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To Whom It May Concern:

On January 16, 2019, the Alabama Community College System (ACCS) issued a Request for Bid (RFB) for a Joint Purchasing Agreement for technology-related equipment and services. This RFB is intended for use by the Alabama Community College System and Alabama Higher Education institutions.

An evaluation committee comprised of two-year institution and system office technology experts reviewed all responses to the RFB, based on the criteria specified in the RFB. The scope of the vendors chosen should meet the diverse needs of the institutions of ACCS and other Alabama Higher Education entities.

I want to thank you for responding to this request, submitting a bid, and providing all required documentation requested to receive Final Award. The vendors recommended to me and to whom I am awarding the bid, that began on March 4th, 2019, are as follows:

Academic Technologies	CSS	Layer3	ProSys
Ameritek	HighTide Technology	LIC. Inc. dba LST	RJ Young
Apogee	Howard	Lockstep	ShareStream
Arey Jones	HPE	Logista	Sharp
Berney	InCare	M3 Technology	Synergetics
Carousel Industries	Instructure	MXN Corporation	The ESB Group
CDW-G	ION247	nSide	TSA
CMA	ITS	One Diversified	Venture Technologies
C-Spire	Konica Minolta	Presidio	

These vendors will become part of the Joint Purchasing Agreement for a period of one year beginning March 4th, 2019. Further, the committee recommended that renewal of this contract be automatic for a second year, unless notice is provided by either party prior to the one-year anniversary date. Based on this recommendation, I am hereby notifying the successful vendors that this contract shall be automatically renewed on March 1, 2020 for a period of one year.

Once again, I appreciate your time and effort in preparing your response to meet the technology needs of The Alabama Community College System as well as other public institutions of higher education.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jimmy H. Baker".

Jimmy H. Baker, Chancellor