

TO: Dr. Randy McCoy  
FROM: Nancy Williams McReynolds  
RE: Single Source Purchase  
DATE: January 15, 2008

Please request approval from the Board for the following single source purchase for the month of January, 2008.

**SS802 PO#814395 CTB McGraw Hill \$20,332.40 District Test Funds**

Ms. Dale Warriner wishes to purchase Complete Battery and Terra Nova Consumable Books and answer sheets for testing in the Tupelo School District. The accountability model developed by the MS Department of Education requires all districts to establish a baseline. The tests ordered above will enable our district to establish the baseline for all grades 1-8 and to provide nationally norm referenced comparisons of student achievement. These tests are developed and published by CTB/McGraw Hill. They are the only source for these products.

**SS803 PO#814460-61 Red Brick Learning \$20,806.12 Federal Funds**

Ms. Dale Warriner wishes to purchase leveled reading materials for first grade to serve struggling readers. These materials are published and sold by Red Brick Learning. They are the only resellers of both fiction and non-fiction readers for this program.