. The renewal date shall be one year from date of issuance. Failure to renew the badge, at that time, shall result in the Awardee being required to reapply and pay the going rate for badging and fingerprinting.

Awardees shall return expired and/or terminated employee badges to the following location: The School Board of Broward County, Florida, Attn: Fieldprint, Inc., 600 S.E. 3rd Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301.

- 55. <u>AUDIT AND INSPECTION OF AWARDEE'S DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS</u>: The District or its representative reserves the right to inspect and/or audit all the Awardee's documents and records as they pertain to the products and services delivered under this agreement. Such rights shall be exercised with notice to the Awardee to determine compliance with and performance of the terms, conditions and specifications on all matters, rights and duties, and obligations established by this agreement. Documents/records in any form shall be open to the District or State's representative and may include but are not limited to all correspondence, ordering, payment, inspection, and receiving records, contracts or subcontracts that directly or indirectly pertain to the transactions between the District and the Awardee(s).
- 56. <u>ORIGINAL DOCUMENT FORMAT</u>: Only the terms and conditions of this solicitation as they were released by SBBC, or amended via Addendum, are valid. Any modification to any term or condition by a Bidder is not binding unless it is expressly agreed to, in writing, by SBBC.
- 57. CREDIT CARDS: Individual schools and departments may place some orders and utilize, as the form of payment, a District-issued credit card to the extent authorized by SBBC. These orders shall be made via phone or fax for direct delivery and billing to the requesting work location. Please note that credit card purchases will benefit all vendors by providing immediate payment (i.e. within 48-72 hours), thereby eliminating the need to submit an invoice to the District's Accounts Payable Department or reconcile receivable balances. For credit card purchases, all Awardees must have the capability to accept fax orders, which must be confirmed by calling back the requesting work location to verify prices and obtain a credit card number. Only actual items shipped/delivered can be charged to the credit card account (i.e., no back-orders). All purchase deliveries must include a packing slip or receipt/invoice listing the items and prices of goods delivered. For security reasons, the credit card charge receipt showing the work location's credit card number cannot be attached to the packing slip or receipt/invoice submitted as part of the purchase delivery. District work locations may request that an Awardee maintains secure records of the credit card account assigned an alias or password, to avoid divulging the actual credit card number upon every purchase.
- 58. <u>NONCONFORMANCE TO CONTRACT CONDITIONS</u>: Items offered may be tested for compliance with bid conditions and specifications at any time. Items delivered, not conforming to bid conditions or specifications, may be rejected and returned at Awardee's expense. Goods or services not delivered as per delivery date in bid and/or Purchase Order may be rejected upon delivery and/or may be purchased on the open market. Any increase in cost may be charged against the Awardee. Any violation of these stipulations may also result in:
 - For a period of two years, any bid submitted by Awardee shall not be considered and shall not be recommended for award.
 - b) All departments being advised not to do business with Awardee.
- 59 CONE OF SILENCE: Any Bidder, or lobbyist for a Bidder, is prohibited from having any communications (except as provided in this rule) concerning any solicitation for a competitive procurement with any School Board member, the Superintendent, any Evaluation Committee Member, or any other School District employee after Procurement and Warehousing Services releases a solicitation to the General Public. All communications regarding this solicitation shall be directed to the Purchasing Agent identified in this competitive solicitation or his/her designee or such other person identified in writing by Procurement and Warehousing Services. This "Cone of Silence" period shall go into effect and shall remain in effect from the time of release of the solicitation until the contract is awarded by SBBC. Further, any Awardee, its principals, or their lobbyists shall not offer campaign contributions to School Board Members or offer contributions to School Board Members for campaigns of other candidates for political office during the period in which the Awardee is attempting to sell goods or services to SBBC This period of limitation of offering campaign contributions shall commence at the time of the "cone of silence" period for any solicitation for a competitive procurement as described by School Board Policy 3320, Part II, Section GG as well as School Board Policy 1007, Section 5.4 -Campaign Contribution Fundraising. Any Bidder or lobbyist who violates this provision shall cause their Bid (or that of their principal) to be considered non-responsive and therefore be ineligible for award.
- 60. <u>TERMINATION</u>: This contract award may be terminated with or without cause by SBBC during the term hereof thirty (30) days after the Superintendent gives written notice to the other parties that a recommendation shall be made to SBBC for the contract award's termination.
- 61. <u>EVALUATION AND BIDS:</u> SBBC evaluates all Bids in accordance with Chapters 119.071 and 286.0113, Florida Statutes.

- 62. <u>MEET OR RELEASE:</u> If during the contract term, SBBC is offered a lower price from a third party supplier for a product or service awarded under this contract, or offers another item that meets or exceeds the specifications for the item at a lower price than the awarded price, SBBC shall request Awardee to meet the lower price offered by the third party supplier. Awardee shall be required to respond to this request within three (3) days of request. If Awardee is unable to meet the lower price, SBBC shall be released from its contractual obligation to purchase the item under this contract. No response to this request shall indicate that Awardee is unable to offer item at a lower price. This action, purchasing awarded item from third party supplier, shall not hold SBBC in default of contract. Each purchase shall be considered separate and apart from each other.
- 63. <u>CONFIDENTIAL RECORDS</u>: Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary within this Contract, any party contracting with SBBC under this Contract shall fully comply with the requirements of Sections 1002.22 and 1002.221, Florida Statutes; Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), and any other state or federal law or regulation regarding the confidentiality of student information and records. Each such party agrees, for itself, its officers, employees, agents, representatives, contractors or subcontractors, to fully indemnify and hold harmless SBBC and its officers and employees for any violation of this section, including, without limitation, defending SBBC and its officers and employees against any complaint, administrative or judicial proceeding, payment of any penalty imposed upon SBBC, or payment of any and all costs, damages, judgments or losses incurred by or imposed upon SBBC arising out of a breach of this covenant by the party to the extent that the party or an officer, employee, agent, representative, contractor, or sub-contractor, or s

Awardee agrees that it may create, receive from or on behalf of SBBC, or have access to, records or record systems that are subject to FERPA and/or HIPAA (collectively, the "Confidential Records"). Awardee represents, warrants, and agrees that it shall: (1) hold the Confidential Records in strict confidence and shall not use or disclose the Confidential Records except as (a) permitted or required by this Agreement, (b) required by law, or (c) otherwise authorized by the SBBC in writing: (2) safeguard the Confidential Records according to commercially reasonable administrative, physical and technical standards as required by law; and (3) continually monitor its operations and take any and all action necessary to assure that the Confidential Records are safeguarded in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. At the request of the SBBC, Awardee uses to safeguard the Confidential Records. A breach of these confidentially requirements shall constitute grounds for the SBBC to terminate any Agreement with Awardee.

64. <u>PROPRIETARY INFORMATION</u>: Pursuant to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, bids received as a result of this ITB shall not become public record until thirty (30) days after the date of opening or until posting of the recommendation for award, whichever occurs first. Thereafter, all bid documents or other materials submitted by all Bidders in response to this ITB shall be open for inspection by any person and in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes. <u>To the extent a Bidder asserts any portion of its bid is confidential and exempt, long with specific citations of the Florida Statutes establishing the confidentiality or exemption. Failure to identify the portions of the bid claimed to be exempt or the specific statutory authority establishing the exemption shall be deemed a waiver by the Bidder that any unidentified portion of the bid is confidential or exempt <u>from disclosure under Chapter 119, Florida Statutes</u>.</u>

Should a public records request for bid documents or other materials submitted by a Bidder be submitted, SBBC shall notify the contact person identified in the bid of the request in writing. The notice provided shall indicate that requested materials shall be produced unless, within ten (10) calendar days of the date of the written notification, the Awardee initiated an action in a court of competent jurisdiction to obtain an injunction or protective order prohibiting the release of the requested materials. Awardee shall name the party requesting the materials as a defendant and shall not name SBBC as a party to the action. Awardee agrees to hold SBBC harmless from any award to a plaintiff for damages, costs or attorney's fees based on nondisclosure of information asserted to be confidential and exempt. Failure to timely initiate the action shall be deemed a waiver by the Awardee that the requested information is confidential and exempt. Awardee agrees to waive any cause of action it may have against SBBC for the release of materials pursuant to a public records request except those based on the intentional or grossly negligent conduct of any employee of SBBC. Submission by a Bidder in response to this ITB shall be deemed as Bidder's consent to the foregoing conditions.

65. PUBLIC RECORDS: The following provisions are required by Section 119.0701, Florida Statutes, and may not be amended. VENDOR shall keep and maintain public records required by SBBC to perform the services required under this Agreement. Upon request from SBBC's custodian of public records, VENDOR shall provide SBBC with a copy of any requested public records or to allow the requested public records to be inspected or copied within a reasonable time at a cost that does not exceed the cost provided in Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, or as otherwise provided by law. VENDOR shall ensure that public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements are not disclosed except as authorized by law for the duration of the Agreement's term and following completion of the Agreement if VENDOR does not transfer the public records to SBBC. Upon completion of the Agreement, VENDOR shall transfer, at no cost, to SBBC all public records in possession of VENDOR or keep and maintain public records required by SBBC to perform the services required under the Agreement. If VENDOR transfer all public records to SBBC upon completion of the Agreement, VENDOR shall destroy any duplicate public records that are exempt or confidential and exempt from public records disclosure requirements. If VENDOR keeps and maintains public records upon completion of the Agreement, VENDOR shall meet all applicable requirements for retaining public records. All records stored electronically must be provided to SBBC, upon request from SBBC's custodian of public records, in a format that is compatible with SBBC's information technology systems.

IF A PARTY TO THIS AGREEMENT HAS QUESTIONS REGARDING THE APPLICATION OF CHAPTER 119, FLORIDA STATUTES, TO ITS DUTY TO PROVIDE PUBLIC RECORDS RELATING TO THE AGREEMENT, CONTACT THE CUSTODIAN OF PUBLIC RECORDS AT 754-321-0505, PROCUREMENT & WAREHOUSING SERVICES, 7720 WEST OAKLAND PARK BLVD., SUITE 323, SUNRISE FLORIDA, 33351.

66. <u>STUDENT RECORDS</u>. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary within this Invitation to Bid (ITB), any party contracting with SBBC under this ITB shall fully comply with the requirements of Sections 1002.22 and 1002.221, Florida Statutes; FERPA, and any other state or federal law or regulation regarding the confidentiality of student information and records. Each such party agrees, for itself, its officers, employees, agents, representatives, contractors or subcontractors, to fully indemnify and hold harmless SBBC and its officers and employees for any violation of this section, including, without limitation, defending SBBC and its officers and employees against any complaint, administrative or judicial proceeding, payment of any penalty imposed upon SBBC, or payment of any and all costs, damages, judgments or losses incurred by or imposed upon SBBC arising out of a breach of this covenant by the party, or an officer, employee, agent, representative, contractor, or sub-contractor of the party to the extent that the party or an officer, employee, agent, representative, contractor, or sub-contractor, or sub-contractor of the party shall either intentionally or negligently violate the provisions of this section or of Sections 1002.22 and/or 1002.221, Florida Statutes.

SECTION 4, SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- INTRODUCTION AND SCOPE: The School Board of Broward County, Florida (hereinafter referred to as "SBBC") desires bids on a term contract for HOUSEHOLD, COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES (CATALOG) with a single, fixed percentage discount as specified herein. Bids will only be considered from manufacturers or authorized dealer/distributors. Inside delivery and placement of appliances is required. One hard-copy bid and one identical electronic version of the bid, in PDF format or higher on CD/flash drive, must be submitted in time for bid opening to: Larissa Seda, Procurement & Warehousing Services Department, 7720 West Oakland Park Blvd – Suite 323, Sunrise, FL 33351. Envelopes with bids submitted need to be clearly marked with the Bid number and Title.
- 2. <u>TERM:</u> The award of this bid shall establish a contract for the period **beginning from date of award and continuing through November 30, 2018.** Bids will not be considered for a shorter period of time. Items shall be ordered on an asneeded basis. If only one bid is received, the term of the contract shall be reduced to one year.
- <u>AWARD</u>: Bid shall be awarded by ITEM to up to the three responsive and responsible bidders meeting all specifications, terms and conditions and offering the greatest single-fixed percentage discount from manufacturer's suggested retail pricelist (MSRP) for Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories. Percentage discount offered must be stated in the spaces provided on the Bid Summary Sheet. <u>Failure to offer a single-fixed percentage discount shall result in disgualification of bid item(s)</u>.

Offering a percentage mark-up instead of a discount shall result in disqualification of bid item. Multiple discounts offered will be disqualified. Each bid item provides a section called "additional information" and the information provided, under each section, will not be used for award purposes.

SBBC reserves the right to release new bids for any items that are included in catalogs submitted. This bid does not preclude individual schools and/or departments from making purchases from other vendors, per total purchase order, in an amount up to \$5,000, pursuant to Policy 3320.

After award of this bid, any Awardee who violates any specification, term or condition of this bid can be found in default of its contract, have its contract canceled, be subject to the payment of liquidated damages, and be removed from the bid list and not be eligible to do business with this SBBC for two years, as described in General Conditions 22 and 55.

4. <u>INFORMATION</u>: Any questions by prospective Bidders concerning this Invitation to Bid should be addressed to Larissa Seda, Procurement and Warehousing Services, 754-321-0524 or e-mail at Larissa.seda@browardschools.com who is authorized only to direct the attention of prospective Bidders to various portions of the bid so they may read and interpret such for themselves. Neither Ms. Seda, nor any employee of SBBC, is authorized to interpret any portion of the bid or give information as to the requirements of the bid in addition to that contained in the written bid document. Questions should be submitted in accordance with General Condition 5 no later than noon on January 10, 2017. Interpretations of the bid or additional information as to its requirements, where necessary, shall be communicated to Bidders only by written Addendum. Any verbal or written information, which is obtained other than by information in this ITB document or by Addenda, shall not be binding on SBBC.

- 5. <u>BIDDING PREFERENCE LAWS</u>: <u>ALL BIDDERS MUST COMPLETE AND SUBMIT SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 4 TO BE CONSIDERED FOR AWARD</u>. The State of Florida provides a Bidder's preference for Bidders whose principal place of business is within the State of Florida for the purchase of personal property. The local preference is five (5) percent. Bidders whose principal place of business is outside the State of Florida must have an Attorney, licensed to practice law in the out-of-state jurisdiction, as required by Florida Statute 287.084(2), execute the "Opinion of Out-of-State Bidder's Attorney on Bidding Preferences" form, Section 6, Attachment 4, and must submit this form with submitted bid. Such opinion should permit SBBC's reliance on such attorney's opinion for purposes of complying with Florida Statute 287.084. Florida Bidders are not required to have an Attorney render an opinion but the Florida Bidder must complete its portion of this form. Failure to submit and execute this form, with bid, shall result in bid being considered "non-responsive" and bid rejected.
- 6. <u>CERTIFICATION OF DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION</u>: A copy of Form AD-1048 (1/92) is included as a part of these bid documents. Section 3017.510 of 7 CFR Part 3017 requires the submission of the completed Form: Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion Lower Tier Covered Transactions. No vendor shall be allowed to participate in any procurement activity if any federal department or agency has debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded that vendor from participation in a procurement activity. This form must be completed, signed and submitted with the bid or upon request in order for the submitted bid to be considered. (Please see General Condition number 45.)</u>
- 7. <u>AUTHORIZED DEALER/DISTRIBUTOR</u>: Verification of dealer/distributor authorization on the manufacturer's letterhead to sell the manufacturer's product line shall be submitted with the bid or upon request by each Bidder for EACH MANUFACTURER (ITEM) OFFERED.
- 8. <u>SINGLE FIXED PERCENTAGE DISCOUNT QUOTED</u>: Bidders shall offer their single fixed percentage discount as described on the Bid Summary Sheet, to be calculated from the most current manufacturer's list price for the indicated Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories of said manufacturer. Single fixed percentage offered shall remain firm throughout the term of the contract. Only one single percentage discount shall be offered by the Bidder and shall apply to all items offered. If there are items excluded from the discount, these shall be listed on a separate sheet of paper and submitted with the bid. Discounts should not be predicated upon receiving a certain size minimum order. Discounts should be offered on the basis of order quantities of one (1) or more. Multiple discount offers will be disqualified. Net pricing is acceptable. Awardees may offer SBBC additional discounts at any time and invoice SBBC at a greater discount than their bid discount.

For the purpose of this bid, accessories and equipment shall be defined as:

- A. ACCESSORIES: Any catalog item whose net price is under \$1,000.00.
- B. EQUIPMENT: Any catalog item whose net price is \$1,000.00 or more.

9. <u>CATALOGS/PRICE LIST(S)</u>: Bidders shall furnish, with this bid or upon request, one copy of their current Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories catalog(s)/price list(s) for the manufacturers stated on the Bid Summary Sheets. The catalog/price list(s) will indicate all items bidder can furnish and the list prices to be used for each item. Catalogs/price list(s) submitted for other than Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories will not be accepted.

Due to the number of manufacturers included on this bid, it is preferred that catalogs/price list(s) are submitted using electronic storage media such as CD-ROM or memory sticks/thumb-drives in lieu of hard paper copies. CD-ROM or memory sticks/thumb-drives will need to be identified with the bid item number and the manufacturer's name for each catalog/price list offered. CD-ROM or memory stick/thumb-drive(s) shall be "functional" when submitted with the bid. The word "functional" shall mean that files can be easily accessed and readable on the CD-ROM or memory stick/thumb-drive.

If a bidder already has a website with updated manufacturer list pricing with the SBBC discount schedule, then the link for the website will need to be provided to SBBC with the bid or upon request.

Awardees may be requested to deliver this same catalog(s) to any SBBC location within Broward County, Florida and at no cost to SBBC. Under no circumstances will SBBC distribute catalogs for Awardee.

- 10. <u>PRICE LIST(S)/CATALOG(S) UPDATES:</u> If, during the contract period, the Awardee issues replacements to the catalog(s), a copy of the replacement catalog(s)/price list(s) are to be forwarded to: Larissa Seda, Purchasing Agent, Procurement & Warehousing Services, 7720 W. Oakland Park Blvd., Suite 323, Sunrise, Florida 33351. If necessary, Awardee will be requested to deliver copies of the replacement catalog(s)/price list(s) with current prices and/or products to any SBBC location within Broward County, Florida at no cost to SBBC. Failure on the part of the Awardee(s) to furnish current catalogs/price lists updates will result in all payments being based on the last update received and increase will not be honored until SBBC receives up-to-date price lists.
- 11. <u>ORDERS</u>: No guarantee as to the dollar amount of this bid is implied or given. SBBC is <u>NOT</u> obligated to place any order with any Awardee in this bid. However, all SBBC locations will be urged to refer to catalogs and single fixed percentage discount of Awardee(s) to fill their orders at the lowest prices. Individual orders will be placed on an as needed basis. <u>The prices applicable to any purchase order are those that were in effect on the date of issuance of the purchase order</u>.
- 12. <u>REQUEST FOR QUOTES</u>: Before placing an order, SBBC locations in need of Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories as described in this bid shall contact an Awardee to request a quote. These quotes shall follow the terms, conditions and specifications of this ITB. All quotes submitted by Awardee must state, as a minimum, a complete description of the item, the list price, the discount amount corresponding with percentage awarded on the bid, as well as delivery and installation costs.

