



BIDDER QUALIFICATION FORM

BID NO. _____

BID TITLE _____

Direct all inquiries to Procurement Management Services:

BUYER NAME: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: (305) _____

FAX NUMBER _____

TDD PHONE (305) 995-2400

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 PM on _____ in room 351, School Board Administration building, 1450 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL., 33132, at which time they will be publicly opened. Bids may not be withdrawn for _____ days after opening. (Refer to Instructions to Bidders, para. IV.B.)

THE SUBMISSION OF THE BID BY THE VENDOR, ACCEPTANCE AND AWARD OF THE BID BY THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND SUBSEQUENT PURCHASE ORDERS ISSUED AGAINST SAID AWARD SHALL CONSTITUTE A BINDING, ENFORCEABLE CONTRACT. UNLESS OTHERWISE STIPULATED IN THE BID DOCUMENTS, NO OTHER CONTRACT DOCUMENTS SHALL BE ISSUED.

I. A. BIDDER CERTIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION

I certify that this bid is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, or person submitting a bid for the same materials, supplies, or equipment, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. I agree to abide by all conditions of this bid; and I certify that I am authorized to sign this bid for the bidder.

B. Vendor certifies that it satisfies all necessary legal requirements as an entity to do business with the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

II. INDEMNIFICATION

The Bidder shall hold harmless, indemnify and defend the indemnities (as hereinafter defined) against any claim, action, loss, damage, injury, liability, cost or expense of whatsoever kind or nature including, but not by way of limitation, attorney's fees and court costs arising out of bodily injury to persons, including death, or damage to tangible property arising out of or incidental to the performance of this Contract (including goods and services provided thereto) by or on behalf of the Bidder, whether or not due to or caused in part by the negligence or other culpability of the indemnity, excluding only the sole negligence or culpability of the indemnity. The following shall be deemed to be indemnities: The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida and its members, officers and employees.

III. PERFORMANCE SECURITY, is required on this bid. YES NO

Refer to **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**, para. VII., and VI.

IF PERFORMANCE SECURITY IS REQUIRED, PLEASE INDICATE THE TYPE TO BE FURNISHED:

Performance Bond Check (Cashier's, Certified, or equal)

An original, manual signature is required on the Bidder Qualification Form.
(Bidder is requested to use blue ink)
(Do not use pencil)

Legal Name of Vendor _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip Code** _____

Telephone No. _____ **E-mail address** _____

By: Signature (Original)

Of Authorized Representative _____ **Date** _____

Name (Typed or Printed)

Of Authorized Representative _____ **Date** _____

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

NOTICE OF ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONE OF SILENCE

The School Board of Miami-Dade County Public schools enacts a Cone of Silence from issuance of a solicitation to written recommendation of award. All provisions of School Board Rule 6Gx13-8C-1.212 apply.

I. PREPARATION OF BIDS

A. **BIDDER QUALIFICATION FORM** qualifies the bidder and the bid and must be completed and submitted as page 1 of the bid.

1. **PERFORMANCE SECURITY.** The form of performance security the bidder will submit, when required to do so, must be furnished. Performance security shall not be submitted with the bid.

2. **BIDDER CERTIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION.** Bid must contain an original manual signature from an authorized representative. An unsigned bid will be considered non-responsive.

B. **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.** Defines conditions of the bid.

1. **ORDER OF PRECEDENCE.** Any inconsistency in this bid shall be resolved by giving precedence in the following order:

- A. Specifications
- B. Special Conditions
- C. Instructions To Bidders

2. **FOR M/WBE designated bids.** The **SPECIAL CONDITIONS-Minority/Women owned and controlled Business Participation Statement** and the **M/WBE Certification Application** **MUST** be completed and **SUBMITTED** with the bid if the bidder is not certified by Miami-Dade County Public Schools. Failure to submit the completed application with the bid will be considered non-responsive.

C. **BID PROPOSAL FORM.** Defines requirement of items to be purchased, and must be completed and submitted as page 2 and subsequent pages, if any, of the bid. The bidder should indicate his/her name in the appropriate space on each page.

1. **ITEM SPECIFICATION.** Specifying a certain brand, make or manufacturer is to denote the quality, type, and standard of the article desired. Articles offered must be new merchandise only, of equal or superior grade. On blank lines provided, the bidder is requested to insert the brand name, manufacturer's number and other information necessary to sufficiently identify article offered. Failure to do so may prevent consideration of the item. Also, refer to paragraph *X. Packaging*.

2. **PRICES.** Prices are requested in units of quantity specified in the bid specifications. In case of a discrepancy in computing the total amount of bid, **UNIT PRICE** quoted will govern. All prices bid shall include delivery F.O.B. destination, freight prepaid (bidder pays and bears freight charges. Bidder owns goods in transit and files any claims) and shall include all cartage, drayage, packing, etc., delivered to and unloaded at the receiving station at the site designated in **BID PROPOSAL FORMS** and there received by the designated agent of the Board.

3. **TAXES.** The Board does not pay Federal Excise and State taxes on direct purchases of tangible personal property. The applicable tax exemption number is shown on the purchase order. This exemption does not apply to purchases of tangible personal property made by contractors who use the tangible personal property in the performance of contracts for the improvement of Board-owned real property as defined in Chapter 192 of the Florida Statutes.

II. SUBMITTING OF BIDS

A. **BID FORMS AND ENVELOPES.** Bids must be submitted on forms furnished by the Board and in sealed envelopes.

Envelopes must be clearly marked with bid number, bid title and bid opening.

B. **ERASURES OR CORRECTIONS.** When filling out the bid proposal form, bidders are required to complete bid proposal in ink.

1. Use of pencil is prohibited.

2. Do not erase or use correction fluid to correct an error.
3. All changes must be crossed out and initialed in ink.

Those bids for individual items that do not comply with items 1, 2 and 3 above will be considered non-responsive for that item(s).

C. **PLACE, DATE AND HOUR.** Bids shall be submitted by U.S. Mail, Courier/Express Service, or deposited in the **BID BOX** located in Room 351, 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Monday through Friday, **SCHOOL BOARD ADMINISTRATION BUILDING**, 1450 N.E. Second Avenue, Miami, Florida 33132. Bids received after the date and hour specified in the **BIDDER QUALIFICATION FORM** will not be considered.

