

TO: ROGER BREED, Ed.D.  
FROM: RUSS INBODY, DENISE THEGE  
DATE: OCTOBER 26, 2011  
SUBJECT: NOTICE OF CONTRACTS WITH PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

RATIONALE: The Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission has interpreted Nebraska Statute Sec. 49-14,102 to require the Department to disclose, prior to the starting date of the contract, the contracting of services which exceed \$2,000 and which are with an employee of any public agency or a public official, a member of that individual's immediate family, or a business with which that individual is associated. The contractors noted below fall under the definition of 49-14,102 and has a contract which exceeds this dollar limit.

1. Contractor(s): Nebraska Council of School Administrators  
Contract Amount: \$20,000  
Scope of Services: Conduct the annual Nebraska Data Conference.  
Date of Contract: 12/8/11-7/31/12  
Public Employee Relationship: Board members are employed by school districts and other public agencies.
2. Contractor(s): Donald Gronemeyer  
Contract Amount: \$15,000  
Scope of Services: Serve as a Principal Mentor and NDE Representative to PBiS Schools helping new principals to PBiS schools learn about the PBiS process and guide their existing PBiS Leadership Teams.  
Date of Contract: 11/14/11-9/30/12  
Public Employee Relationship: Spouse is an employee of Hastings Public Schools.
3. Contractor(s): Kimberly Snyder  
Contract Amount: \$17,500  
Scope of Services: Provide assistance with statewide initiatives and professional development for educators serving students in Out-of-Home Placements (OHP).  
Date of Contract: 11/10/11-8/31/12  
Public Employee Relationship: Kimberly is an employee of Lincoln Public Schools.

4. Contractor(s): Luisa Palomo Hare  
Contract Amount: \$5,500  
Scope of Services: 2012 Nebraska Teacher of the Year  
Date of Contract: 11/8/11-11/8/12  
Public Employee Relationship: Luisa is a teacher at Liberty Elementary School, Omaha, NE.