

May 24, 2017

DEBARMENT OF RANDY KEESHIN

THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Education of the City of Chicago ("Board") permanently debar Randy Keeshin ("Respondent") from doing any business with the Board.

Following the Office of the Inspector General's recommendations in Report 13-01110, the Board's Chief Procurement Officer served Respondent with a Notice of Proposed Debarment ("Notice") on November 20, 2014, initiating a debarment proceeding against him, based upon Respondent's stringing purchases to avoid the \$40,000 debarment threshold on non-competitive purchases, which are violations of the Code of

Ethics and sections 2(c), (e), (h), (i)(2) (3), (6) and (9) and (k) of the Board's Debarment Policy ("Policy"). The Chief Administrative Officer has reviewed the record (as defined in section 4.5(10) of the Policy) and recommends permanent debarment.