D. **PUBLIC ENTITY CRIMES.** Section 287.133(2)(a) Florida Statute. A person or affiliate who has been placed on the convicted vendor list following a conviction for a public entity crime may not submit a bid on a contract to provide any goods or services to a public entity, may not submit a bid on a contract with a public entity for the construction or repair of a public building or public work, may not submit bids on leases of real property to a public entity, may not be awarded or perform work as a contractor, supplier, subcontractor, or consultant under a contract with any public entity, and may not transact business with any public entity in excess of the threshold amount provided in Section 287.017, for **CATEGORY TWO** for a period of 36 months from the date of being placed on the convicted vendor list.

E. **SUBMITTING A "NO BID."** If not submitting a bid at this time, return the form entitled "NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS." Failure to respond, either by submitting a bid or the "NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS" form for three consecutive times, may result in the company being removed from the School Board's bid list.

F. **AVAILABILITY OF BID INFORMATION.** Immediately following the public opening, bids will be read, upon request, and then compiled in a tabular form, a copy of which will be available for examination in Procurement Management Services.

III. CANCELLATION OF BIDS OR REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

An invitation for bids may be canceled, in whole or in part, as may be specified in the solicitation, when it is in the best interest of the Board. The reasons shall be made a part of the master bid file.

A. Prior to opening, a solicitation may be canceled in whole or in part, prior to the date and hour specified in the Bidder Qualification Form for receipt of bids, when the Assistant Superintendent, Procurement Management Services, determines in writing, that such action is in the best interest of the Board for reasons including, but not limited to:

1. The Board no longer requires the supplies, services, or construction;
2. The Board no longer can reasonably expect to fund the procurement;
3. A review of a valid protest filed by a bidder as may be determined by the administrative staff; or
4. Proposed amendments to the solicitation would be of such magnitude that a new solicitation is desirable.

B. When a solicitation is canceled prior to opening, notice of cancellation shall be sent to all businesses solicited, via facsimile or mail, and bids or proposals returned to the vendor unopened.

The notice of cancellation shall:

1. Identify the solicitation;
2. Briefly explain the reason for cancellation; and
3. Where appropriate, explain that an opportunity will be given to compete on any future re-solicitation for procurements of similar supplies, services, or construction.

IV. CHANGE OR WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS

A. **PRIOR TO BID OPENING.** Should the bidder desire to change or withdraw his/her bid, he/she shall do so in writing. This communication is to be received by the District Director, of Procurement Management, Room 352, School Board Administration Building, prior to date and hour of bid opening. The bidders name, the bid number, the bid title and the date the bid is due must appear on the envelope.

B. AFTER BID OPENING. After bids are opened, they may not be changed, nor withdrawn, for 90 days after the determined opening date, unless otherwise specified on the "BIDDER QUALIFICATION FORM."

C. FAILURE TO ACCEPT BID AWARD. Bidders who, prior to the Bid Award by The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, indicate that they are unable to accept the bid award shall either:

1. Pay to the Board, as liquidated damages, an amount equal to 5% of the unit price bid, times the quantity, or \$10, whichever amount is larger, or
2. Lose eligibility to transact new business with the Board for a period of 14 months from the date the Board acts on the withdrawn bid.

V. PROTESTS TO CONTRACT SOLICITATION OR AWARD

A. The Board shall provide notice of a decision or intended decision concerning a solicitation, contract award, or exceptional purchase by electronic posting which can be accessed at the district's website www.dadeschools.net.

B. Any person who is adversely affected by the agency decision or intended decision shall file with the agency a notice of protest in writing within 72 hours after the posting of the notice of decision or intended decision. With respect to a protest of the terms, conditions, and specifications contained in a solicitation, including any provisions governing the methods of ranking bids, proposals, or replies, awarding contracts, reserving rights of further negotiation, or modifying or amending any contract, the notice of protest shall be filed in writing within 72 hours after the posting of the solicitation. The formal written protest shall be filed within 10 days after the date the notice of protest is filed. Failure to file a notice of protest or a formal written protest shall constitute a waiver of these proceedings. The formal written protest shall state with particularity the facts and law upon which the protest is based. Saturdays, Sundays, and state holidays shall be excluded in the computation of the 72-hour time periods established herein.

C. All notice of protests will be reviewed by Procurement Management Services, who will offer the protesting bidder the opportunity to meet and discuss the merits of the protest. If the protest is not resolved, the bidder may seek an administrative hearing pursuant to §120.57 Fla. Stat., by filing a formal written protest within 10 days after filing the notice of protest. Petitions for hearing pursuant to §120.57 Fla. Stat., must be filed in accordance with School Board Rule 6Gx13- 8C-1.064.

VI. AWARDS

A. RESERVATION FOR REJECTION OR AWARD. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive irregularities or technicalities, and to request rebids. The Board reserves the right to award on an individual item basis, any combination of items, total low bid or, if an alternate bid is accepted, on such terms as are specified for the alternate bid, whichever manner is in the best interest of the Board.

B. NOTIFICATION OF INTENDED ACTION will be posted on the District's website 7-10 days prior to a regularly scheduled Board meeting.

C. OFFICIAL AWARD DATE. Awards become official upon the Board's formal approval of the award.

D. PURCHASE ORDERS. Purchase orders mailed to successful bidders are the official notification to deliver materials described therein; and the time allowed for delivery begins with the date of the purchase order. In the event that the successful bidder fails to deliver the materials in accordance with the terms and conditions of the bid and purchase order, the bidder shall be considered to be in default of the contract and subject to the default provisions stated in Instructions to Bidders, Section VI. E.

E. DEFAULT. A vendor who fails to perform according to the terms of the contract (bid) shall be considered in default. In the event of default, which may include, but is not limited to poor performance and/or non-performance, a vendor shall either (1) pay liquidated damages of 10 percent of the unit price of the item(s) awarded times

the quantity when no purchase order has been issued, 10 percent of the purchase order when a purchase order has been issued or \$100, whichever is greater or (2) lose eligibility to transact new business with the Board for a period of 14 months from date of termination of award by the Board. Bidders that are determined ineligible may request a hearing pursuant to Chapter 120 of the Florida Statutes, and School Board Rule 6Gx13- 8C-1.064.

F. The intent of the bid documents is to include only the written requirements for materials, equipment, systems, standards and workmanship necessary for the proper execution and completion of the work by the Bidder. The bid documents shall not be construed to create an entitlement to any other scope of work except as specified herein.

VII. PERFORMANCE SECURITY (FOR SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS ONLY)

A. PURPOSE. A performance bond or check may be required to guarantee performance.

B. BONDING COMPANY. Performance Bonds shall be written through a reputable and responsible surety bond agency licensed to do business in the State of Florida and with a surety company or corporation meeting both of the following specifications:

1. Awards Greater than \$500,000

A minimum rating in the latest revision of Best's Insurance Reports of:

<u>Contract Amount</u>	<u>Minimum Rating by A.M. Best</u>
\$ 500,000.01 to \$ 2,500,000	None
\$ 2,500,000.01 to \$ 5,000,000	B + or NA-3
	No Minimum Class
\$ 5,000,000.01 to \$10,000,000	A- Class IV
\$10,000,000.01 or more	A- Class V

Current certificate of authority as acceptable surety on Federal Bonds in accordance with the latest edition of the United States Treasury Department Circular 570 entitled "Companies Holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and as Acceptable Reinsuring Companies" shall be accepted for an amount not exceeding the underwriting limitation thereon.

2. Awards of \$500,000 or Less

Bonds shall be written with a surety company or corporation meeting the qualifications as set forth in Paragraph VII.B. above or the qualifications set forth in section 287.0935, Florida Statutes.

C. AMOUNT. When required as defined herein, the firm or individual(s) to whom an award has been made shall execute and deliver to The School Board of Miami- Dade County, Florida, a Performance Bond, Cashier's/Certified Check, or equal.

1. Awards less than \$200,000 shall be exempt from performance security.

2. Performance security shall not be required, unless otherwise defined in the bid specifications. If performance security is required, it shall equal 100% of the award amount.

D. RELEASE OF PERFORMANCE SECURITY. Return to the Awardee of his/her cash security, or notification to the Awardee and the bonding company to cancel the performance bond, will be made when all goods/services have been accepted and invoices have been approved for payment.

VIII. SAMPLES. When bid samples are required, the buyer will notify bidder to submit samples of the items bid in accordance with the following procedures:

A. All samples must be identified with the bidder's name, bid number, item number, and product name and number. Where non-compliance with this requirement is noted, said item may be considered as being unidentifiable and may not be eligible for consideration in the award recommendation.

B. All samples are to be delivered within 7 calendar days after receipt of notification from buyer, unless otherwise stated in the Special Conditions of the bid. If the bidder does not submit samples by the date and time indicated by the buyer, the bid submitted for that item may not be considered for award.

C. Bidder must obtain, from Materials Testing and Evaluation, a signed receipt acknowledging delivery of samples. Bidder shall include a self-addressed, stamped envelope for return of sample receipt when submitting samples by mail or delivery service. The bidder will receive the original copy of the receipt and the duplicate copy will remain with the Miami-Dade County Public Schools receiving department as the file copy. Bidder shall be solely responsible for delivery of samples and for retaining sample delivery receipts, which must be presented in any dispute regarding receipt of bid samples.

D. Samples should be delivered to the following address:

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
MATERIALS TESTING AND EVALUATION
7040 West Flagler Street
Miami, Florida 33144
Telephone Number: 786-275-0780

Miami-Dade County Public Schools will not be responsible for samples sent to a location other than the location mentioned in the bid.

E. **PAYMENT FOR SAMPLES.** The Board will buy no samples and will assume no cost incidental thereto.

F. **RETURN OF SAMPLES.** Samples not destroyed in testing may be claimed by unsuccessful bidders 14 days after bid award date and by successful bidders 14 days after final payment; but the Board will assume no responsibility for samples not claimed within the time specified, and it will pay for no samples damaged in testing.

G. **EVALUATION AND TEST RESULTS.** If a sample submitted for testing does not comply, the buyer will advise the bidder to contact Materials Testing and Evaluation for further details.

IX. **SUBSTITUTIONS.** Should the bidder find it necessary to use a material, equipment, product or system other than specified, the bidder shall secure from the Board, through Procurement Management Services, written approval for the use of the alternate materials, equipment, product or system. The Board is not obligated to approve requests for substitutions and has the discretion to require the bidder to provide the materials as specified in the bid documents. In no case shall the bidder be entitled to additional time and/or money arising out of the Board's failure to approve requests for substitutions.

X. **PACKAGING**

A. **TYPE.** If packaging is different from that specified, the bidder must note the manner and amounts in which packaging is to be made; otherwise the successful bidder shall furnish packaging as specified. All packaging, wrapping and bundling shall be adequate to insure that materials will be received in undamaged condition. The Board assumes no responsibility for damages of any kind incurred in transit.

B. **CONTAINER IDENTIFICATION.** The following identification shall be printed, stenciled or legibly written in a conspicuous location on each shipping container:

1. BID NUMBER AND/OR PURCHASE ORDER NUMBER
2. VENDOR'S NAME AND/OR TRADEMARK
3. NAME(S) OF ITEM(S) CONTAINED
4. ITEM NUMBER(S) WITH QUANTITY(IES)

XI. **PURCHASES BY OTHER PUBLIC AGENCIES.** With the consent and agreement of the successful bidder(s), purchases may be made under this bid by Miami Dade County, Florida, and other governmental agencies or political subdivisions within the State of Florida. Such purchases shall be governed by the same terms and conditions stated herein. This agreement in no way restricts or interferes with the right of any State of Florida Agency or political subdivision to rebid any or all of these items.

XII. **RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS.** Miami-Dade County Public Schools supports recycling and recommends the use of recycled products where possible. Vendors are requested to submit a letter, along with their bid, indicating whether each item bid and/or its packaging contains pre-consumer or post-consumer waste, and if the product and/or packaging may be recycled.

XIII. **ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCTS.** Miami-Dade County Public Schools encourages the use of environmentally safe products.

XIV. **DELIVERY AND BILLING**

A. **DELIVERY.** Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays excepted, deliveries shall be made as follows: Schools and Departments - 8:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Merchandise shall be unloaded at the receiving station of the designated delivery point and received there by a designated agent of the Board. A delivery ticket, or one copy of the invoice, prepared as indicated below, shall accompany each delivery.

B. **RECEIVING INSPECTION AND TESTING.** Delivered items which do not fulfill all requirements will be rejected. Rejected items shall be removed and replaced promptly by the vendor, at no cost to the purchaser.

C. **INVOICES.** Each invoice shall be issued by the successful bidder and shall be submitted in DUPLICATE to the Accounts Payable Section, P.O. Box 01-2570, Miami, Florida 33101. To be considered for payment, each invoice must show the following information, which appears on the Purchase Order:

1. Purchase Order Number
2. Item Descriptions
3. Quantities and Units
4. Price Extensions
5. Total price of all items on invoice

D. **PAYMENT.** Unless otherwise specified by Miami-Dade County Public Schools, payment will be made only after delivery, authorized inspection, and acceptance. Payment will be made only to the successful bidder, unless otherwise requested, in writing, by the successful bidder and accepted by Miami-Dade County Public Schools Administration. When bidders are directed to send invoices to a school, the school will make directed payment to the bidder.

