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36. Approval to contract with Ray and Associates, Inc. to provide consultative services relative to conduct a national employment search for the Mississippi State Superintendent of Education

Awarded Vendor: Ray and Associates, Inc.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa

<u>Scope of Project</u>: The purpose of this contract is to retain the services of Ray and Associates, Inc. as a consultant to the Mississippi Department of Education relative to conduct a national employment search for the Mississippi State Superintendent of Education.

Personnel associated with this contract are not former Department employees or related to any Department employees.

Scope of Contract:

• Term of Contract: April 18, 2013 – December 31, 2013

• Total Amount to be Awarded: \$38,675

Method of Award: Request for Quotes

Funding Source: State funds

Recommendation: Approval