13. <u>DELIVERY/FREIGHT</u>: All Awardees shall provide <u>"inside delivery</u>", F.O.B. Destination to various SBBC locations within Broward County, Florida. SBBC's definition of "F.O.B. Destination" is Awardee retains title and control of goods, and selects the carrier, and is responsible for the risk of transportation; title passes to SBBC upon delivery and ownership by SBBC. Any delivery/handling costs should be stated in detail on the quotation issued to an SBBC location. <u>Delivery, that includes freight collect, shall not be allowed</u>. Delivery or freight charge shall be prepaid and added to the invoice as a separate amount on the invoice. Awardee shall be responsible for filing, processing and collecting all damage claims against the shipper for damaged materials.

All equipment for inside delivery shall be unloaded by the Awardee and/or Awardee's contracted delivery company. Delivery vehicles shall be equipped with lift gates to facilitate safe unloading of equipment at school or department locations. Schools and departments do not have equipment at their location to off-load equipment. SBBC employees shall not handle or unload any delivered materials.

Equipment shall be placed in the proper room/areas and in the exact location identified by District staff. Equipment shall be placed in a ready-to-use, new condition and be functional and clean.

- 14. <u>DELIVERY AFTER RECEIPT OF PURCHASE ORDER</u>: Bidder is to indicate, in the space provided on the Bid Summary Sheet, delivery time required for each bid item. This information is requested as "additional information" for each item and will not be used for award purposes. A Bidder who fails to indicate delivery time agrees to deliver items ordered within 30 days from the receipt of the order (ARO).
- 15. <u>SHIPMENTS, AND INVOICING</u>: SBBC Purchase Order number and ship to information shall appear on all shipments, bills of lading, packing lists and invoices. All shipments will be made in **no more than three increments**. The third, and final shipment, if necessary, shall be made no more than **30 calendar days** subsequent to the date of Purchase Order.

Material back-ordered should be clearly indicated on the packing slip. Schools, departments and centers reserve the right to cancel back-orders at any time and purchase from another vendor.

Delivery copies, packing slips and invoices to SBBC **MUST** include the following to permit SBBC to verify prices with this contract and expedite the use of the material. Failure to do so may result in delay of payment. Invoices are to be mailed to the ordering location indicated on the Purchase Order and shall include:

- A. Material release number OR the control number
- B. Purchase order number
- C. Complete description of the items
- D. Itemized list prices
- E. Total dollar amount will be net
- 16. <u>COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE</u>: Bidder is requested to indicate, in space provided on the Additional Information Sheet, the name, address, telephone number, etc., of the representative(s) who could make periodic scheduled visits to the schools, departments and centers and who will be available, **upon request, to resolve billing and delivery problems**.

- 17. **INSTALLATION:** Bidder may offer a special installation cost at a per hour rate as stated on the Bid Summary Sheets and will be used as "additional information". All equipment shall be installed according to the standards established by the terms, specifications, drawings and construction notes and meet manufacturer's specifications and industry standards. All work performed by the Awardee and/or subcontractors pursuant to this contract shall meet industry accepted standards, and shall be performed in a professional and workmanlike manner by staff with the necessary skills, experience and knowledge. Installers must follow the following guidelines:
 - A. Employee(s) of the installer shall report to the school's main office, register in the appropriate sign-in book, list the number of employees on the school site and sign out at the end of the day.
 - B. All of the installer's employees shall wear SBBC identification badges which contain a photo, individual's name and the company name. Other types of identification badges are not acceptable. Failure to properly wear and display identification will result in dismissal of installer's employee from School Board property.
 - C. All of the installer's employees shall be clean and appropriately dressed at all times while on school campus. Shirts shall be worn at all times.
 - D. Awardee/Installer shall furnish, at their own expense, all supervision, equipment, machines, tools, materials, labor, transportation and all necessary items needed to perform site preparation and installation of equipment.
 - E. Protect all personnel (school staff and installer's employees), and students or others on school campuses against hazards and/or injuries that might result installer's work since generally the site preparation and installation of equipment will occur while school is in session. This shall include, but not be limited to the erection of barricades and signs to isolate the worksite and minimize the risk of injury to anyone on the school campus or site location.
 - F. Unpack, uncrate and install equipment at the site location in accordance with manufacturer's equipment specifications, bid specifications and SBBC policies and procedures. Installation shall include equipment set up, leveling, and installation of accessories, shelves, factory start-up and training. Final electrical, plumbing and gas hook-ups shall be done by SBBC personnel.
 - G. All rubbish, refuse, scrap materials and debris as a result of Awardee's installation must be cleared from the site location on a daily basis by the Awardee/installer. No rubbish, refuse or scrap materials as a result of installation shall be placed in SBBC dumpsters. Leave the work site clean and free of any debris at the end of each work day.
 - H. At completion of installation, the site shall be in a ready-to-use condition, free of debris. Restore site to its original condition.
- INSTRUCTION MANUALS: Upon delivery and installation, Awardee is required to furnish an instruction manual for each item. Each manual shall contain definition of equipment capabilities, technical description of equipment operation, description of malfunction identification and troubleshooting procedures.
- <u>SUBCONTRACTORS</u>: In the event that the Awardee will contract the services of a subcontractor for delivery and installation, Awardee must notify SBBC prior to delivery. SBBC reserves the right to accept or decline a proposed subcontractor. Subcontractors performing installation must have SBBC issued ID badges before entering on School Board Property. (General Condition 49)

20. <u>ACCEPTANCE OF MATERIALS</u>: The material delivered under this bid shall remain the property of the Awardee until a physical inspection and actual usage of this material is made and thereafter accepted to the satisfaction of SBBC and must comply with the terms herein, and be fully in accordance with specifications.

21. DAMAGE/REPLACEMENT POLICY:

- A. <u>Damage discovered at time of delivery</u>: If damaged equipment or appliance is discovered during the delivery process, Awardee and SBBC location staff must assess the damage and determine whether it is unsafe or if the damage requires a minor repair. If the damaged equipment is repairable or usable, the equipment may be left on-site with the approval of SBBC location's staff provided that the repair can be completed within one week of discovery. If the repair cannot be completed within one week, or the equipment is unsafe or unusable, the equipment shall be removed immediately. Removed equipment shall be replaced with the exact or similar equipment. Awardee shall be responsible for the removal of the damaged equipment at its expense. The District reserves the right to reject the repair of equipment if, in its judgment, would be better served by receiving a replacement item. Awardee may provide "loaner" equipment on a temporary basis, if necessary, to reorder replacement equipment or if the repair will take longer than expected. Awardee shall replace the damaged equipment either the same day or within 10 to 20 working days from date of incident (not to exceed a maximum of 30 calendar days).
- B. <u>Damage discovered after time of delivery</u>: Upon notification by the District within ten (10) working days, Awardee shall have two (but no more than five) working days to inspect the defective items to determine if the damage is unsafe or damages require a minor repair. If the damaged equipment is repairable or usable, the equipment may be left on-site with the approval of the District location's staff provided that the repair can be completed within one week of discovery. If the repair cannot be completed within one week, or the equipment is unsafe or unusable, the equipment shall be removed immediately. Removed equipment shall be replaced with the exact or similar equipment. Awardee shall be responsible for the removal of the damaged equipment at its expense. The District reserves the right to reject the repair of equipment if, in its judgment, would be better served by receiving a replacement item. Awardee may provide "loaner" equipment on a temporary basis, if necessary, to reorder replacement equipment or if the repair will take longer than expected. Awardee shall replace the damaged equipment either the same day or within 10 to 20 working days from date of incident (not to exceed a maximum of 30 calendar days).
- 22. <u>NEW APPLIANCES</u>: Product offered shall be for <u>new</u> appliances; i.e., units that have not been previously used in any way and are being actively marketed by the manufacturer. Therefore, <u>reconditioned, refurbished, rebuilt,</u> <u>discontinued, used, shop worn, demonstrator, prototype equipment or other type of appliances of this kind are</u> <u>not acceptable and will be rejected.</u> Minor parts within the appliance, however, may have remanufactured components.
- 23. <u>WARRANTY:</u> Manufacturer's standard warranty shall be extended to SBBC for all catalog items. Warranty shall begin after delivery and acceptance by the user of the product.

