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Linda Snyder Executive Director Massachusetts State College Building Authority 136 Lincoln Street Boston, MA 02111

Re: <u>Single Selection Method Procedures for Procurement of Design and</u> Construction Services, revision date November 2, 2004

Dear Ms. Snyder:

Pursuant to Chapter 193 of the Acts of 2004, Section 30, which amends Chapter 703 of the Acts of 1963, the Office of the Inspector General has reviewed the Massachusetts State College Building Authority's (Authority) procedures, dated November 2, 2004, to be used for procurement of design and construction services. Specifically, the law requires this Office to review the Authority's procedures to determine whether they are consistent with the statutory requirements specified in Sections 21A - 21I, inclusive of Chapter 703 of the Acts of 1963 as amended. Based on this Office's review, the Authority's procedures appear consistent with the statute and the Office hereby approves the use of the procedures for one year.

Please feel free to call Mary Kolesar, Senior Analyst, Legal and Public Policy Division, if you have any comments or questions.

Sincerely,

Gregory W. Sullivan

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