

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:

Florida Association of Support Coordinators, Inc., Habilitation Management Services, Inc. and Advocates for Opportunities, Inc. vs. Agency for Health Care Administration; Case No.: 02-2165RP; Rule No.: 59G-8.200

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

Beverage Hospitality, Inc. vs. Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco; Case No.: 01-4576RU; Dismissed

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 TO PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS

The University of South Florida St. Petersburg announces that continuing professional services are required for the following disciplines: Architecture; Civil Engineering; Mechanical/Electrical Engineering; Cost Estimating; and Construction Management.

Projects included in the scope of this agreement will be specific projects for renovations, alterations, and additions that have a basic construction budget estimated to be \$1,000,000 or less, or studies for which the fee for professional services is

\$100,000 or less. Campus Service contracts for these projects provide that the consultant will be available on an as-needed basis for the upcoming fiscal year, July 1, 2002 to June 30, 2003. Award of contract is for an initial period of one (1) year with an Owner's option to renew for one (1) additional year. The consultant receiving the award will not have an exclusive contract to perform services for these projects. The university may have additional campus service professionals under contract during the same time period.

Firms desiring to provide professional services shall submit a letter of interest specifying the discipline for which they are applying and a completed State University System "Professional Qualifications Supplement" form or "Construction Manager Qualifications Supplement" for Construction Managers. Proposals must not exceed 40 pages, including the "Professional Qualifications Supplement" and letter of interest. Pages must be numbered consecutively. Submittals that do not comply with these requirements or do not include the requested data will not be considered. No submittal material will be returned.

Attach to each letter of interest:

1. The State University System "Professional Qualifications Supplement," dated September, 1999 completed by the applicant. Applications on any other form will not be considered.
2. A copy of the applicant's current Professional Registration Certificate from the appropriate governing board. An applicant must be properly registered at the time of application to practice its profession in the State of Florida. If the applicant is a corporation, it must be properly chartered by the Florida Department of State to operate in Florida.

Selection of finalists for interview will be made on the basis of professional qualifications, including experience and ability; past experience; design ability; minority participation; volume of work; and distance from project. The plans and specifications for State University System projects are subject to reuse in accordance with the provisions of Section 287.055, Florida Statutes. As required by Section 287.133, Florida Statutes, a consultant may not submit a proposal for this project if it is on the convicted vendor list for a public entity crime committed within the past 36 months. The selected consultant must warrant that it will neither utilize the services of, nor contract with, any supplier, subcontractor, or consultant in excess of \$25,000.00 in connection with this project for a period of 36 months from the date of their being placed on the convicted vendor list.

The State University System "Professional Qualifications Supplement," descriptive project information, and selection criteria may be obtained by contacting: Norma Schnapp, Contracts Administrator, University of South Florida St.