XV. **NO GRATUITY POLICY.** It is the policy of Procurement Management Services not to accept gifts, gratuities, or favors of any kind, or of any value whatsoever, from vendors, members of their staffs, or families.

XVI. **COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL REGULATIONS**

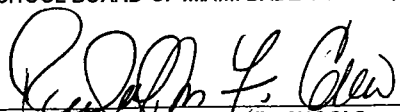
A. All contracts involving federal funds will contain certain provisions required by applicable sections of Title 34, Section 80.36(!) and Section 85.510 Code of Federal Regulations and are included by reference herein. The vendor certifies by signing the bid that the vendor and his/her principals are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from participation in federally funded transactions and may, in certain instances, be required to provide a separate written certification to this effect.

During the term of any contract with the Board, in the event of debarment, suspension, proposed debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from participation in federally funded transactions, the vendor shall immediately notify the Assistant Superintendent, Procurement Management Services, in writing. Vendors will also be required to provide access to records, which are directly pertinent to the contract and retain all required records for three years after the Board makes final payment.

B. For all contracts involving Federal funds in excess of \$10,000, the Board reserves the right to terminate the contract for cause, as well as for convenience, by issuing a certified notice to the vendor.

THE BOARD MAY REJECT ANY BID FOR FAILURE BY THE BIDDER TO COMPLY WITH ANY REQUIREMENT STATED ABOVE, IN THE BID PROPOSAL FORM, OR IN ATTACHMENTS THERETO WHICH BECOME PART OF THE BID.

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA


SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

FROM: _____

AFFIX
POSTAGE
HERE

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BUREAU OF PROCUREMENT AND MATERIALS MANAGEMENT
ROOM NO. 352 BID BOX
1450 N.E. 2ND AVENUE
MIAMI, FLORIDA 33132

BID NO.: _____
BID TITLE: _____
BID OPENING DATE: _____

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
Bureau of Procurement and Materials Management

NOTICE OF PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

NO BID

If not submitting a bid at this time, for informational purpose only, detach this sheet from the bid documents, complete the information requested, fold as indicated, staple, affix postage and return address, and mail. **NO ENVELOPE IS NECESSARY.**

NO BID SUBMITTED FOR REASON(S) CHECKED AND/OR INDICATED:

Our company does not handle this type of product/service.

We cannot meet the specifications nor provide an alternate equal product.

Our company is simply not interested in bidding at this time.

OTHER, (Please specify) _____

We do not want to be retained on your mailing list for future bids for this type or product and/or service.

Signature _____

Title _____

Company _____

NOTE: Failure to respond, either by submitting a bid or this completed form, may result in your company being removed from the School Board's bid list. To qualify as a respondent to the bid, vendor must submit a *NO BID*.

Vendor Information Sheet



1A. _____
Federal Employer Identification Number

Or _____
Owner's Social Security Number

1B. _____
Name of Firm, Individual(s), Partners or Corporation

_____ Street Address

_____ City State Zip Code

2. Telephone/Fax/Contact Person

_____ Telephone number

_____ Fax number

_____ Contact Person

_____ E-mail address

3. Ownership Disclosure

If the contract or business transaction is with a corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, or joint venture, the full legal name and business address shall be provided for the chief **officer**, director, or owner who holds, directly or indirectly the majority of the stock or ownership. If the contract or business transaction is with a trust, the full legal name and address shall be provided for each trustee and each beneficiary. **Post Office addresses are not acceptable.**

Name	Title	Address	Gender	Race-ethnicity	Stock Ownership

NOTE: The information provided by the vendor on this form should be consistent with that provided on the "Vendor's Application". All vendors must have a current vendor's application on file with M-DCPS, and have provided information and/or be familiar with M-DCPS' policy regarding the following: (a) Employment Disclosure, (b) Drug Free Workplace, (c) Family Leave Policy, (d) Code of Business Ethics, (e) Conflict of Interest, (f) Perception, (g) Gratuities, and (h) Business Meals. **Failure to provide M-DCPS a current vendor application may cause the vendor not to be awarded any new business with M-DCPS.** Vendor applications can be downloaded at: <http://procurement.dadeschools.net>

SPECIAL CONDITIONS
AFRICAN AMERICAN/WOMEN BUSINESS PARTICIPATION

This bid is limited to those individuals and businesses classified as African American or Women businesses which shall be so certified by Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) prior to contract award.

African American or Women businesses not certified by M-DCPS must complete and submit the attached M/WBE Certification Application, With all required documents, with the bid. Failure to be certified by M-DCPS at the time of bid opening, or to submit the required M/WBE Certification Application, with the required documents, will result in your bid being considered non-responsive.

Any M/WBE applicant, certified M/WBE, principal(s) and all related parties, who misrepresents the status of any concern as an M/WBE, or is a party to such misrepresentation, to obtain business or contracts with the School Board under the Business Development and Assistance program, will be suspended from doing business With the School Board for fourteen (14) months.

Check One:

1. Certified with Miami-Dade County Public Schools _____ (Attach **copy of Certificate**)
2. Not Certified: _____ Must submit the M/WBE Certification Application, with required documents, with the bid

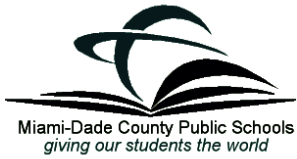
(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT BELOW)

LEGAL NAME OF BIDDER: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____



For office use _____
 Date received: _____
 Reviewer: _____
 M/WBE _____
 Date _____
 Vendor _____

M/WBE CERTIFICATION APPLICATION

(Please Print/Type)

Certification Category African American Woman
 Hispanic

1. Business Name _____ President's/Owner's Name _____

Telephone number _____ Fax number _____ E-Mail Address _____

Business street address _____

Business mailing address _____

2. LEGAL STRUCTURE: (Check one and indicate the date the business was established)

Sole proprietor _____ Date _____ Joint Venture _____ Date _____

Partnership _____ Date _____ Corporation _____ Date _____
 Non-profit

For Profit _____ Date _____

3. CERTIFICATIONS: Indicate if this business shares common officers, owners, directors or management personnel with another business that has received, been denied, or had its certification revoked as an MBE/DBE/WBE or SBA 8(a) Certified Contractor. Indicate the name of the certifying authority, as well as the date and type of determination (certification/denial/revocation).