24. <u>APPLIANCE RECALL</u>: In the event the Awardee receives notice that a product delivered by the Awardee to SBBC has been recalled, seized or embargoed, and/or has been determined to be misbranded, adulterated, or found to be unfit for use by a packer, processor, subcontractor, retailer, manufacturer, or by any State or Federal regulatory agency, the Awardee shall notify SBBC's Purchasing Agent (listed in Special Condition 4) within two business days of receiving such notice. SBBC's acceptance or failure to reject the affected product as non-conforming shall not in any way impact, negate or diminish the Awardee's duty to notify SBBC's Purchasing Agent. The form and content of such notice to SBBC shall include the name and description of the affected product; the approximate date the affected product was delivered to SBBC; the bid number; purchase order number, the ship to address; and relevant information relating to the proper handling of the affected product and/or disposition of the affected product by SBBC, if necessary to protect the health, welfare and safety of SBBC students or employees; and any health hazards known to the Awardee which may be caused or created by the affected product(s). Awardee shall, at the option of the Purchasing Agent, either reimburse the purchase price or provide an equivalent replacement product at no additional cost to SBBC. Unless it is absolutely necessary for SBBC to dispose of the affected product, the Awardee shall be responsible for removal and/or replacement of the affected product within a reasonable period of time, as determined by SBBC, without causing significant inconvenience to SBBC.

At the option of SBBC, the Awardee may be required to reimburse storage and/or handling fees to be calculated from time of delivery and/or acceptance to actual removal or disposal. Awardee will bear all costs associated with the removal (disassembled) and proper disposal of the affected product. Failure to reimburse the purchase price and storage and/or handling fees or to remove the affected product with an equivalent replacement within a reasonable period of time without significant inconvenience to SBBC will be considered a default of contract.

- 25. <u>LEAD-FREE STATEMENT:</u> All material supplied SBBC must be 100% lead free. Bidder, by virtue of signing bid, certifies that only materials or equipment that is 100% lead free shall be supplied to SBBC. No bid shall be considered unless this is agreed to by the Bidder.
- 26. <u>CONTRACT RENEWAL:</u> The purpose of this bid is to establish a contract, at firm percentage prices, for the purchase of estimated requirements for the items listed and may, by mutual agreement between SBBC and the Awardee, be renewed for two additional one-year periods and, if needed, 90 days beyond the expiration date of the final renewal period. Procurement and Warehousing Services will, if considering renewing, request a letter of intent to renew from each Awardee, prior to the end of the current contract period. The Awardee will be notified when the recommendation has been acted upon by the School Board. All percentage discounts shall be firm through the period stated in Special Condition 8 Single-Fixed Percentage Discount Quoted for the term of the contract. The Bidder(s) agrees to this condition by signing its bid.
- 27. <u>FORCE MAJEURE</u>: Except for the provisions of this bid, each party shall be excused from performance under this bid only for such period of time as the failure to perform is caused by or attributable to any event or circumstance beyond the direct control of such party. It is further provided that if either party shall fail to make any delivery or perform any service required by this bid as a result of any such event or circumstances beyond its own direct control, it shall have the right to make such delivery or perform such service within a reasonable time after the cause of such delay has been removed, and the other party shall accept such deferred delivery or performance.

SECTION 4, SPECIAL CONDITIONS (Continued)

28. <u>M/WBE UTILIZATION:</u> SBBC has implemented a Minority/Women Business Enterprise (M/WBE) Program as part of the SBBC's competitive solicitation and contracting activity in accordance with School Board Policy 7007-A Administrative Procedures for The School Board of Broward County, Florida's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program. The purpose of the program is to utilize available minority and women businesses with in the Board's market area to compete for the award of SBBC purchasing contracts.

An M/WBE is defined by SBBC as any legal entity, other than a joint venture, which is organized to engage in commercial transactions and which is at least 51% owned, operated and controlled by minorities or women. For information on M/WBE Certification, contact SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program at 754-321-0550 or visit <u>www.browardschools.com/sdop</u>. SBBC's Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program works to increase the participation of minority and women business enterprises in construction and purchasing contracts. It is the intent of the Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program to have a diverse group, as well as an equitable distribution of M/WBEs participating on any award of this Bid.

- 29. <u>M/WBE UTILIZATION REPORTING</u>: In an effort to monitor the achievement of the M/WBE goal the Awardee(s) agrees to submit, a completed Monthly M/WBE Utilization Report form, **attached hereto as Exhibit "A2"** and made a part of this contract. The timing of these reports must coincide with invoice submission. In addition to the M/WBE Utilization Report form, Awardee(s) shall also provide proof of payment made to each M/WBE Subcontractor which shall take the form of cancelled checks or check register photocopies, or any other valid form of documentation that serves to substantiate all payment amounts included in the Subcontractor Utilization Report. The Awardee(s) understands that each M/WBE utilized for the contract must be certified by SBBC, Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program Office.
- 30. <u>MATERIAL LOGISTICS DELIVERY AND PALLETS:</u> On large orders, half trailer or larger, the Awardee will call SBBC, Materials Logistics Center at 754-321-4721 prior to arrange for a delivery schedule.

Product must be shipped shrink wrapped on 48" x 40", 4-way flush pallets or otherwise referred to as the Grocery Manufacturer Association (GMA) pallets. No pallet exchange. <u>The Materials Logistics Center will not accept</u> <u>broken, damaged or severely worn pallets.</u> If a shipment is received with a broken, damaged or severely worn pallet, Materials Logistics reserves the right to reject the shipment. The acceptable pallet grades will be:

- 1) **Premium** A very clean pallet that has probably been used only a few times. There is little if any repairs to the pallet. The pallet will have no plates and no companion stringers.
- Grade #1 or A Grade This is a GMA repaired, close to its original condition. Broken stringers may have been
 replaced or repaired with metal plates. All damaged deck boards are replaced. This is a fairly clean pallet that is
 structurally sound.
- 3) Grade #2 or B Grade This is a GMA, which has had stringer damage that has been repaired by attaching an additional stringer alongside the damaged one. This is commonly referred to as a companion stringer, block stringer and double stringer. The "B" grade pallets usually have two (2) or less repaired stringers. The deck configuration of the "B" grade pallet is not always consistent because these pallets have been repaired many times.
- 31. <u>IRS W-9 FORMS:</u> All Bidders are requested to complete the attached IRS Form W-9, in Section 6, Attachment 5, and submit with their bid

SECTION 5, BID SUMMARY SHEET

NOTE: BIDDER MUST ENTER A SINGLE PERCENTAGE FIGURE FOR EACH ITEM BIDDER PLACES AN OFFER BELOW (EXAMPLE: 30%). BIDDER MAY ENTER A DECIMAL INTO ITS PERCENTAGE FIGURE (EXAMPLE: 30.2%). DO NOT ENTER A DECIMAL EQUIVALENT OF A PERCENTAGE (EXAMPLE: .302%).

	MANUFACTURER NAME	SINGLE FIXED PERCENTAGE DISCOUNT
ITEM 1	ACCUTEMP	
	Steamers, etc.	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 2	ADVANCE TABCO	
	Fabricated foodservice Equipment, Sinks/Facets, Preparation Tables, etc.	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 3	ALEXANDER INDUSTRIES	
	Shelving, Racks and Cabinets	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 4	ALTO-SHAAM	
	Combo/Holding Ovens, Heating Cabinets, Display Cases, Quick Chillers, etc.	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 5	AMANA	
	Small Kitchen Appliances: Refrigerators, Freezers, Microwaves, Washer/Dryers	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
	Removal and Disposal of Existing Appliances: Fixed Cost: \$	
ITEM 6	AMCO	
	Shelving, etc.	0/
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 7	AMERICAN COOK SYSTEMS	
	Steamers, etc.	0/
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	

	MANUFACTURER NAME	SINGLE FIXED PERCENTAGE DISCOUNT
ITEM 8	APW WYOTT Foodservice Appliances: Countertop Warming, Food-wells, Warmers, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 9	ATLAS METAL Buffet Tables, Countertops, Modular Unites, Food Guards, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 10	BAKER'S PRIDE Convection/Countertop Ovens, Deck Ovens, Grills, Broilers, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 11	BAXTER Bakery Ovens, Proofers/Retarders, Carts, Oven Racks, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 12	BERKEL Slicers, Mixers, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 13	BEVERAGE-AIR Refrigeration Units, Milk Coolers, Merchandisers, Deli Cases, Food Prep, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 14	BLAKESLEE Commercial Dishwashing & Food Preparation Equipment Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 15	BLODGETT Convection/Combo Ovens, Deck Ovens, Ranges, Steamers, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%

	MANUFACTURER NAME	SINGLE FIXED PERCENTAGE DISCOUNT
ITEM 16	BLOOMFIELD Coffee Brewers and Decanters Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information:	%
ITEM 17	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ BSI-CROWD CONTROL Crowd Control Systems Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 18	BUNN Foodservices Delivery:	%
ITEM 19	CAMBRO Kiosks, Cashiers Stands, Camcruisers, Mobile Food Storage Cart, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 20	CAPTIVE-AIR Commercial Kitchen Ventilation Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ve one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 21	CARLISLE Insulated Carts, Ice Caddies, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 22	CARTER HOFFMAN Holding Cabinets, Refrigerators & Freezers, Racks, Transport Carts, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 23	CHAMPION Commercial Dish & Glass Washing Machines Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%

	MANUFACTURER NAME	SINGLE FIXED PERCENTAGE DISCOUNT
ITEM 24	CLEVELAND Baking Pans, Skillets, Ovens & Steamers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 25	CMA DISHMACHINES Commercial Dishwashers & Sculleries Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 26	COLORPOINT (LOW TEMP INDUSTRIES) Serving Lines for Cafeterias Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 27	CONTINENTAL-GIRBAU Commercial Washier Extractor and Dryers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 28	CONTINENTIAL REFRIGERATOR Foodservice Refrigerators & Freezers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 29	COOPER-ATKINS Digital Thermometers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 30	CRES COR Cabinets, Racks, Ovens, Pans, Grids and Baskets Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 31	CUTLER Bagel Oven Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per v2 Hour \$	%

