NOTICE OF INTENDED DECISION TO ENTER INTO A SINGLE SOURCE CONTRACT (PUR 7778)

This Notice of Intended Decision to Enter into a Single Source Contract is posted in accordance with Section 287.057(3), Florida Statutes.

AGENCY: Early Learning Coalition of Broward County, Inc.

<u>TITLE</u>: Teachstone CLASS materials and Trainings Short description of the commodity or service desired: CLASS® Materials and Trainings for School Readiness Childcare Program Assessments for providers and staff

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Internal tracking number, if any: DMS Single Source number, if applicable:

Date posted: 6/24/2025 Time posted: 8:30 AM

<u>Commodity or Contractual Service</u> (commodity or United Nation Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC), manufacturer, model, and description, as appropriate): CLASS ® Materials and Trainings for School Readiness Childcare Program Assessments for providers and staff

<u>Requestor</u> (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate): Early Learning Coalition of Broward County, Inc.

<u>Performance and/or Design Requirements</u> (intended use, function or application, compatibility, requirements; reference to policy, rule, statute or other act of the Legislature, as appropriate): CLASS ® Dimension guides CLASS ® Certification Trainings for ELC Staff CLASS ® Score Sheets

Intended Single Source: Teachstone, Inc

<u>Price</u>: \$50,000 <u>Justification for Single Source Purchase</u> (what is necessary and unique about the commodity, contractual service, or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate):

The Division of Early Learning requires all Coalitions to use CLASS ® (Classroom Assessment Scoring System) to conduct program assessments of childcare classrooms in accordance with Florida Statues 1002.82(2)(n) and Rule 6N-4.740, F.A.C. Teachstone, Inc is the sole sourced vendor for the CLASS ® assessment tool, and trainings required to certify its use and all related materials under its trademark.

<u>Approved By</u> (names & titles, as appropriate, e.g., requestor, requestor management, information systems, budget, purchasing):

Early Learning Coalition of Broward County, Inc. Board of Directors June 23, 2025

Failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, or failure to file a bond or other security within the time allowed for filing a bond, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes.