APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CHARISMA, INC. FOR CONSULTING SERVICES

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

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	Schools and Regions at a cost not to exceed \$36,550.00. Consultant was selected on a non-competitive basis because of its expertise in providing summer education programs. Consultant has previously
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AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: The M/WBE goals for this contract include: 35% total MBE, 22% total African American, 10% total Hispanic, 2% total Asian and 5% total WBE.

However, the Waiver Review Committee recommends that a partial waiver of the participation goals for this contract as required by the Revised Remedial Plan for Minority and Women Business Enterprise Contract Participation (M/WBE) be granted due to this contract being not further divisible.

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Total MBE 5.4%

The Wright Fit 6045 S. Halsted Chicago, IL 60621

\$2,000.00

5.4%

Chicago, IL 60621 certified until May 2004

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable to the report.

FINANCIAL: Charge to Office of Schools and Regions: \$36,550.00 Fiscal Year 2003-2004

Budget Classification: 0953-210-063-7360-5410 Source of Funds: General

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General – Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General 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 the previsions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to, former Board members during the one year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Indebtedness – The Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted July 26, 1995 (95-0927-RU3), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

Ethics – The Board's Ethics Code adopted September 27, 1995 (95-0927-RU3), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.