

AMEND BOARD REPORT 05-0427-PR12

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO AGREEMENTS WITH VARIOUS PRIVATE CLUSTER SCHOOLS
TO PROVIDE CLUSTER PROGRAM SERVICES**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve entering into agreements with those Private Cluster School Providers ("Providers") listed on Exhibit "A" at a cost not to exceed the aggregate amount of \$50,000,000.00 for cluster program expenses over a two-year period. The payments are to be made through the Illinois State Board of Education.

OUTCOMES: Services provided by Private Cluster Schools will enable CPS to achieve the following:

1. Decrease the number of students having a primary classification of "emotionally disturbed" who attend private schools by 800 over the next five years.
2. Develop quality private school resources within each of the six CPS Clusters aligned with the programmatic needs of each Cluster.
3. Establish coordinated, innovative practices between the public schools of a specific Cluster and the assigned

Private Cluster School Provider to/(s) reduce the referral rate of special education students to private schools:

PRIVATE CLUSTER SCHOOLS

1. Banner School

Chicago, IL 60628

Contact Person: Eric A. Gardner

Telephone No. 773-224-2222

Fax No. 773-500-7454

Vendor No. 20029

2. Infinity School of Chicago South
4611 S. Ellis Avenue,
Chicago, IL 60653
Contact Person: Suzyn Jacobson
Telephone No. 773-536-5259
Vendor No. 22182

Fax No. 773-536-5017

3. Lawrence Hall Youth Services
4833 N. Francisco
Chicago, IL 60625
Contact Person: Mike Oliver


Telephone No. 773-769-3500 Ext. 260

Fax No. 773-769-5334

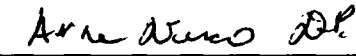
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4. Uhlich
217 N. Jefferson Street

Approved for Consideration:



Heather A. Obora
Chief Purchasing Officer


Approved:


Arne Duncan
Chief Executive Officer

Within Appropriation:


John Malorca
Chief Financial Officer

Approved as to Legal Form 


Patrick J. Rocks
General Counsel