petitioner seeks a provision that would delete that portion of the rule that grants the Department discretion as to whether to provide copying services.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by writing: Gary L. Grant, Assistant General Counsel, Department of Corrections, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2500.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the State of Florida. Department of Corrections, received a Petition to Initiate Rulemaking on June 16, 1999, from Joan McKeel. Petitioner is an inmate seeking an amendment of Florida Administrative Code Chapter 33-3.035. Specifically, petitioner seeks a provision that would exclude medical co-payments from the calculation of the dollar amount of canteen merchandise that an inmate purchases per week. Petitioner also requests a provision that would allow unlimited canteen purchases.

A copy of the Petition may be obtained by writing: Gary L. Grant, Assistant General Counsel, Department of Corrections, 2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2500.

# Section VIII Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding the Validity of Rules

Notice of Petition for Administrative Determination has been filed with the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

## **NONE**

Notice of Disposition of Petition for Administrative Determination have been filed by the Division of Administrative Hearings on the following rules:

#### **NONE**

Section IX Notices of Petitions and Dispositions Regarding Non-rule Policy Challenges

### **NONE**

Section X Announcements and Objection Reports of the Joint Administrative Procedures Committee

## NONE

# Section XI Notices Regarding Bids, Proposals and **Purchasing**

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

NOTICE FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION SERVICES The University of South Florida, on behalf of the University of South Florida Foundation, announces that turnkey design and construction services for the creation of New Student

Residence Life Apartments will be required for the project

listed below:

Project No. BR-579

Project and Location: USF Residence Hall Expansion Phase 1B, Magnolia Drive Apartments, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida.

The University will procure turnkey services for this major project in order to maximize quality and scope within the very limited timeframe imposed by bond financing. To accomplish this goal, the University will pursue a Design and Construction Services Team to design, construct, furnish and equip the Magnolia Drive Apartments.

The project consists of new apartments totaling a minimum of 164,993 GSF and a minimum of 498 beds. This project will feature three-story buildings (with two-story options) with a variety of models ranging from two, three and four bedroom apartment-style units which will directly address the unique needs of the non-traditional student (older graduate students, married and/or with families). The unit mix is proposed to be 12-two bedroom units, 32-three bedroom units, and 94-four bedroom units. Building organization and site configuration should conform to quads in keeping with the campus block patterns, creating landscaped quadrangles which allows students and their families to develop a sense of smaller communities within the larger campus community.

The selection process will consist of two distinct parts, Part 1.) the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) submission and evaluation, and Part 2.) the Request for Proposals (RFP) response and evaluation for the shortlisted teams only. The University will contract with the selected team for all design and construction services, to include but not limited to all labor, materials and equipment required to design, construct, furnish and equip the project. Blanket professional design liability insurance will be required for this project in the amount of \$1,000,000.00, and will be provided as a part of Basic Services. The proposed contractual value of this project is approximately \$13,500,000.00. The Team must be capable of bonding at 100% of the value of the contract with a surety licensed to do business in the State of Florida with a Best rating of A, Class IX.