

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH SILK SCREEN EXPRESS, INC. FOR THE
PURCHASE OF SECURITY AND ENGINEERING UNIFORMS.**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve entering into an agreement with Silk Screen Express, Inc. for the purchase of security uniforms

for all full time School Safety and Security Officers and Engineering uniforms for all full time School Engineers assigned to all Chicago Public Schools at a total cost not to exceed \$360,000.00. Vendor was selected on a competitive basis pursuant to Board Rule 7-2. A written agreement for this purchase is available for signature. No goods may be ordered or received and no payment shall be made to Vendor

DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE:

Goods: Short/Long Sleeve Security Shirts and Trousers. Short/Long Sleeve Engineering Shirts and Trousers. Total Cost Not to Exceed: \$360,000.00

OUTCOMES:

This purchase will allow the Office of School Safety and Security and the Department of Facility Operations and Maintenance to streamline the purchase of security and engineering uniforms resulting in a potential estimate cost savings of approximately 8% in all security and engineering uniforms purchase by the Board.

COMPENSATION:

~~This purchase will be in accordance with the uniform price contained in the agreement. Total cost not to~~

exceed the sum of \$360,000.00.

AUTHORIZATION:

Authorize the General Counsel to include other relevant terms and conditions in the written agreement. ~~Authorize the President and Secretary to execute the agreement. Authorize the Chief Purchasing Officer~~

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General - Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Conflicts - The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the