March 26, 2003

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APPROVE PAYMENT TO BLACKWELL CONSULTING SERVICES, L

FOR CONSULTING SERVICES

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

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ove payment to Blackwell Consulting Service, LLC ("Blackwell") for consulting services provided to

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$842,218.39. These services were rendered without prior Board approval due to the emergency need for

have been completed

Blackwell Consulting Services

CONSULTANT:

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USER: Office of Technology Services

125 South Clark, 3rd Floor
Chicago, Illinois 60603
Contact: David Vitale, Acting Chief Technology Officer
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SCOPE OF SERVICES: Blackwell provided the following services:

- Developed and implemented, configured, tuned and maintained corporate [illegible] servers, as it pertains to the Payroll environment.
- [illegible] Kronos communications, Citrix and Web servers
- d hardware, asset management and weekly, including the daily administration of software an status reporting.
- Performed third level troubleshooting and consultation of Kronos application and Payroll related issues.

DELIVERABLES: [illegible]

OUTCOME: [illegible]

COMPENSATION: Blackwell [illegible] $842,218.39.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: A review of Minority and Women Business Enterprise precluded due to completed contract performance.

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$842,218.39 FY03

FINANCIAL: Charge to the Office of Technology Services: $842,21
Budget Classification: 0960-210-000-1110-5410

Approved for Consideration [illegible] Approved: Approved:

Purchasing Officer

Chief Executive Officer

Arne Duncan

Chief

Appropriation:

Approved as to Legal Form:

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