OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items February 21, 2019

MISSISSIPPI SCHOOLS FOR THE BLIND AND THE DEAF COMBINED OPERATIONAL SERVICES

02.A. Action: Renew contract with S&S Management Group, LLC d/b/a Security of America/Avert Group, USA to provide security services on the campus of the Mississippi Schools for the Blind and the Deaf for Fiscal Year 2020 [Goals 1 and 2 – MBE Strategic Plan]

Awarded Vendor: S&S Management Group, LLC d/b/a Security of

America Group, USA Security Group

Dallas, Texas

<u>Scope of Project</u>: The purpose of this modification is to renew services for S&S Management Group, LLC d/b/a Security of America/Avert Group, USA to provide unarmed security services on the campus of the Mississippi Schools for the Blind and the Deaf. Duties Include:

- Post at the Welcome Center to screen and record visitors prior to entry;
- Make campus rounds to ensure security of exterior doors; and
- Assist in campus logistics to aid smooth operations.

Renewal of contract for year three will be determined annually and shall be contingent upon the successful completion of the preceding year's contract and the availability of funds. Personnel associated with this contract are not former Department employees or related to any Department employee.

Scope of Contract:

• Term of Contract: July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020

• 2019-2020 Renewal Cost: \$ 158,000

Method of Award:
 PPRB Pre-Approved Vendors

Funding Source: State funds

This item references Goals 1 and 2 of the *Mississippi Board of Education 2018-2022 Strategic Plan*.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material: None