

**RATIFY AN AGREEMENT WITH LESLIE JONES, ESQ. FOR HOMELESS EDUCATION PROGRAM SERVICES**

**THE GENERAL COUNSEL REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Ratify an agreement with Leslie Jones, Esq. to provide Homeless Education Program services to the schools and Regionals at a cost not to exceed \$600,000.00. These services were obtained without prior Board approval. Consultant was selected pursuant to the requirement contained in that certain settlement agreement dated July 27, 2000 in Case No. 92-OH-5703; Salazar v. Edwards. A written

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or the intent of contracts to former  
from  
de adopted September 27, 1995 (95-0927-RU3), as amended from time to  
and made a part of the agreement.

Conflicts – The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if  
provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.2 which restricts the employment of

Indebtedness – The Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted July 26, 1995 (95-0726-EX3); as amended  
time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

Ethics – The Board's Ethics Code  
time shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

Within Appropriation:



KENNETH C. GOTSOFF  
Chief Fiscal Officer

Approved for Consideration

  
MARILYN F. JOHNSON  
General Counsel