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Notification of Award

To: Interested Parties
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Subject: Notification of Award

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Regarding Information Technology Services (ITS) Sole Source Certification Number 4406 for Developer Support and Licensing Renewal for Donated Foods Software for the Mississippi Department of Education (MDE), please be advised that no objections were received and the award will be made to Simmons Computing Services, Inc. (Simmons) through July 31, 2022, in an amount not-to-exceed \$50,125.00. The State intends to competitively re-procure a new food distribution by July 31, 2022. If the competitive procurement is not complete by July 31, 2022, then this Sole Source certification is valid until a new vendor is selected and conversion is completed but shall not go beyond July 31, 2024 without a recertification.

Please be advised that ITS will determine if additional software or support is within scope during the certification period and may increase the spending authority accordingly. Should Simmons Computing Services, Inc. (Simmons) change its name during the certification period, then ITS will determine if a recertification is necessary.

cc: ITS Project File Number 46543