APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH DIVERSIFIED TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR CONSULTING SERVICES

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

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services to the Office of Business Diversity at a cost not to exceed \$200,000.00. Vendor was selected on a competitive basis pursuant to a duly advertised Request for Proposals (Specification No. 03-250157). A written agreement for Consultant's services is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to Consultant prior to the execution of the written agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written agreement is not executed within 60 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this agreement is stated below.

Specification No. 03-250157

CONSULTANT:

Diversified Telecommunications, Inc. 1112 S. Wabash Street, Suite 500

Chicago, IL 60605

Contact Person: Mark Wallace

Phone No: (312) 362-9600 Fax: (312) 362-9272

Vendor No.: 23087

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: The M/WBE goals for this contract include 35% total MBE, 22% total African-American; 10% Hispanic; 2% Asian; and 5% total WBE.

The vendor has identified and scheduled the following original M/WBE firms/consultants and percentages.

Total MBE: 100%

Total African-American:

Diversified Telecommunications. Inc. 1112 S. Wabash Street, Suite 500

\$200,000.00 Certification Expires: