

APPROVE EXERCISING AND COMBINING THE FIRST AND SECOND OPTIONS TO RENEW THE AGREEMENT WITH ACT, INC. FOR THE PURCHASE OF TEST MATERIALS AND RELATED SERVICES

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve exercising and combining the first and second options to renew the agreement with ACT, Inc. for the purchase of test materials and related services for the Office of Research, Evaluation and Accountability at a cost for the combined option period not to exceed \$2,745,550.00 in the aggregate. A written document exercising these options is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to Provider during the renewal period prior to the execution of the written renewal document. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written renewal document is not executed within 90 days of the date of this Board Report

Information pertinent to this renewal document is stated below.

VENDOR: ACT, Inc.
701 North Dodge Street

Iowa City, IA 52243
Telephone No. (847) 634-2560
Contact: Jim Morris
Vendor # 46875

USER: Office of Research, Evaluation and Accountability

OUTCOMES: The educational and assessment system furnished by ACT during this renewal term will continue to provide a longitudinal, systematic approach to educational and career planning, assessment, instructional support,

high school goals. In addition, the academic information monitoring service furnished by ACT during this renewal

Approved for Consideration:



Heather A. Obora
Chief Purchasing Officer

Within Appropriation:



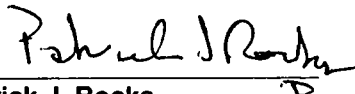
John Maiorca
Chief Financial Officer

Approved:



Arne Duncan
Chief Executive Officer

Approved as to legal form: § 14



Patrick J. Rocks
General Counsel