

January 22, 2003

FINAL OBJECTIVE

**APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF WIDE AREA NETWORK EQUIPMENT**

**MAINTENANCE AND ASSOCIATED TRAINING FROM SBC DATACOMM, INC.**

**MAINTENANCE**

**OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE**

Wide Area Network ("WAN") equipment, maintenance and associated training

Approve the purchase of

from SBC DataComm, Inc. ("SBC DataComm") or "Vendor" for the Office of Technology Services.

**AUTHORIZATION:** No additional written contract is required for this matter. Authorize the Chief Technology Officer to execute any ancillary document purchases required to administer or effectuate these purchases.

using the contract with the Illinois Board of Higher Education. **AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:** Exempt; the Board will be

**LSC REVIEW:** Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

**FINANCIAL:** Charge to Office of Technology Services: \$36,174,294.00  
 Charge to Office of Information Technology: \$18,043,094.00 FY04  
 Charge to Office of Information Technology: \$18,131,200.00 FY05

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**  
 Knowledge, skill, and proficiency with the Inspector General. Each party to the agreement shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

**Conflicts** – The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to Board members during their term of office.

Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted July 26, 1995 (95-0726-EX3), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.  
**Indebtedness** – The Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted September 27, 1995 (95-0927-EX3), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year. If a fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability, subject to budget(s).

Approved for consideration: [Signature] Approved: [Signature]