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H. <u>Contract with Dr. Glen Stribling to provide optometrist and low-vision medical services</u>

Awarded Vendor: Dr. Glen Stribling, O.D.

Byram, Mississippi

<u>Scope of Project</u>: The contractor will be responsible for performing the optometrist and low-vision specialist duties in the Low Vision Clinic of the MS School for the Blind as follows:

- Evaluate vision of students throughout the state with suspected or confirmed vision loss and provide written reports of such
- Prescribe glasses, contact lenses, and low vision aids as appropriate
- Provide low-vision training to students
- Provide consultation services to parents, students and staff
- Provide professional development/training to staff
- Assess current and future needs of the clinic

Personnel associated with this contract is not a former Department employee or related to any Department employees. The contractor is not PERS retiree.

Scope of Contract:

• Term of Contract: August 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

• Cost of Contract: \$57,750

Method of Award: Pool of Service Providers

Funding Source: Federal funds

Recommendation: Approval