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	MANUFACTURER NAME	SINGLE FIXED PERCENTAGE DISCOUNT
ITEM 32	DAUB	
	Bakery Dividers, Rounders, Molders, Bread Slicers	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
ITEM 33	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ DELFIELD	
	Foodservice preparation, Refrigeration, Storage & Handling	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	/0
	Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 34	DOYON BAKING EQUIPMENT	
	Ovens, Warmers, Proofers, Cabinets, Mixers, Sheeters, Bread Slicers, etc.	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	-
ITEM 35	DUKE	
	Serving Systems, Product Holding, Steam Tables, Drop-in/Slide-In, Ovens, etc.	%
	Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information:	%
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 36	DYNAMIC COOKING SYSTEMS (DCS)	
	Ranges, Cooktops, Microwave Ovens, Refrigeration, Ventilation, etc.	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 37	EAGLE/METAL MASTERS	
	Cooking/Warming Equipment, Dish Tables, Holding Cabinets, Shelving, Sinks, etc.	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
ITEM 38	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ EDLUND	
	Scales	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	/0
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	
ITEM 39		
	Stainless Steel Tables, etc.	
	Delivery:Days ARO	%
	Additional Information:	
	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	

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ITEM 40	ELOMA Combi Steamers, Modular Solutions, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 41	EPICURAL DIGITAL Digital Menu Boards Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 42	FOOD WARMING EQUIPMENT (FWE) Holding Carts and Warming Cabinets, Ovens and Refrigeration Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 43	FRIGIDARE Household appliances Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ Removal and Disposal of Existing Appliances: Fixed Cost: \$	%
ITEM 44	FRYMASTER Fryers, Pasta Cookers & Rethermalization Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 45	GAMANZA Stainless Steel Tables, Carts, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ve (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 46	GALLEY Serving lines, modular Serving Stations, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 47	GARLAND Broilers, Fryers, Grills, Ovens, Ranges Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%

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ITEM 48	GAYLORD Control Panels, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 49	GENERAL ELECTRIC Washers, Dryers, Refrigerators, Microwave Ovens Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 50	GLOBE Slicers, Mixers, Cutters, Choppers, and Scales Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 51	GROEN Steam Kettles, Braising Pans, Convection Ovens, Cookers/Mixers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 52	HATCO Display lights, Drawer & Portable Warmers, Toasters, Heating Wells, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 53	HOBART Commercial Foodservice Equipment Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 54	HOSHIZAKI Ice Makers, Refrigeration Units Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 55	HUSSMAN Refrigeration and Food Display Equipment Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%

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ITEM 56	ICE-O-MATIC Ice Machines Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information:	%
ITEM 57	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ IOWA ROTOCAST Plastics Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 58	JACKSON Commercial Foodservice Dishwashers Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 59	KEATING OF CHICAGO Fryers, Griddles, Cookers, Food Warmers, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 60	KELMAX Carts, Racks Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ve one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 61	KENMORE Home appliances Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ Removal and Disposal of Existing Appliances: Fixed Cost: \$	%
ITEM 62	KITCHENAID Mixers, Dishwashers, Countertop Appliances, Refrigeration, Ventilation, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 63	LBC BAKERY EQUIPMENT Gas/Elect. Ovens, Rack Ovens, Deck Ovens, Proofers, Mixers, Dough Sheeters & Molders, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%

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ITEM 64	LINCOLN FOODSERVICE Commercial Ovens and Toasters, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information:	%
ITEM 65	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ MANITOWAC	
TTEM 05	Ice Machines Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 66	MANNHART Vegetable Cutters and Salad Dryers Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 67	MARC REFRIGERATION Food Display Cases Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 68	MARKET FORGE Steamers, Pressure Cookers, Tilting Skillets, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 69	MAYTAG Washer, dryer, domestic refrigerator, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ Removal and Disposal of Existing Appliances: Fixed Cost: \$	%
ITEM 70	METRO (INTERMETRO) Shelving, Racks, Carts, bins, Warehandling, Cabinets, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 71	MOD-U-SERVE Serving Lines for Cafeterias Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%

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ITEM 72	NORLAKE FOODSERVICE PRODUCTS Refrigeration Systems, Milk Coolers, Merchandisers, Heating Cabinets, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 73	N & W GLOBAL VENDING Vending Machines, Keypads Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 74	POWER SOAK Stainless Steel Sinks Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 75	RANDELL Serving Lines Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 76	REGAL PINNACLE (RPI) Serving Counters, Display Cases, Modular Serving Counters, Air Screen Grab/Go Cases, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$	%
ITEM 77	ROBOT COUPE Food Processors, Mixers, Blixers & Juicers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 78	SCOTSMAN Ice Machines Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 79	SECO Racks, Carts, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%

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ITEM 80	SERVER PRODUCTS Pumps/Dispensers, Condiment Carts, Merchandisers, Warmers, Cold Food Holders Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 81	SERVESMART Menu Boards, Vending Carts, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 82	SOMAT Waste Disposal System Equipment Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 83	SPD SOLUTIONS Compactors Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 84	SPEEDQUEEN Commercial Washer Extractors and Dryers Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 85	SPG INTERNATIONAL Stainless Steel Tables, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 86	SSP Stainless Steel Tables Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 87	STAR VENDING Vending Machines, Keypads, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%

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ITEM 88	TAYLOR Soft Serve, Milkshake, Smoothie, Ice Cream Machines, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Interference	%
ITEM 89	Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$ TOASTMASTER	
	Countertop Toasters, Grills, Conveyor Ovens, Convection Ovens, Rangers, Food Warmers Delivery:Days ARO <u>Additional Information:</u> Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 90	TOURNUS Shelving, Storage Products Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 91	TRAULSEN Blast Chillers, Warming Cabinets, Food Prep Tables, Refrigeration Units, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 92	TRUE MANUFACURING Refrigeration Units, Food Prep Tables, Milk coolers, Merchandisers, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 93	UNIVERSAL STAINLESS Tables, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 94	UNIMAC Commercial Washer Extractor and Dryers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 95	VARIMIXER Foodservice Mixers Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%

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ITEM 96	VICTORY Refrigeration Units, Sandwich Prep Tables, Warming Cabinets, Pizza Tables, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 97	Installation: Cost per 2 root \$ Cost per one (1) node of more \$ VOLLRATH Food Preparation Supplies and Equipment Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 98	VULCAN HART Broilers, Griddles, Fryers, Warming Cabinets, Ranges, Ovens, Steamers, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 99	WARING Blenders, Juicers, Mixers, Extractors, Toasting Grills, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 100	WASCOMAT Commercial Washer Extractors and Dryers Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ve one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 101	WELLS MANUFACTURING Broilers, Warmers, Fryers, Griddles, Hot/Cold Pans, Hot Plates, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 102	WHIRLPOOL Stainless Steel Fabrication (Work Tables, Prep Sinks), Racks, Cabinets, Proofers, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%
ITEM 103	WIN-HOLT EQUIPMENT GROUP Stainless Steel Fabrication (Work Tables, Prep Sinks), Racks, Cabinets, Proofers, etc. Delivery:Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per ½ Hour \$ Cost per one (1) hour or more \$	%

	MANUFACTURER NAME	SINGLE FIXED PERCENTAGE DISCOUNT
ITEM 104	WINSTON INDUSTRIES Holding Cabinets, Merchandisers, Steamers, Fryers, Tables, Cvap Cabinets, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%
ITEM 105	WOLF Broilers, Ranges, Ovens, Fryers, griddles, Hot Plates, Refrigerated Bases, Stock Pot Ranges, Countertop Range, Convection Ovens, etc. Delivery: Days ARO Additional Information: Installation: Cost per 1/2 Hour \$	%

REQUIRED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE: (See Special Condition 16)

Company Name

Company Representative

Street Address

City, State and Zip

Phone Number

Fax Number

Local/Toll-Free Phone Number

E-Mail Address

NOTE TO BIDDER: Review General Condition 52 prior to completing and mailing this bid.

Bidder's M/WBE Certification Number: _____

Agency Issuing This Number: _____

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 1 DISCLOSURE OF POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND CONFLICTING EMPLOYMENT OR CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP

In accordance with General Condition 11, each Bidder must disclose in its Bid, the names of any employees who are employed by Bidder who are also an employees of SBBC. Persons identified below may have obligations and restrictions applicable to them under Chapter 112, Florida Statutes.

Name of Bidder's Employee	SBBC Title or Position of Bidder's Employee	SBBC Department/ School of Bidder's Employee

Check one of the following and sign:

□ I hereby affirm that there are no known persons employed by Bidder who are also an employee of SBBC.

□ I hereby affirm that all known persons who are employed by Bidder who are also an employee of SBBC have been identified above.

Signature

Company Name

03/28/13

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SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 2 THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 287.087, FLORIDA STATUTES, AS CURRENTLY ENACTED OR AS AMENDED FROM TIME TO TIME, ON PREFERENCE TO BUSINESSES WITH DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE PROGRAMS.

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS.

