

	Post-Commitment Request	Post-Commitment Application/R	Post-Commitment Decision (FRN Level)	Post-Commitment Rationale (FRN Level)	Original FRN Decision	Revised FRN Decision	RFCDL Comments (FRN Level)	FCC Form 471	Service Type	Establishing FCC Form 470	SPI N	Service Provider	Contract Number	Account Number (for SPIN)	Service Start Date	Contract Expiration Date (Original Award Date)	Contract Expiration Date (After Extension Exercised)	Months Of Service In Year	Total Eligible Recurring Charges	Total Eligible One Time Charges	Total Pre Discount Charges	Discount Rate	Revised Commitment Amount	Invoice Deadline Date	Wave Number	Service Delivery Deadline	Consultant Name	Consultant CRN	Consultant Employer		
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<p>During the appeal review, it has been determined that this funding commitment must be restricted to full FCC Form 470 RFCDL2020 and not include the warranty for which funding was sought in the FCC Form 471 application, which is a violation of the FCC's competitive bidding rule. In your appeal, you have not chosen the GAO's determination was incorrect. Consequently, I cannot deny your appeal.</p> <p>FCC rules require that we award contracts on an eligible actual library or consortium that includes an eligible school or library that seeks competitive bids for all services eligible for support and must conduct a fair and open competitive bidding process. See 47 C.F.R. §§ 101.105 and 101.106. The following information covers a fair and open competitive bidding process: the applicant for supported services has a working plan with a service provider that would fulfill and conform the substance of a competitive or award formula; the service provider with technical resources; someone other than the applicant or an authorized representative of the applicant prepare, sign, and submit the FCC Form 470 and certification; a service provider representation is filed in the FCC Form 470 contract process; and allow that service provider to participate in the contract management process; the service provider prepares the applicant's FCC Form 470 for participation in the bid evaluation or award selection process in the event the applicant team has a service provider the responsibility for ensuring a fair and open competitive bidding process; an applicant employs with a service to service provider selection process also has an awarding interest in the service provider seeking to participate in the competitive bidding process; and the applicant's FCC Form 470 does not describe the supported service with sufficient specificity to enable external service providers to submit responses bids. See 47 C.F.R. §§ 101.105 and 101.106. Pursuant to the FCC policies, the fair and open competitive bidding process required by a service provider contract information is listed in the associated FCC Form 470, including address, telephone, fax numbers, e-mail address. See Request for Review of the Decision of the Universal Service Administrative Company to Deny an Award of Funds to the National Education Association, Inc., et al., No. 10-362, 2010-07-01, 2</p>																															