

Posting Date: February 11, 2011

INTENT TO AWARD

This is a statement of intent to award a contract and becomes the official statement of award effective 8:00 AM, February 22, 2011, unless otherwise suspended or canceled. Vendors are encouraged not to begin work on the contract or incur any costs associated with the contract prior to the effective date of the contract. The University of South Carolina assumes no liability for any expenses incurred by vendors prior to the effective date of the contract.

Bidder's right to protest as listed in section 11-35-4210 in the South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code applies to this award. Protest to be filed with:

Voight Shealy Chief Procurement Officer 1201 Main Street Suite 600

Columbia, SC 29201

Solicitation Number: USC-RFP-1844-CJ

Issue Date: November 11, 2010

Opening Date: November 30, 2010

Description: Provide Professional Education Consulting Services

Initial Contract Term: February 23, 2011 through February 22, 2012 Maximum Contract Term: February 23, 2011 through February 22, 2016

Estimated Potential Value of Contract: \$245,850.00

Awarded To: Chernoff Newman, LLC

ATTN: Mark Newsome/David Campbell

1411 Gervais Street, 5th Floor

Columbia, SC 29201

Charles C. Johnson, II.

Charles C. Johnson, III Procurement Manager