<u>Agency</u> _____	<u>Determinatio</u> _____	<u>Date</u> _____

4. OWNERSHIP:

a. Identify the proprietor, each partner, or stockholder by name, as well as his/her citizenship (c) or (r) residency status, gender, ethnic group, and percentage of ownership.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Owner/ shareholder</u>	<u>Resident or *U.S. Citizen</u>	<u>Gender</u>	<u>Ethnicity</u>	<u>% Owned</u>	<u>Years Owned</u>

b. If the business is a corporation, please indicate the following:

1. The number of shares _____
2. The number shares _____
3. Are there any stock option agreements? Yes ____ No ____
If yes, please provide a copy of each agreement.

5. OPERATIONAL CONTROL: Provide the name, title, race/ethnicity, and gender of each individual (including owners and non-owners) with the primary responsibility for the

<u>Name and title</u>	<u>Race/ethnicity/ gender</u>

a. Check signing _____

	Name and title	Race/ethnicity/ gender
b. Payroll signing	_____ _____	_____ _____
c. Signing, or guaranteeing loans	_____ _____	_____ _____
d. Acquiring lines of credit	_____ _____	_____ _____
e. Acquiring surety bonding and insurance	_____ _____	_____ _____
f. Purchasing major equipment/services	_____ _____	_____ _____
g. Signing contracts/change orders/payment requisitions	_____ _____	_____ _____
h. Estimating	_____ _____	_____ _____
i. Qualifying the company for professional/trade license(s)	_____ _____	_____ _____
j. Marketing/sales	_____ _____	_____ _____
k. Hiring and firing managerial employees	_____ _____	_____ _____
l. Hiring and firing non-management	_____ _____	_____ _____
m. Supervising field/ operations	_____ _____	_____ _____
n. Supervising office personnel	_____ _____	_____ _____

6. PERSONNEL: Identify the number of individuals, including owners, that are currently employed by the business in the following areas:

Please use the following to classify women/minority persons: AM-African American male, AF-African American female, HM-Hispanic male, HF-Hispanic female, WM-Non Hispanic White male, WF-Non Hispanic White female.

	<u>Total Number of Employees</u>					
a. Management	_____	AM	AF	HM	HF	WM
b. Administrative/clerical	_____					
c. Professional/technical	_____					
d. Craftsperson/laborers	_____					
e. Provide a copy of the business affirmative action statement, if one is available.						

7. BUSINESS RELATIONSHIPS: Provide the requested information for each of the following:

a. Bonding _____
 Address _____
 Agent _____ Phone number: _____
 Single Contract _____ Aggregate _____

b. Bank(s) Name(s): _____
 Branch _____
 Contact _____ Phone number: _____
 Credit _____

c. Identify the company's/creditors including banks and the amount of money owed

<u>Creditor</u>	<u>Loan Guarantor(s)</u>	<u>Address & telephone</u>	<u>Loan Amount</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

d. Insurance _____
 Type of _____ Insurance limits: _____

e. List the business' three largest contracts or jobs.

<u>Contract/job type</u>	<u>Contact person</u>	<u>Telephone number</u>	<u>Contract amount</u>	<u>Bonded (Yes/No)</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

8. EQUIPMENT: List the type and value of major equipment that is owned (O) or leased (L) by the business.

<u>Equipment</u>	<u>O/L</u>	<u>Value (\$ amount)</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

9. M/WBE JOINT VENTURE - Joint ventures must provide a copy of the joint venture

M/WBE CERTIFICATION APPLICATION

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF _____:

COUNTY OF _____: SS

I hereby declare and affirm that I am _____ (Title)
of: _____ (Firm)

That I am duly authorized to execute the foregoing M/WBE Certification Application, and that the contents of said documents are complete, true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I hereby certify that the documents include all material information necessary to identify the true and lawful owners of the subject business enterprise. Further, the undersigned is notified of their responsibility to submit an updated Minority/Woman Business Enterprise Certification Application whenever a change occurs in ownership, management or control of the company. Any M/WBE applicant, certified M/WBE principal(s) and all related parties, who misrepresents the status of any concern as an M/WBE, or is a party to such misrepresentation to obtain business or contracts with the School Board under the Business Development and Assistance Program, **will be suspended from doing business with the School Board for fourteen (14) months.**

(Corporate Seal), if appropriate

Minority/Woman Owner's Signature

On this _____ day of _____, 20 ____, personally appeared before me, the _____ undersigned _____ officer _____ authorized _____ to _____ administer _____ oaths: known to be the person described in the foregoing affidavit, who acknowledged that he/she executed the same in the capacity stated and for the purposes therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal.

Notary Public

My Commission _____

SEAL

M/WBE
Certification Check List

Please attach copies, not originals, of all applicable items. Incomplete applications cannot be processed, and failure to submit the documents will delay or result in termination of the application process.

Please check if documents are

1. M/WBE certifications from other public agencies.
2. M/WBE Certification Application Affidavit (Page 6 of Application).
3. Miami-Dade County Public Schools Vendor Application.
4. Lease/purchase agreement for the business' facilities.
5. Current professional/business license(s).
6. Proof of citizenship or permanent resident status.
7. Resumes for owners and key personnel.
8. Lease/purchase agreements for major business equipment.
9. Most current application for bonding, if applicable.
10. Management agreement(s).
11. Loan agreement(s) or promissory note(s).
12. Birth certificate, drivers license, passport or any other document which substantiates the ethnicity/race/gender of owners, officers and directors.

***If any of the aforementioned documents are not available, please provide a written notarized statement that information is not available.**

13. Sole Proprietor - Submit all of the above items, as applicable and the following:
 - U.S. IRS 1040-C Schedule.
 - Fictitious name affidavit, if applicable.

14. Partnerships - Submit all of the above items, and the following:

- Partnership agreement(s).
- U.S. IRS 1065, with schedules.
- Profit sharing agreements.

15. Corporations - Submit all of the above items, and the following:

- Articles of Incorporation, with amendments.
- By-Laws, with amendments.
- The most current U.S. IRS Corporate Tax Return 1120 or 1120s, with all schedules.
- All issued and cancelled stock certificates (front & back).
- Minutes of the first shareholders' meeting.
- Minutes of the first board of directors' meeting.
- Minutes of meetings at which the current board of directors and officers were elected or appointed.
- Stock transfer ledger.
- Most current annual report filed with the Secretary of State.
- Profit sharing agreement(s).
- Agreements affecting management, control or rights of any stockholder(s).

16. Joint venture agreement(s).

17. Certificate(s) of insurance.

18. Sub-contractual agreement(s).

NOTE: If after filing this application, there is any significant change in the information submitted herein, you must inform the Division of Business Development and Assistance of the change, or the company may be denied certification.