This sworn statement is submitted to The School Board of Broward County, Florida,

by_

(Print individual's name and title)

for_

(Print name of entity submitting sworn statement)

whose business address is

and (if applicable) its Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is _______(If the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number of the individual signing this sworn statement: ______)

I certify that I have established a drug-free workplace program and have complied with the following:

- 1. Published a statement notifying employees that the unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, or use of a controlled substance is prohibited in the workplace and specifying the actions that shall be taken against employees for violations of such prohibition.
- 2. Informed employees about the dangers of drug abuse in the workplace, the business' policy of maintaining a drug-free workplace, any available drug counseling, rehabilitation and employee assistance programs, and the penalties that may be imposed upon employees for drug abuse violations.
- 3. Given each employee engaged in providing the commodities or contractual services that are under bid a copy of the statement specified in subsection (1).
- 4. In the statement specified in subsection (1), notified the employees that, as a condition of working on the commodities or contractual services that are under bid, the employee shall abide by the terms of the statement and shall notify the employer of any conviction of, or plea of guilty or nolo contendere to, any violation of chapter 893 or of any controlled substance law of the United States or any state, for a violation occurring in the workplace no later than five days after such conviction.
- 5. Shall impose a sanction on, or require the satisfactory participation in a drug abuse assistance or rehabilitation program if such is available in the employee's community by, any employee who is so convicted.
- 6. Am making a good faith effort to continue to maintain a drug free workplace through implementation of this section.

	(Signature)
Sworn to and subscribed before me this	day of, 20
Personally Known	
OR Produced identification	Notary Public - State of
(Type of identification)	My commission expires
FORM: #4530 3/93	(Printed, typed or stamped commissioned name of notary public)
VENDOR NAME:	

LS/as

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 3

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

MINIMUM LIMITS OF INSURANCE

GENERAL LIABILITY: Limits not less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence for Bodily Injury/ Property Damage; \$1,000,000 General Aggregate.

Limits not less than \$1,000,000 for Products/Completed Operations Aggregate.

WORKER'S COMPENSATION: Florida Statutory limits in accordance with Chapter 440; Employer's Liability limits not less than \$100,000/\$100,000/\$500,000 (each accident/disease-each employee/disease-policy limit).

AUTO LIABILITY: Owned, Non-Owned and Hired Auto Liability with Bodily Injury and Property Damage limits of not less than \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit.

If Awardee does not own any vehicles, hired and non-owned automobile liability coverage in the amount of \$1,000,000 shall be accepted. In addition, an affidavit signed by the Awardee must be furnished to SBBC indicating the following:

_____(Awardee Name) does not own any vehicles. In the event insured acquires any vehicles throughout the term of this agreement, insured agrees to provide proof of "Any Auto" coverage effective the date of acquisition. (Fax affidavit with Certificate of Insurance to SBBC Risk Management at 866-897-0424.)

ACCEPTABILITY OF INSURANCE CARRIERS: The insurance policies shall be issued by companies qualified to do business in the State of Florida. The insurance companies must be rated at least A- VI by AM Best or Aa3 by Moody's Investor Service.

VERIFICATION OF COVERAGE: Proof of the required insurance must be furnished by an Awardee to SBBC Risk Management Department by Certificate of Insurance within 15 days of notification of award. All certificates (and any required documents) must be received and approved by SBBC before any work commences to permit Awardee time to remedy any deficiencies. FAX CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE TO SBBC RISK MANAGEMENT AT 866-897-0424.

REQUIRED CONDITIONS: Liability policies must contain the following provisions. In addition, the following wording must be included on the Certificate of Insurance:

The School Board of Broward County, FL, its members, officers, employees and agents are added as additional insured. The endorsement # is: ______.

All liability policies are primary of all other valid and collectable coverage maintained by the School Board of Broward County, Florida.

(**Please include the Contract # and Title on the Certificate of Insurance.) (Certificate Holder: School Board of Broward County, 600 Southeast Third Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301.)

CANCELLATION OF INSURANCE: Vendors are prohibited from providing services under this contract with SBBC without the minimum required insurance coverage and must notify SBBC within two business days if required insurance is cancelled.

Any questions as to the intent or meaning of any part of the above required coverage should be submitted in writing and in accordance with General Condition 5. See also General Conditions 12 and 20.

The School Board of Broward County, Florida reserves the right to review, reject or accept any required policies of insurance, including limits, coverage's or endorsements, herein throughout the term of this contract.

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 4 (See Special Condition 5)

LEGAL OPINION OF BIDDER'S PREFERENCE

MUST BE COMPLETED BY ALL BIDDERS.

Section 1 must be completed by the Attorney for an Out-of-State Bidder Section 2 must be completed and signed by Florida Bidder

NOTICE: The State of Florida provides a Bidder's preference for Bidders whose principal place of business is within the State of Florida for the purchase of personal property. The local preference is five (5) percent. Bidders whose principal place of business is outside the State of Florida must have an Attorney, licensed to practice law in the out-of-state jurisdiction, as required by Florida Statute 287.084(2), execute the "Opinion of Out-of-State Bidder's Attorney on Bidding Preferences" form, Section 6, Attachment 4, and must submit this form with submitted bid. Such opinion should permit SBBC's reliance on such attorney's opinion for purposes of complying with Florida Statute 287.084. Florida Bidders are not required to have an Attorney render an opinion but the Florida Bidder must complete its portion of this form. Failure to submit and execute this form, with bid, shall result in bid being considered "non-responsive" and bid rejected.

SECTION 1	LEGAL OPINION ABOUT OUT-OF-STATE BIDDING PREFERENCES
	(Must Select One)

_____ The Bidder's principal place of business is in the State of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that state <u>do not</u> grant a preference in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that state.

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the State of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that state grant the following preference(s) in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that state: [Please describe applicable preference(s) and identify applicable state law(s)]:

The undersigned attorney submits the foregoing opinions with the intention that they be relied upon by The School Board of Broward County, Florida in the letting of public contracts

Signature of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Printed name of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Address of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Telephone Number of out-of-state Bidder's attorney: (____) ____ - ____

Email address of out-of-state Bidder's attorney:

Attorney's state(s) of bar admission:

<u>SECTION 2</u> <u>LEGAL OPINION ABOUT POLITICAL SUBDIVISION BIDDING PREFERENCES FOR A FLORIDA BIDDER ONLY</u> <u>ATTORNEY'S OPINION AND SIGNATURE NOT REQUIRED FOR FLORIDA BIDDERS</u> (Must Select One)

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of Broward County, Florida.

_____ The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that political subdivision <u>do not grant a preference</u> in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that political division.

The Bidder's principal place of business is in the political subdivision of ______ and it is my legal opinion that the laws of that political subdivision grant the following preference(s) in the letting of any or all public contracts to business entities whose principal places of business are in that political subdivision: [Please describe applicable preference(s) and identify applicable authority granting the preference(s)]:

SECTION 6, ATTACHMENT 5

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In the cases below, the following person must give Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States:

 In the case of a disregarded entity with a U.S. owner, the U.S. owner of the disregarded entity and not the entity,

In the case of a grantor trust with a U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner, generally, the U.S. grantor or other U.S. owner of the grantor trust and not the trust, and

 In the case of a U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust), the U.S. trust (other than a grantor trust) and not the beneficiaries of the trust.

Foreign person. If you are a foreign person or the U.S. branch of a foreign bank that has elected to be treated as a U.S. person, do not use Form W-9. Instead, use the appropriate Form W-8 or Form 8233 (see Publication 515, Withholding of Tax on Nonrealident Allens and Foreign Entitles).

Nonresident alien who becomes a resident alien. Generally, only a nonresident alien individual may use the terms of a tax treatly to reduce or eliminate U.S. tax on certain types of income. However, most tax treaties contain a provision known as a "saving clause." Exceptions specified in the saving clause may permit an examption from tax to continue for certain types of income even after the payee has otherwise become a U.S. resident alien for tax purposes.

If you are a U.S. resident alien who is relying on an exception contained in the saving clause of a tax treatly to claim an exemption from U.S. tax on certain types of income, you must attach a statement to Form W-9 that specifies the following the items:

 The treaty country. Generally, this must be the same treaty under which you claimed exemption from tax as a nonresident alien.

2. The treaty article addressing the income.

The article number (or location) in the tax treaty that contains the saving clause and its exceptions.

4. The type and amount of income that qualifies for the exemption from tax.

Sufficient facts to justify the exemption from tax under the terms of the treaty article.

Example. Article 20 of the U.S.-China income tax treaty allows an exemption from tax for scholarship income received by a Chinese student temporarily present in the United States. Under U.S. law, this student will become a resident alien for tax purposes if his or her stay in the United States exceeds 5 calendar years. However, paragraph 2 of the first Protocol to the U.S.-China treatly (dated April 30, 1984) allows the provisions of Article 20 to continue to apply even after the Chinase student becomes a resident alien of the United States. A Chinese student who qualifies for this exception (under paragraph 2 of the first protocol) and is relying on this exception to claim an examption from tax on his or her scholarship or fellowship income would attach to Form W-9 a statement that includes the information.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity, give the requester the appropriate completed Form W-8 or Form 8233.

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS a percentage of such payments. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, tax-axempt interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, payments made in settlement of payment card and third party network transactions, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester,

 You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 3 for details),

3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN,

 The IRS tails you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or

 You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Cartain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See Exempt payee code on page 3 and the separate instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 1.

What is FATCA reporting? The Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) requires a participating foreign financial institution to report all United States account holders that are specified United States persons. Certain payees are exempt from FATCA reporting. See Exemption from FATCA reporting code on page 3 and the Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9 for more information.

Updating Your Information

You must provide updated information to any person to whom you claimed to be an exempt payee if you are no longer an exempt payee and anticipate receiving reportable payments in the future from this person. For example, you may need to provide updated information if you are a C corporation that elects to be an S corporation, or if you no longer are tax exempt. In addition, you must furnish a new Form W-9 if the name or TIN changes for the account, for example, if the grantor of a grantor frust dies.

