

APPROVE EXERCISING THE THIRD OPTION TO RENEW THE LICENSE AGREEMENT WITH THE GALE GROUP

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve exercising the third option to renew the license agreement with The Gale Group (Gale) to provide online digital access to reference databases and full text periodicals to be used by all students

SCOPE OF SERVICES

Gale will continue to provide all Chicago Public Schools with electronic library, homework and research

individual access and access through www.cps.edu. The resources will continue to be fully accessible from home or from school, 24 hours a day 7 days a week with no limitation on the number of users allowed. The continued resources in the contract include:

government, history, sport and more.

Li Finder for Schools: Covering world literature and authors throughout history. Li Finder contains a

wealth of literacy works including over 150,000 full-text poems and 800,000+ poetry citations, as well as abstracts, essays, speeches, and plays. Li Finder also includes secondary materials like biographies and