Certified companies must inform the Division of Business Development and Assistance of any changes in the information contained herein, which formed the basis of certification. Failure to do so may result in denial , revocation or suspension of certification.

COMPLETE APPLICATION, INCLUDING VENDOR APPLICATION AND CATEGORY OF GOODS AND SERVICES LIST, SHOULD BE RETURNED TO:
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
DIVISION OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AND ASSISTANCE
1450 N.E. 2ND AVENUE, ROOM 456
MIAMI, FL 33132

Vendor Information Sheet



1A. _____
Federal Employer Identification Number

Or _____
Owner's Social Security Number

1B. _____
Name of Firm, Individual(s), Partners or Corporation

_____ Street Address

_____ City State Zip Code

2. Telephone/Fax/Contact Person

_____ Telephone number

_____ Fax number

_____ Contact Person

_____ E-mail address

3. Ownership Disclosure

If the contract or business transaction is with a corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship, or joint venture, the full legal name and business address shall be provided for the chief **officer**, director, or owner who holds, directly or indirectly the majority of the stock or ownership. If the contract or business transaction is with a trust, the full legal name and address shall be provided for each trustee and each beneficiary. **Post Office addresses are not acceptable.**

Name	Title	Address	Gender	Race-ethnicity	Stock Ownership

NOTE: The information provided by the vendor on this form should be consistent with that provided on the "Vendor's Application". All vendors must have a current vendor's application on file with M-DCPS, and have provided information and/or be familiar with M-DCPS' policy regarding the following: (a) Employment Disclosure, (b) Drug Free Workplace, (c) Family Leave Policy, (d) Code of Business Ethics, (e) Conflict of Interest, (f) Perception, (g) Gratuities, and (h) Business Meals. **Failure to provide M-DCPS a current vendor application may cause the vendor not to be awarded any new business with M-DCPS.** Vendor applications can be downloaded at: <http://procurement.dadeschools.net>

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

BID PROPOSAL FORM (FORMAT A)

TO: THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY FLORIDA

BID 015-FF02M/WBE	BUYER R. Tyndall	PAGE SC 1
TITLE Floor Finish		

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- PURPOSE:** The purpose of this bid is to establish a contract, at firm unit prices, for the purchase of estimated requirements, for the items listed. The term of the bid shall be for two years from the date of award, and may, by mutual agreement between Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the awardee(s), be extended for one additional two-year period and, if needed, 90 days beyond the expiration date of the current contract period. Procurement Management Services, may, if considering extending, request a letter of intent to extend from the awardee(s), prior to the end of the current contract period. All prices shall be firm for the term of the contract. The successful vendor(s) agrees to this condition by signing its bid.
- ESTIMATED QUANTITIES:** The estimated quantities provided in the bid proposal are for bidder's guidance only. No guarantee is expressed or implied, as to quantities that will be used during the contract period. The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida is not obligated to place an order for any given amount, subsequent to the award of this bid. Estimates are based upon M-DCPS's actual needs and usage during a previous twenty-four (24) month period, and include an additional ten percent to cover unanticipated increases in requirements.
- DELIVERIES:** Delivery shall be made as indicated on the purchase orders.

DELIVER TO:

Miami-Dade County Public Schools
 Stores and Mail Distribution
 7001 SW 4th Street
 Miami, Florida 33144
 Telephone: (786) 275-0600
 Note: Warehouse has FEC railway siding

- AWARD OF BID:** Award of this bid may be made to the three (3) responsive, responsible bidders, who offer the lowest price for each item meeting specifications for the initial six month period. The awarded vendors will be requested to submit quotes every six (6) months during the term of the bid. Any vendor not responding to the request for quote (RFQ) by the required date shall not be considered for award for that six-month period. The primary and alternates may change depending on quotations received. The low bidder will be the primary vendor for the next six-month period and prices shall remain firm and fixed for that period. The prices submitted on the Bid Proposal Form contained in this bid shall remain firm and be effective for the first six-month period following the award. If the primary awardee fails to perform under the terms and conditions of the contract, the alternate bidder will be contacted.

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS CONTINUED

5. **SAMPLES:** If bidding an alternate to the products specified, bidders must deliver samples as required on the proposal form on or before the bid opening date to:

Miami-Dade County Public Schools
 Materials Testing and Evaluation
 7040 West Flagler Street
 Miami, FL 33144
 Telephone: (786) 275-0779

NOTE: Samples delivered to any other location will not be evaluated. Failure to deliver samples by the due date and to the correct location will render the bid for the item void and ineligible for award. It is not necessary to submit samples for previously approved brands listed on bid. For additional information regarding the submittal of samples, refer to paragraph VII of The Instructions to Bidders. All bid samples submitted for testing to the Materials Testing and Evaluation Department (MT&E) should be identified with the following: bid number, bid item number, vendor's name, vendor's product number, manufacturer's name, manufacturer's brand name, and manufacturer's product number (See label sample below). The corresponding complete technical specifications along with illustrative materials and/or Materials Safety Data Sheets should also be submitted to MT&E. Non-compliance with these conditions may cause the item not to be considered for award.

LABEL FOR SAMPLES SUBMITTED

BID NUMBER: _____	BID ITEM NUMBER: _____
VENDOR'S NAME: _____	
VENDOR'S PRODUCT NUMBER: _____	
MANUFACTURER'S NAME: _____	
MANUFACTURER'S BRAND NAME: _____	
MANUFACTURER'S PRODUCT NUMBER: _____	

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS CONTINUED

6. **MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET:** Bidders are requested to submit Material Safety Data Sheet(s) (MSDS) with bid and with product sample. Items will not be recommended for award until Procurement Management Services has received these sheets.
7. **UNAUTHORIZED SHIPMENT/SUBSTITUTION:** Unauthorized substitutions and shipments shall be grounds for termination. Vendors shall be considered in default of the contract and shall lose eligibility to transact new business with the Board for a period of fourteen (14) months from the date of termination by the Board.
8. **COMPLIANCE WITH SPECIFICATIONS:** Random samples will be taken from each delivery for testing, to insure continued compliance with the specifications. Delivered products not meeting specifications shall be replaced by the awardee at no cost to the Miami-Dade County Public Schools.
9. **EXEMPTIONS FROM THIS BID:** Purchases shall not include items available at lower prices on other M-DCPS bids, State of Florida contracts, and/or other state, local and political subdivision governmental contracts. M-DCPS reserves the right to bid or quote separately any item(s) if the awarded vendor fails to perform or for any other reason deemed to be in the best interest of the School Board.
10. **JESSICA LUNSFORD ACT:** Awarded vendors will be required to comply with Section 1012.465, Florida Statutes as amended by HB 1877 The Jessica Lunsford Act. The successful vendor(s) must submit completed Attachment A, "Sworn Statement Pursuant to Section 1012.465, Florida Statutes a Amended by the HB 1877, The Jessica Lunsford Act" before being recommended for award. Failure to submit this form(s), as noted, will result in the vendor(s) not being recommended for the bid award.
11. **CREDIT CARD PURCHASES:** Schools or departments may place some orders utilizing a district issued credit card as the form of payment. These orders will be made via phone or fax, and billing shall be made to the requesting work location. Please note that credit card purchases will benefit all vendors by providing immediate payment (i.e., within 48-72 hours), and eliminate the need to submit an invoice to M-DCPS Accounts Payable Department or reconcile receivable balances. For credit card purchases, all vendors must have the capability to accept fax orders.