Penalties

Failure to furnish TIN. If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

Criminal penalty for faisitying information. Willfully faisitying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including thes and/or imprisonment.

Misuse of TINs. If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

Specific Instructions

Name

If you are an individual, you must generally enter the name shown on your income tax return. However, if you have changed your last name, for instance, due to marriage without informing the Social Security Administration of the name change, enter your first name, the last name shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

If the account is in joint names, list first, and then circle, the name of the person or entity whose number you entered in Part I of the form.

Sole proprietor. Enter your individual name as shown on your income tax return on the "Name" line. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA)" name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Partnership, C Corporation, or S Corporation. Enter the entity's name on the "Name" line and any business, trade, or "doing business as (DBA) name" on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Disregarded entity. For U.S. federal tax purposes, an entity that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner is treated as a "disregarded entity." See Regulation section 301.7701-2(c)(2)(II). Enter the owner's name on the "Name" line. The name of the entity entered on the "Name" line should never be a disregarded entity. The name on the "Name" line must be the name shown on the income tax return on which the income should be reported. For example, if a foreign LLC that is treated as a disregarded entity for U.S. federal tax purposes has a single owner that is a U.S. person, the U.S. owner's name is required to be provided on the "Name" line. If the direct owner of the entity is also a disregarded entity, enter the first owner that is not disregarded for federal tax purposes. Enter the disregarded entity's name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line. If the owner of the disregarded of a Form W-0. This is the case even if the foreign person has a U.S. TIN.

Note. Check the appropriate box for the U.S. federal tax classification of the person whose name is entered on the "Name" line (Individual/sole proprietor, Partnership, C Corporation, S Corporation, Trust/estate).

Limited Liability Company (LLC). If the person identified on the "Name" line is an LLC, check the "Limited liability company" box only and enter the appropriate code for the U.S. federal tax classification in the space provided. If you are an LLC that is treated as a partnership for U.S. federal tax purposes, enter "P" for partnership. If you are an LLC that has filed a Form 8832 or a Form 2553 to be taxed as a corporation, enter "C" for C corporation or "S" for S corporation, as appropriate. If you are an LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner under Regulation section 301.7701-3 (except for employment and excise identified on the "Name" line) is another LLC that is not disregarded for U.S. federal tax purposes. If the LLC is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner, enter the appropriate tax classification of the owner identified on the "Name" line.

Other entities. Enter your business name as shown on required U.S. federal tax documents on the "Name" line. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or DBA name on the "Business name/disregarded entity name" line.

Exemptions

If you are exempt from backup withholding and/or FATCA reporting, enter in the Exemptions box, any code(s) that may apply to you. See Exempt payee code and Exemption from FATCA reporting code on page 3.

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Exempt payee code. Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exampt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends. Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions.

Note. If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding: 1—An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a

custodial account under section 403(b)(7) If the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)

2-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

3-A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

4-A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities

5-A corporation

6-A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States

7-A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission

8-A real estate investment trust

9-An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the investment Company Act of 1940

10-A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)

11-A financial institution

12—A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian

13-A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

The following chart shows types of payments that may be exempt from backup withholding. The chart applies to the exempt payees listed above, 1 through 13.

IF the payment is for	THEN the payment is exempt for
Interest and dividend payments	All exempt payees except for 7
Broker transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4 and 6 through 11 and all C corporations. S corporations must not enter an exempt payee code because they are exempt only for sales of noncovered securities acquired prior to 2012.
Barler exchange transactions and patronage dividends	Exempt payees 1 through 4
Payments over \$600 required to be reported and direct sales over \$5,000 ¹	Generally, exempt payees 1 through 5 ²
Payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions	Exempt payees 1 through 4

¹See Form 1099-MISC, Miscelianeous Income, and its instructions.

²However, the following payments made to a corporation and reportable on Form 1099-MISC are not exempt from backup withholding: medical and health care payments, attorneys' tees, gross proceeds paid to an attorney, and payments for services paid by a federal executive agency.

Exemption from FATCA reporting code. The following codes identify payees that are exempt from reporting under FATCA. These codes apply to persons submitting this form for accounts maintained outside of the United States by certain foreign financial institutions. Therefore, if you are only submitting this form for an account you hold in the United States, you may leave this field blank. Consult with the person requesting this form if you are uncertain if the financial institution is subject to these requirements.

A-An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a) or any individual retirement plan as defined in section 7701(a)(37)

B-The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities

C-A state, the District of Columbia, a possession of the United States, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

D-A corporation the stock of which is regularly traded on one or more established securities markets, as described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(c)(1)()

E-A corporation that is a member of the same expanded affiliated group as a corporation described in Reg. section 1.1472-1(d)(1)(1)

F—A dealer in securities, commodities, or derivative financial instruments (including notional principal contracts, futures, forwards, and options) that is registered as such under the laws of the United States or any state H—A regulated investment company as defined in section 851 or an entity registered at all times during the tax year under the investment Company Act of 1940

I-A common trust fund as defined in section 584(a)

- J—A bank as defined in section 581
- K-A broker

L-A trust exempt from tax under section 864 or described in section 4947(a)(1)

M-A tax exempt trust under a section 403(b) plan or section 457(g) plan

Part I. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (TTIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see How to get a TIN below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, the IRS prefers that you use your SSN.

If you are a single-member LLC that is disregarded as an entity separate from its owner (see Limited Liability Company (LLC) on page 2), enter the owner's SSN (or EIN, if the owner has one). Do not enter the disregarded entity's EIN. If the LLC is classified as a corporation or partnership, enter the entity's EIN.

Note. See the chart on page 4 for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

How to get a TIN. If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local Social Security Administration office or get this form online at www.ssa.gov.You may also get this form by calling 1-800-772-1213. Use Form W-7, Application for IRS individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an TIN, or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can apply for an EIN online by accessing the IRS website at www.irs.gov/businesses and clicking on Employer Identification Number (EIN) under Starting a Business. You can get Forms W-7 and SS-4 from the IRS by visiting IRS.gov or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3670).

If you are asked to complete Form W-9 but do not have a TIN, apply for a TIN and write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester before you are subject to backup withholding on payments. The 60-day rule does not apply to other types of payments. You will be subject to backup withholding on all such payments until you provide your TIN to the requester.

Note. Entering "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN or that you intend to apply for one soon.

Caution: A disregarded U.S. entity that has a foreign owner must use the appropriate Form W-8.

Part II. Certification

To establish to the withholding agent that you are a U.S. person, or resident alien, sign Form W-9. You may be requested to sign by the withholding agent even if items 1, 4, or 5 below indicate otherwise.

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required). In the case of a disregarded entity, the person identified on the "Name" line must sign. Exempt payees, see Exempt payee code earlier.

Signature requirements. Complete the certification as indicated in items 1 through 5 below.

 Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

 Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983. You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are marely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.

 Real estate transactions. You must sign the certification. You may cross out item 2 of the certification.

4. Other payments. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalites, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments made in settlement of payments to a nonemployee for services, payments to cortain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).

 Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified tuition program payments (under section 529), IRA, Coverdell ESA, Archer MSA or HSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the cartification.

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For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual 2. Two or more individuals (joint account)	The individual The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account '
 Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act) 	The minor *
 a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee) 	The grantor-trustee '
 b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law 	The actual owner "
 Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual 	The owner*
 Grantor trust filing under Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 1 (see Regulation section 1.671–4(b)(2)()(A)) 	The grantor*
For this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
 Disregarded entity not owned by an individual 	The owner
8. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity *
 Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553 	The corporation
 Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization 	The organization
1. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
2. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
13. Account with the Department of	The public entity
Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	

¹List first and circle the name of the parson whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

³ Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

³ You must show your individual name and you may also enter your business or "DBA" name on the "Business name/disregarded entity" name line. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one), but the IRS encourages you to use your SSN.

⁴List first and circle the name of the trust, estats, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account tits.) Also see Special rules for partnerships on page 1.

"Note. Grantor also must provide a Form W-e to trustee of trust.

Note. If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.

Secure Your Tax Records from Identity Theft

Identify theft occurs when someone uses your personal information such as your name, social security number (SSN), or other identifying information, without your permission, to commit fraud or other orimes. An identify thief may use your SSN to get a job or may file a tax return using your SSN to receive a retund.

- To reduce your risk:
- Protect your SSN,
- · Ensure your employer is protecting your SSN, and
- Be careful when choosing a tax preparer.

If your tax records are affected by identity theft and you receive a notice from the IRS, respond right away to the name and phone number printed on the IRS notice or letter.

If your tax records are not currently affected by identity theft but you think you are at risk due to a lost or stolen purse or walket, questionable credit card activity or credit report, contact the IRS identity Theft Hotline at 1-800-908-4490 or submit Form 14039.

For more information, see Publication 4535, identity Theft Prevention and Victim Assistance.

Victims of identity theft who are experiencing economic harm or a system problem, or are seeking help in resolving tax problems that have not been resolved through normal channels, may be eligible for Taxpayer Advocate Service (TAS) assistance. You can reach TAS by calling the TAS toll-free case intake line at 1-877-777-4778 or TTY/TDD 1-800-829-4059.

Protect yourself from suspicious emails or phishing schemes. Phishing is the creation and use of email and websites designed to mimic legitimate business emails and websites. The most common act is sending an email to a user falsely claiming to be an established legitimate entraprise in an attampt to scam the user into surrendering private information that will be used for identity theft.

