

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO FOR CONSULTING SERVICES FOR THE CHICAGO STARTALK ARABIC AND CHINESE LANGUAGE INSTITUTES**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Department of Language and Cultural Education for the STARTALK 2012 Arabic and Chinese Language Institutes at a total cost not to exceed \$120,777.30. Vendor was selected on a non-competitive basis: the non-competitive request was presented to the Non-Competitive Procurement Review Committee, and was approved by the Chief Purchasing Officer. A written agreement for Vendor's services is currently being negotiated. No services shall be provided and no payment shall be made to Vendor prior

every day for four (4) weeks (June 18, 2012 through July 13, 2012). Additionally, Students will be provided with cultural learning activities and hands-on fieldwork and instructional materials. The goal is to

increase student language proficiency and encourage students to further language education through creating an intensive language immersion experience at the University of Chicago.

**OUTCOMES:**

Participants will result in participating students demonstrating an increase in speaking, listening

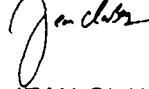
Contingent Liability - The agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability, subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year budget(s).

Approved for Consideration:



SÉBASTIEN de LONGEAUX  
Chief Procurement Officer

Approved:




JEAN-CLAUDE BRIZARD  
Chief Executive Officer

Within Appropriation:



Approved as to Legal Form:



Chief Financial Officer

General Counsel