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS CONTINUED

12. **CONE OF SILENCE:** The School Board of Miami-Dade County Public Schools enacts a Cone of Silence from issuance of a solicitation to written recommendation of award. All provisions of School Board Rule 6Gx13-8C-1.212 apply. Any inquiry, clarification or information regarding this bid must be requested in writing by FAX or E-mail to:

Mr. Robert Tyndall, Supervisor
Procurement Management
Fax #305-523-2215
E-mail: rtyndall@dadeschools.net

A copy of this written request must be sent simultaneously to:

Ileana Martinez, School Board Clerk
Miami-Dade County Public Schools
1450 N.E. 2nd Avenue, Room 268B
Miami, Florida 33132
Fax #305-995-1448
E-mail: martinez@dadeschools.net

13. **OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE:** Any person, firm, corporation or joint venture, with a business location in Miami-Dade County, Florida, which is submitting a bid, shall meet the County's Occupational License Tax requirements in accordance with Chapter 8A, Article IX of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida. Bidders with a location outside Miami-Dade County shall meet their local Occupational Tax requirements. A copy of the license is requested to be submitted with the Bid Proposal. If the Bidder has already complied with this requirement, a new copy is not required while the license is valid and in effect. It is the Bidder's responsibility to resubmit a copy of a new license after expiration or termination of the current license. Non-compliance with this condition may cause the bid not to be considered for award.
14. **ERASURES OR CORRECTIONS:** When filling out the Bid Proposal Form, bidders are required to use a typewriter or complete bid proposal in ink.
1. Use of pencil is prohibited.
 2. Do not erase or use correction fluid to correct an error.
 3. All changes must be crossed out and initialed in ink.

Those bids for individual items that do not comply with items 1, 2 and 3 above will be considered non-responsive for that item(s).

BID PROPOSAL FORM (FORMAT B)

Type or print in this box the complete name of the bidder:
Bid #015-FF02 M/WBE
Title: Floor Finish
Buyer: R. Tyndall

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL SHADED AREAS

NAME OF BIDDER:

ITEM	DCPS #	DESCRIPTION OF ITEM	ESTIMATED QUANTITY	UNIT	PRICE PER UNIT	MANUFACTURER & MODEL NUMBER
		VENDOR MUST INDICATE A BRAND NAME ON BID PROPOSAL FORM. FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RENDER THE BID NON-RESPONSIVE AND INELIGIBLE FOR AWARD.				
1	366-0010	<p>Floor finish: As per attached M-DCPS specifications, minimum 16% solids, 5 gallon containers.</p> <p>All brands will be inspected to insure label indicates U.L. approval for slip resistance. Bidders are requested to submit a sample label with their bid.</p> <p>Theochem Permoflife 16 or</p> <p>Aero, Dura Bright 18 or</p> <p>Rex USA Scrubbable Floor Finish or</p> <p>NCL Visions - Wet Look #0502 or equal.</p> <p>Minimum order: 720 5-gal containers.</p> <p>Sample required: Two (2) one (1) gallon containers with Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS). SAMPLES ARE NOT REQUIRED FOR PREVIOUSLY APPROVED LISTED BRANDS. REFER TO SPECIAL CONDITION #5 FOR DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS FOR SAMPLES.</p>	28,880	5-gal container	\$ _____ Per 5-gal container	Brand: _____ Product No: _____



Miami-Dade County Public Schools
Item #366-0010
Specification
9/14/04 - REVISED

FLOOR FINISH

1. TYPE

Floor finish shall be a stable water emulsion polymer-based, metal interlocked, wax free material, suitable for use without detrimental effect on asphalt tile, rubber tile, vinyl tile, linoleum, sealed wood, terrazzo and concrete. It shall be a free flowing liquid which can be applied easily, uniformly, and evenly with a lamb's wool or cotton applicator, or cotton mop.

2. REQUIREMENTS

Material shall contain no caustic alkali, shellac, fillers, colloidal silica, free oil, or harmful organic solvents. The Floor Finish shall have a minimum of 2000 sq. ft. coverage per gallon and must be stated by the manufacturer in writing submitted with sample. The Floor Finish shall meet or exceed Underwriter's Laboratories standard for slip resistance (ASTM D2047-82 (1988) with 0.5 minimum), as evidenced by UL approval on the label of each container.

The floor finish shall be tough wearing, flexible, self polishing, with the ability to hold its gloss under traffic yet buffable to heel marks caused by heavy traffic.

It shall resist black marking, scuffing, water spotting and not discolor light floors. It shall be resistant to powdering and shall remove readily with normal stripping methods.

	Properties	Values	Test Methods
2.a	Non volatiles (solids content)	16%, minimum	ASTM D2834-84 (1989) or Paragraph 4.4 of Fed. Spec. P-F430B
2.b	60 ° Gloss angle meter	85, minimum	ASTM D1455-87
2.c	Drying Time	10 - 30 minutes	Applications according to ASTM D1436-87 (Method D)
2.d	Sediment	0.1%, maximum (by volume)	ASTM D1290-82 (1987)
2.e	Water resistance	No film separation No permanent whitening No dulling of dried film	ASTM D1793

2.f	pH Value	8.0 to 9.5	ASTM E70-77 (1986)
2.g	Removability	Complete removal of dried film with a maximum of 75 oscillations	ASTM D1792-82 (1989)
2.h	Freeze-Thaw stability	Must past at least 1 cycle without damage to properties	A 3 oz. sample is frozen for 16 hours at 10 degrees C. then allowed to thaw at room temperature
2.i	Heat stability	No creaming, gelling or phase separation	ASTM D1791-87
2.j	Storage stability	No creaming, gelling or phase separation	One (1) year in original unopened containers

3. IN-USE PERFORMANCE TEST WHEN NECESSARY

3.a	Application and leveling	Acceptable performance	In-use performance tests
3.b	Appearance after application	Acceptable performance	In-use performance tests
3.c	Black mark resistance	Acceptable performance	In-use performance tests
3.d	Scuff resistance	Acceptable performance	In-use performance tests
3.e	Powdering resistance	Acceptable performance	In-use performance tests
3.f	Durability	Acceptable performance	In-use performance tests

Performance tests shall be conducted under the jurisdiction of the custodial products and equipment committee, and shall involve the actual use of the product, according to the Miami-Dade County Public Schools standard custodial practices in a cross section of schools, and over a period of time sufficient to allow the committee to judge the properties listed above.

4. CONTAINERS: IDENTIFICATION AND SAMPLES

4.a Material shall be furnished in manufacturer-sealed, sturdy, round, 5-gallon hard plastic stamped U.N. approved (United nations symbol) containers with lug covers and handles that do not interfere with safe stacking containers. The five-gallon containers shall be palletized for forklift unloading. The pallets shall be a flat surface or fully covered with a one-piece heavy-duty cardboard, so as not to allow bowing of the containers between the slates.





4.b Containers shall be PERMANENTLY IDENTIFIED by the manufacturer with the following information:

1. Manufacturer's name and product trade name.
2. Underwriter's Laboratory approval.
3. Instructions for use and any precautionary instructions needed.

CONTAINERS NOT COMPLETELY IDENTIFIED AS SPECIFIED MAY BE REJECTED WITHOUT EXAMINATION OF THE PRODUCT.

4.c Containers guaranteed not to leak during normal use and storage for one year from delivery date.

4.d Shipment acceptance: prior to payment for shipments, samples will be tested at the direction of the Purchaser for specification conformance even on previously approved brands.

MDCPS Item #		Item Description	
366-0010	Floor Finish: as per M-DCPS Specifications 16% solids, 5-gallon containers, all brands will be inspected to insure label indicates U.L. approval for slip resistance. <i>Sample required: Two five-gallon containers with label and MSDS.</i> (Specification Revised on 9/14/2004, MT&E Memo # 2531).		
	APPROVED BRANDS		
	Product Brand Name	Date Approved	Label
	Theochem Permoliife 16	1/4/01	
	Aero Dura Bright 18	8/31/01	
Rex Chemical USA Scrubbable Floor Finish	8/31/01		
NCL Visions (Wet Look) # 0502	8/31/01		

Miami-Dade County Public Schools
SWORN STATEMENT - NEW CONTRACTS

ATTACHMENT A

**SWORN STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 1012.465,
FLORIDA STATUTES AS AMENDED BY
HB 1877, THE JESSICA LUNSFORD ACT**

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED AND SWORN TO IN THE PRESENCE OF A NOTARY PUBLIC OR OTHER OFFICIAL AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS.

1. This sworn statement is submitted to The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Fl

(Hereinafter "Board" or "School Board") by _____

(Print individual's name and title)

for _____

(Print Name of entity submitting sworn statement)

whose business address is _____

and its Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) is _____.
If the entity has no FEIN, include the Social Security Number (SSN) of the individual signing this sworn statement and so indicate.

2. I, _____, am duly authorized to make this

(Print individual's name and title)

sworn statement on behalf of _____.

(Print Name of entity submitting sworn statement)

3. I understand that during the 2005 Legislative Session, House Bill 1877, The Jessica Lunsford Act (hereinafter "The Act" or "Act") was passed and approved by Governor Bush on May 2, 2005, with an effective date of September 1, 2005.

Initials

4. I understand that the Act amends the background screening requirements of section 1012.465, Florida Statutes (2004) for all non-instructional school district employees or **“contractual personnel”** by requiring all non-instructional school district employees or contractual personnel who are permitted access on school grounds when students are present to undergo and pass “level 2 background screening,” and further I understand the Act defines **“contractual personnel”** to include any vendor, individual, or entity under contract with the Board.

5. I understand that pursuant to section 1012.465, Florida Statutes as amended by the Act, non-instructional school district employees or contractual personnel who are permitted access on school grounds when students are present, who have direct contact with students or who have access to or control of school funds must meet level 2 screening requirements as described in sections 1012.32 and 435.04, Florida Statutes.

6. I understand that as a _____ (eg. a private bus

Type of entity

service contractor) all contractual personnel, as defined in section 1012.465, Florida Statutes, must meet level 2 screening requirements as outlined in sections 1012.32 and 435.04, Florida Statutes in order to do business with The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

7. I understand that “level 2 screening requirements,” as defined in sections 1012.32 and 435.04, Florida Statutes means that fingerprints of all contractual personnel must be obtained and submitted to the Florida Department of Law Enforcement for state processing and to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for federal processing.

8. I understand that the School Board will implement local procedures to comply with level 2 screening requirements, as defined in sections 1012.32 and 435.04. I understand that my company must comply with these local procedures as they are developed.

9. I understand that any costs and fees associated with the required background screening will be borne by my company.

10. I understand that any personnel of the contractor found through fingerprint processing and subsequent level 2 background screening to have been found guilty of, regardless of adjudication, or entered a plea of nolo contendere or guilty to any offense outlined in Section 435.04, Florida Statutes (or any similar statute of another jurisdiction), shall not be permitted to come onto school grounds or any leased premises where school-sponsored activities are taking place when students are present, shall not be permitted direct contact with students, and shall not be permitted to have access to school district funds.

11. I understand that the failure of any of the company's or my affected personnel to meet level 2 screening standards as required by section 1012.465, Florida Statutes, may disqualify my company from doing business with The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida.
12. I hereby certify that the foregoing statement is true and correct in relation to the company for which I am submitting this sworn statement. I further certify that this statement is being given knowingly and voluntarily by me on behalf of my company.

The company submitting this sworn statement agrees to be bound by the provisions of SECTIONS 1012.32, 1012.465, AND 435.04 OF THE FLORIDA STATUTES AS AMENDED BY HB 1877, THE JESSICA LUNSFORD ACT 2005.

I CERTIFY THAT THE SUBMISSION OF THIS FORM TO THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY IDENTIFIED IN PARAGRAPH ONE (1) ABOVE BINDS THE COMPANY TO FULLY COMPLY WITH THE BACKGROUND SCREENING REQUIREMENTS OF SECTIONS 1012.32, 1012.465, AND 435.04, FLORIDA STATUTES.

(Signature)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day or _____, 20____.

Personally known _____

OR Produced Identification _____

Notary Public -State of _____

(Type of Identification)

My commission expires _____

(Printed typed or stamped commissioned name of notary public)