

**RATIFY ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH AHA! INTERACTIVE  
FOR CONSULTING SERVICES**

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

Ratify entering into an agreement with AHA! Interactive to provide consulting services to the CPS Teachers

Academy for Professional Development at a cost not to exceed \$74,000.00. Consultant was selected on a non-competitive basis because of their successful development of online software platforms for other Illinois-based educational institutions. These services were obtained without prior Board approval. A written agreement for Consultant's services is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to Consultant prior to the execution of the written agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written agreement is not executed within 60 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this agreement is stated below.

**Specification No.:** 03-250215

**CONSULTANT:** AHA! Interactive  
53 W. Jackson Blvd.  
Suite 1135  
Chicago, IL 60604  
Todd Carter, (312) 922-9680  
Vendor Number: 35086

**USER:** CPS Teachers Academy for Professional Development  
1324 W. 14<sup>th</sup> Place  
Chicago, IL 60608

0300-239-136-8984-5410 \$30,000

Source of Funds: Teacher Quality Enhancement Grant

Requisition Number:

**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.