RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION GOVERNING SPECIFICATIONS, PLANS AND PURCHASE OF RELOCATABLE CLASSROOMS AS AUTHORIZED BY HOUSE BILL 677, SECTION 3, REGULAR 1990 LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

(ADOPTED BY MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION MAY 18, 1990 --- EFFECTIVE DATE JULY 1, 1990)

I. Minimum specifications for relocatable classrooms shall be approved by the State Board of Education.

II. The State Department of Education, Division of School Building and Transportation, shall approve or disapprove:

A. All plans for relocatable classrooms by persons, firms, corporations or associations,
B. Persons, firms, corporations or associations before bids are submitted to the local school district.

III. The State Department of Education, Division of School Building and Transportation, shall have the right to reject any and all relocatable classroom plans submitted.

IV. The State Department of Education, Division of School Building and Transportation, shall approve the purchase of relocatable classrooms based on the following:

A. Compliance with all applicable state purchasing laws, Sections 37-7-13(c) and 37-7-301(cc),
B. Certified Proof of Publication for bids for the purchase of relocatable classrooms,
C. Complete tabulation of all bids,
D. Copy of lowest bid,
E. Copy of approved plans as bid by lowest bidder,
F. Copy of certified letter from the manufacturer stating that no asbestos-containing building materials were used in the manufacture of the relocatable classroom(s).

V. Approval for the purchase of relocatable classrooms must be granted by the State Department of Education, Division of School Building and Transportation, before the contract for purchase may be awarded.

VI. All rules and regulations as stated above shall be applicable to the leasing of or the lease/purchase of relocatable classrooms.

VII. In situations where there occurs either a natural or man-made disaster, the State Department of Education, Division of School Building and Transportation, may forego the above stated rules and regulations in order to expedite the acquisition of relocatable classrooms by the local school district. However, the acquisition of such units shall at all times comply with all applicable state purchasing laws.