

May 27, 2003

**AUTHORIZE THE PAYMENT OF SUMMER INSTITUTE FEES TO
THE NATIONAL LITERACY PROJECT**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize the payment of Summer Institute fees to The National Literacy Project (NLP) for 430 CPS High School teachers to attend the Project's Institutes at a cost not to exceed \$78,026. The vendor was selected on a non-

competitive basis because of the uniqueness of the professional development program components and nationally recognized research and work with high school literacy teams. No written agreement is required for this matter. Information pertinent to this matter is stated below.

Specification No: 03-250112

VENDOR: National Literacy Project
772 Rhoden Cove Road
Tallahassee, FL 32312-1041
850.894.6570
Vendor # - 38078

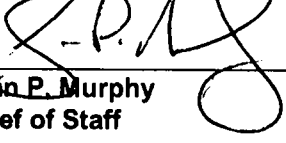
USER: Office of Professional Development/Chicago Reading Initiative

FINANCIAL: Charge to: Chicago Reading Initiative \$78,936
Budget Classification: \$0320-242-356-2436-5410


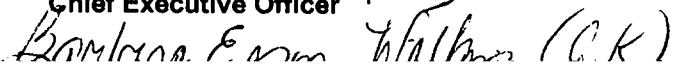
Fiscal Year: 2003
Source of Funds: NCI B

Requisition Number:

Approved for Consideration:


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