

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON  
ACTING AS THE PUBLIC CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD  
**ORDER NO. 99-37**

Exempting from the Formal Competitive RFP Process a Contract for the Purchase of an upgrade to the IBM Enterprise Server from IBM, Corp.

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:

- a. The Board, acting in its capacity as the Multnomah County Public Contract Review Board to review, pursuant to PCRB Rules 10.140 and 20.060 a request from the Department of Support Services, Information Services Division for the purchase of an upgrade to the County's IBM Enterprise Server which includes the upgrade of ten software products and maintenance for \$48,815 per month for a 36 month period.
- b. As it appears in the staff report from Franna Hathaway and the memorandum from Vickie Gates, the request for exemption is based upon the fact that the County originally did an RFP in 1996 for the enterprise server, the current agreement is about to expire and IBM Corp. is the only contractor which can provide the upgrade.
- c. This exemption request is in accord with the requirements of Multnomah County Public Contract Review Board Administrative Rules 10.140 and 20.060.

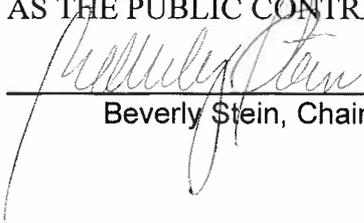
The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners, acting as the Public Contract Review Board Orders:

That the contract for the purchase of the upgrade to the County's IBM Enterprise Server be exempted from the requirements of the formal RFP process.

APPROVED this 18th day of March, 1999.



BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR  
MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON, ACTING  
AS THE PUBLIC CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD

  
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