

**UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON SYSTEM
BOARD OF REGENTS AGENDA**

COMMITTEE: Finance and Administration

ITEM: Contract to Provide Bookstore Services for the University of Houston System

DATE PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED: N/A

SUMMARY:

Approval is requested for a Delegation of Authority to the Chancellor to negotiate and execute the master bookstore contract with Barnes and Noble College Booksellers, Inc. upon agreement of the General Terms and Conditions. The existing master bookstore contract with Barnes and Noble College Booksellers, Inc. expires in December 2010. The UH System is re-negotiating its agreement with Barnes and Noble College Booksellers, Inc., the current bookstore service provider, in order to provide funding for the construction of the new Calhoun Loft store, the UH Sugarland Store and the minor renovation of the UH Main and UH Clear Lake stores. The additional stores and the minor renovation of the existing UH Main and UH Clear lake stores is necessary to accommodate the increased student population and to enhance student access throughout the UH System.

FISCAL NOTE:

**SUPPORTING
DOCUMENTATION:**

Barnes and Noble Contract Renewal

ACTION REQUESTED:

Approval

COMPONENT:

University of Houston System

PRESIDENT



DATE

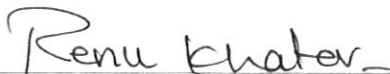
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