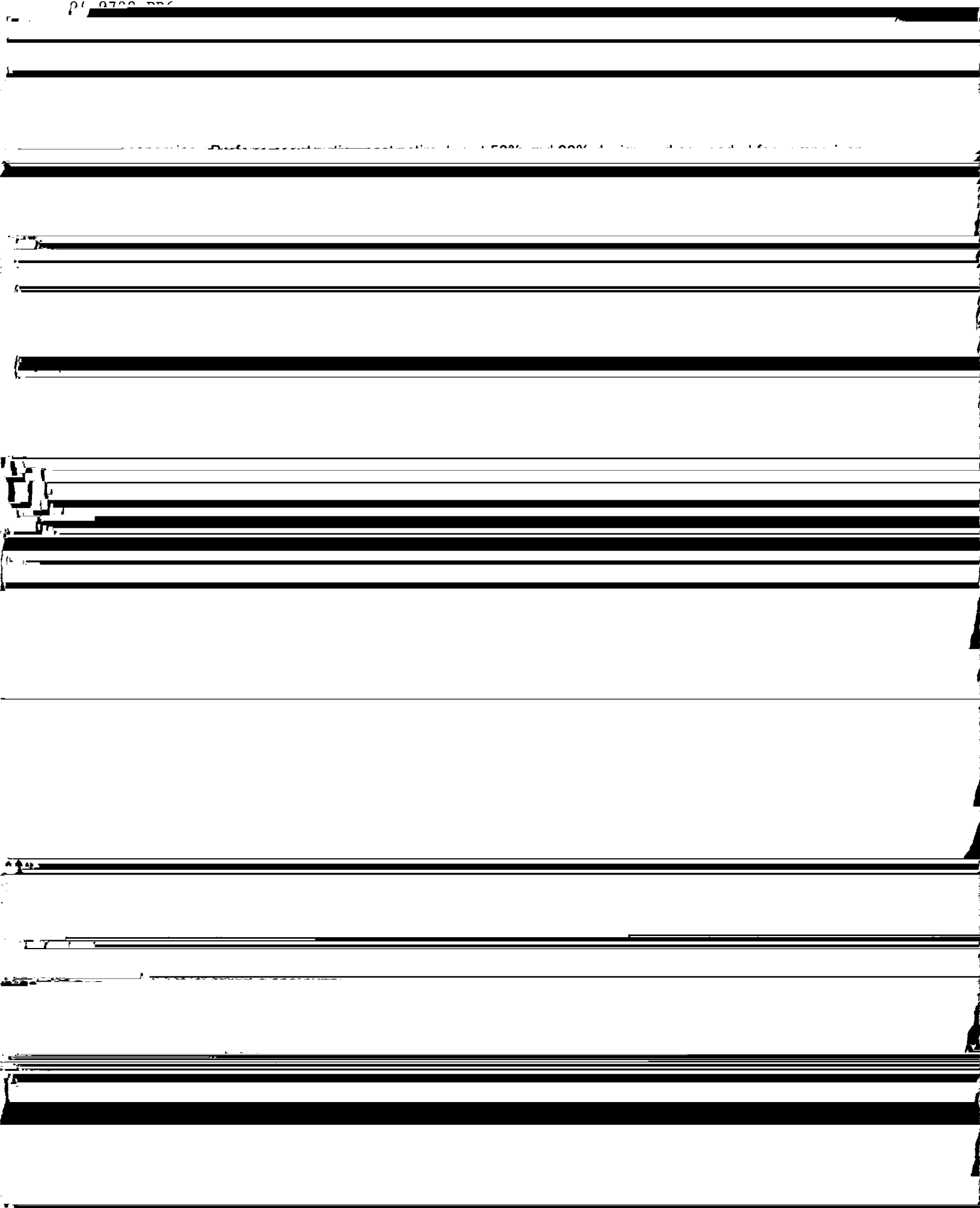


RATIFY THE RENEWAL OF THE EXISTING AGREEMENT WITH d'ESCOTO, INC. FOR CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES FOR EDUCATIONAL ENHANCEMENTS

Ratify the renewal of the existing agreement with d'Escoto, Inc. to provide construction management services for educational enhancements to the Capital Improvement Program in the Department of Operations at a cost for the renewal period not to exceed \$200,000. A written renewal agreement is



The Architects Enterprise
116 S. Michigan Ave. suite 700
Chicago, Illinois 60603

7% certified until September 1, 2004

Brown and Momen
823 E. Drexel Square
Chicago, Illinois 60615

15% certified until January 31, 2004

Total Hispanic 71%
D'Escoto Inc.
1 E. Erie suite 520
Chicago, Illinois 60611

71% certified until February 28, 2004

Total Asian 2%
Site Design
8 S. Michigan Ave. suite 1007
Chicago, Illinois 60603

1% certified until December 31, 2003

Chicago, Illinois 60611

Total WBE 5%

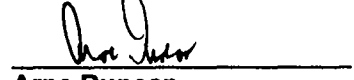
5% certified until February 28, 2004

Contingent Liability – The agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability, subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year budget(s).

Approved for Consideration:


Heather A. Obora *B.H.*
Chief Purchasing Officer

Approved:


Arne Duncan
Chief Executive Officer

Within Appropriation:


John Maiorca
Chief Financial Officer

Approved as to legal form:


Ruth Moscovitch
General Counsel