The IRS does not initiate contacts with taxpayers via emails. Also, the IRS does not request personal datalled information through email or ask taxpayers for the PIN numbers, passwords, or similar secret access information for their credit card, bank, or other financial accounts.

If you receive an unsolicited email claiming to be from the IRS, forward this message to phishing@irs.gov. You may also report misuse of the IRS name, logo, or other IRS property to the Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration at 1-800-386-4484. You can forward suspicious emails to the Federal Trade Commission at sparn@uce.gov or contact them at www.ftc.gov/idtheft or 1-877-IDTHEFT (1-877-438-4338).

Visit IRS.gov to learn more about identity theft and how to reduce your risk.

Privacy Act Notice

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to provide your correct TIN to persons (including federal agencies) who are required to file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secure gropenty; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS; to report interest, dividends, or certain other income paid to you; mortgage interest you paid; the acquisition or abandonment of secure gropenty; the cancellation of debt; or contributions you made to an IRA, Archer MSA, or HSA. The person collecting this form uses the information on the form to file information returns with the IRS; to porting the above information. Routine uses of this information include giving it to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal illigation and to cities, status, the District of Columbia, and U.S. commonwealths and possessions for use in administering their laws. The information also may be disclosed to other countries under a treaty, to foderal and state agencies to enforce civil and criminal laws, or to federal law enforcement and intelligence agencies to combat terrorism. You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Under section 3406, payers must generally withhold a percentage of taxable inferest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payse who does not give a TIN to the payer. Certain penalties agencies apply for providing taise or fraudulent information.

	chool Board of Broward Count nent Agreement Form (AC (See General Condition 10)		
VENDOR NAME:			
	Authorization Agreement		
I (we) hereby authorize <u>The School Board</u> named below. Additionally, I authorize <u>Th</u> event that a credit entry is made in error.	of Broward County to initiate automatic dep the School Board of Broward County to p	posits (credits) to my accour make the necessary debit	nt at the financial institution entries/adjustments in the
	Board of Broward County responsible by my financial institution or due to an error		
	The School Board of Broward County rea tion of ACH transactions to my (our) accoun Account Information		
Name of Bank or Financial Institution:			
Branch/ State			
Routing No:			
Account No:		Checking	Savings
VENDOR AREA: Remittance Confirmation:		Fax	Email
Federal Identification No. Vendor		TAX ID#	SS#
	Update Purchase Order Fax & Email /	Address	
Centralized Fax Number		Dept	
Centralized Email		Dept	
Centralized Phone No		Dept	
Authorized Signature	Signature		
Authorized Signature (Primary) and Business title:		Date:	
Authorized Signature			
		Date:	
Please attach	a VOIDED check to verify bank details ar	nd routing number.	
	t be returned to: SBBC – Purchasing – D rk Blvd, Sunrise FL 33351 call: 754-321-0	516 or fax # 754-321-0533	
	For Use by DATA STRATEGY GRO	OUP	
Vendor Account#	Date Entered	Initials:	

If your company shall not be submitting a bid in response to this Invitation to Bid, please complete this Statement of "No Bid" Sheet and return, prior to the Bid Due Date established within, to:

> The School Board of Broward County, Florida Procurement and Warehousing Services 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, Florida 33351

This information shall help SBBC in the preparation of future Bids.

Address:_____

Bid Number:	Title:
Company Name:	
Contact:	

Telephone: ______ Facsimile: ______

 Reasons for "NO Bid":
Unable to comply with product or service specifications.
Unable to comply with scope of work.
Unable to quote on all items in the group.
Insufficient time to respond to the Invitation to Bid.
Unable to hold prices firm through the term of the contract period.
Our schedule would not permit us to perform.
Unable to meet delivery requirements.
Unable to meet bond requirements.
Unable to meet insurance requirements.
Other (Specify below)

Comments:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Bidder's (Company) Name: _____

Complete the following information on the proposed M/WBE participation on this contract. Total percentage should not exceed 100%. If proposer is an M/WBE, proposer should be listed below. If proposer is not an M/WBE, percentage should not equal 100% unless the total work (100%) to be performed under this contract will be subcontracted to M/WBEs.

M/WBE Firm Information	Scope and/or Nature of Work to be Performed by the M/WBE	% of M/WBE Participation for this contract
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		
Firm Name:		
Contact Person:		
Address:		
Telephone No.:		
Facsimile No.:		
SBBC M/WBE Certification No.:		

FOR INFORMATION ON M/WBE CERTIFIED VENDORS, PLEASE CONTACT THE SUPPLIER DIVERSITY & OUTREACH PROGRAM OFFICE (754) 321-0550, OR ONLINE AT http://www.broward.k12.fl.us/supply/sdop/vendorlist.htm

Monthly Utilization Reports to be Submitted to: The School Board of Broward County, Florida Supplier Diversity & Outreach Program 7720 West Oakland Park Boulevard, Suite 323 Sunrise, FL 33351-6704

754-321-0550 Telephone

754-321-0934 FAX

MONTHLY M/WBE UTILIZATION REPORT

This report is required 15 days after the end of each month, whether the M/WBE(s) received payments or not, until all committed remuneration has been received by the M/WBE.

1. Reporting Period From:

Reporting Period To: _

This report is required by The School Board of Broward County, Florida. Failure to comply may result in the School Board commencing proceedings to impose sanctions on the Prime Vendor, in addition to pursuing any other available legal remedy. Sanctions may include the withholding of payments for work committed to M/WBE participants, and a negative recommendation to award further contracts bid by The School Board of Broward County, Florida.

PRIME VENDOR INFORMATION

NAME & ADDRESS OF PRIME VENDOR	CONTRACT AMOUNT (if applicable)	LENGTH OF CONTRACT	CONTRACT START DATE	CONTRACT END DATE	TOTAL % OR \$ AMOUNT TO MINORITY/ WOMEN VENDORS
ITB Number: 17-171B ITB Title: Household, Commercial and Industrial Equipment and Accessories (Catalog)					
SUPPLIER DIVERSITY & OUTREACH PROGRAM VENDOR INFORMATION					
NAME OF CERTIFIED M/WBE VENDOR	WORK DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT DRAWN/PAID TO VENDOR	AMOUNT FOR WORK PERFORMED DURING MONTH	AMOUNT PAID TO DATE	% of TOTAL PAID TO CONTRACT AMOUNT
Company Official's Signature & Title:					

THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH YOUR BID OR UPON REQUEST

EXHIBIT B CERTIFICATION OF DEBARMENT, SUSPENSION, INELIGIBILITY AND VOLUNTARY EXCLUSION LOWER TIER TRANSACTIONS

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, 45 CFR 1183.35, Participants' responsibilities. The regulations were published as Part VII of the May 26, 1988 <u>Federal Register</u> (pages 19160-19211). Copies of the regulations may be obtained by going to this link: <u>http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/granule/CFR-2011-title45-vol3/CFR-2011-title45-vol3-sec1183-35</u>

(BEFORE COMPLETING CERTIFICATION, READ INSTRUCTIONS ON THE NEXT PAGE)

(1) The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.

(2) Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Organization Name

ITB Number

Name(s) and Title(s) of Authorized Representative(s)

Signature(s)

Date

EXHIBIT B INSTRUCTIONS FOR CERTIFICATION

- 1. By signing and submitting this proposal, the prospective lower tier participant is providing the certification set out below.
- 2. The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was entered into. If it is later determined that the prospective lower tier participant knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to other remedies available to the federal government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.
- 3. The prospective lower tier participant shall provide immediate written notice to the person to which this proposal is submitted if at any time the prospective lower tier participant learns that its certification was erroneous when submitted or has become erroneous by reason of changed circumstances.
- 4. The terms "covered transaction," "debarred," "suspended," "ineligible," "lower tier covered transaction," "participant," "person," "primary covered transaction," "principal," "proposal," and "voluntarily excluded," as used in this clause, have the meanings set out in the Definitions and Coverage sections of rules implementing Executive Order 12549. You may contact the person to which this proposal is submitted for assistance in obtaining a copy of those regulations.
- 5. The prospective lower tier participant agrees by submitting this proposal that, should the proposed covered transaction be entered into, it shall not knowingly enter into any lower tier covered transaction with a person who is debarred, suspended, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this covered transaction, unless authorized by the department or agency with which this transaction originated.
- 6. The prospective lower tier participant further agrees by submitting this proposal that it will include the clause titled "Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transactions," without modification, in all lower tier covered transactions and in all solicitations for lower tier covered transactions.
- 7. A participant in a covered transaction may rely upon a certification of a prospective participant in a lower tier covered transaction that it is not debarred, suspended, ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from the covered transaction, unless it knows that the certification is erroneous. A participant may decide the method and frequency by which it determines the eligibility of its principals. Each participant may, but is not required to, check the Non-procurement List (Telephone Number).
- 8. Nothing contained in the foregoing shall be construed to require establishment of a system of records in order to render in good faith the certification required by this clause. The knowledge and information of a participant is not required to exceed that which is normally possessed by a prudent person in the ordinary course of business dealings.
- 9. Except for transactions authorized under paragraph 5 of these instructions, if a participant in a covered transaction knowingly enters into a lower tier covered transaction with a person who is suspended, debarred, ineligible, or voluntary excluded from participation in this transaction, in addition to other remedies available to the federal government, the department or agency with which this transaction originated may pursue available remedies, including suspension and/or debarment.