

APPROVE EXERCISING THE SECOND OPTION TO RENEW THE AGREEMENT WITH EDUCATIONAL IDEAS, INC., DBA BALLARD AND TIGHE PUBLISHERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF TEST MATERIALS

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve exercising the second option to renew the agreement with Educational Ideas, Inc., DBA Ballard & Tighe Publishers for the purchase of test materials for the Department of Assessment Design at a cost

for the option period not to exceed \$150,000.00. A written renewal agreement is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to Vendor during the option period prior to the execution of the

SCOPE OF SERVICES

Ballard & Tighe will continue to provide their Oral English language proficiency assessment system consisting of Provider's Pre-IPT (IDEA Proficiency Test) screener materials for Pre-K students (ages 3 and 4 only) in the quantities specified in the renewal agreement.

DELIVERABLES

Vendor will continue to provide their Pre-IPT screener test materials in the quantities specified in the renewal contract.

OUTCOMES

The oral language proficiency assessment materials furnished by Ballard & Tighe are used to identify

for use with pre-K students enrolling for the FY2012 school year. They evaluate students' oral proficiency in English within the two language domains of listening and speaking. These assessment materials will

aid in the initial identification of English language learners and placement of these students into the most

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from Article Amendment has been incorporated into and made a part of the agreement

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