

**AUTHORIZE A NEW AGREEMENT WITH NATIONAL STUDENT CLEARINGHOUSE FOR STUDENT POSTSECONDARY DATA**

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

Authorize a new agreement with National Student Clearinghouse (NSC) to provide student diploma

verification and postsecondary enrollment and tracking services to the Office of Accountability at a total cost not to exceed \$225,000. Vendor was selected on a non-competitive basis: the sole-source request.

was presented to the Non-Competitive Procurement Review Committee and approved by Chief Purchasing Officer. A written agreement for Vendor's services is currently being negotiated. No services shall be provided by Vendor and no payment shall be made to Vendor prior to execution of the written agreement. The authority granted herein shall not be construed to create any other responsibilities.

1. DiplomaVerify: NSC will respond, on behalf of the CPS Student Records Department, to requests from prospective employers and postsecondary institutions seeking confirmation that a graduate has received

a CPS diploma. Requests for confirmation must be accompanied by written consent from the graduate

2. EnrollmentSearch: NSC will provide to the Office of Accountability data about verified enrollment of CPS graduates in postsecondary institutions.

**DELIVERABLES:**

DiplomaVerify:

**FINANCIAL:**

Fund, 115

Office of Accountability, 16050

FY14-FY18, \$45,000 per fiscal year, \$225,000 total

Future year funding is contingent upon budget appropriation and approval.

**CFDA#:** Not Applicable

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

1. The General Fund shall be used for the purposes stated in the appropriation. 105 "CC

5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain