



TO: Roger Breed, Ed.D.
Commissioner of Education

FROM: Melody Hobson and Mary Ann Losh

SUBJECT: Approval of Amendment to TransACT contract

Proposed Board Action:

Grant the Commissioner the Authority to approve an amendment to the TransACT Contract. The amendment will be up to \$25,000 and will enable the translation of the Nebraska Early Learning Guidelines into Spanish and to translate the "Ready for Success" brochure into other key languages.

Background Information:

The Nebraska Early Learning Guidelines for ages 3 to 5 have been revised to align with revised Nebraska K-12 standards and with the revised Head Start Framework. The new Early Learning Guidelines document must be translated into Spanish to meet the need of a significant population of families, and early childhood education providers. The "Ready for Success" brochure is a new publication that is a helpful resource for families of children who will be transitioning to kindergarten. This brochure is to be translated in to a number of key languages used in Nebraska.

Estimated Cost:

\$25,000

Supporting Documentation Included:

See Contract

For Additional Information on this item:

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