



Jon J. P. Fernandez  
Superintendent of Education

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
OFFICE OF SUPPLY MANAGEMENT**

[www.gdoe.net](http://www.gdoe.net)  
501 Mariner Avenue, Suite 116  
Barrigada, Guam 96913  
Telephone: (671) 475-0438/Fax: (671) 472-5001



Carmen T. Charfauros  
Supply Management Administrator

**AMENDMENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM**

**IFB 009-2022  
Handwashing Sinks, Bottle Filling Stations and Accessories  
AMENDMENT No. 1**

March 02, 2022

Please review the attached document. (All Notice/Amendments can be reviewed on our website)  
Please sign **this acknowledgement page and only return this page**, attention to **BRIDNEY M. BORJA** via fax (671) 472-5001 or e-mail to: [bmborja@gdoe.net](mailto:bmborja@gdoe.net)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, an authorized representative of the company named below,  
acknowledge receipt of **AMENDMENT No. 1**, for **IFB 009-2022 Handwashing Sinks, Bottle  
Filling Stations and Accessories** Number of pages 3 (including this coversheet).

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Company Name (Print)**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Print Name**

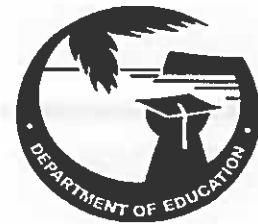
\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Time and Date**



**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
OFFICE OF SUPPLY MANAGEMENT**

[www.gdoe.net](http://www.gdoe.net)  
501 Mariner Avenue, Suite 116  
Barrigada, Guam 96913  
Telephone: (671) 475-0438/Fax: (671) 472-5001



JON J.P. FERNANDEZ  
Superintendent of Education

CARMEN T. CHARFAUROS  
Supply Management Administrator

March 02, 2022

**AMENDMENT 1**

**Prospective Bidder:**

Kindly refer to our **Invitation for Bid, IFB 009-2022 Handwashing Sinks, Bottle Filling Stations and Accessories**, a copy of which was obtained by your company for consideration.

GDOE will be responding to questions received.

**Pacific Waste**

1. Please confirm if existing Water Refill Stations are to remain.  
***GDOE Response: Please refer back to the Scope of Work in the IFB that states water fountains will be replaced.***
2. Should a non-GFCI/WP Electrical outlet is present, please confirm that replacement into a GFCI/WP Outlet is considered. Outdoor outlets should be GFCI.  
***GDOE Response: Yes a non-GFCI/WP electrical outlet is present.***
3. For the exposed water pipes that are PVCs, would you consider the recommendation to replace them with Copper Pipes?  
***GDOE Response: Yes, this will be considered.***
4. For maintenance purposes, would you consider the recommendation of installing individual gate valve or shut off valve for the Bottle Filling Station and Handwash Sinks' waterlines respectively?  
***GDOE Response: GDOE will allow for ball valves, not gate valves.***

**JWS Refrigeration & Air Conditioning, Ltd.**

5. Due to time constraint for site assessment on all 41 schools, can the installation be based on "basic" installation to provide water, power and drain within 6ft? A change order will apply after the 6ft range?  
***GDOE Response: Based on the Scope of Work, power, water and drain are readily accessible for existing water fountains.***
6. If an extension is approved based on the cause and reasons of manufacturer's delay, would liquidated damages apply?  
***GDOE Response: Due to availability of the funds, extension will not be considered unless both parties are in agreement.***
7. Payment terms: Could the contractor be allowed to submit progress billing e.g. deposit plus progress billing? If not, could the contractor submit invoice/billing separately for completed install per school?  
***GDOE Response :Invoices can be submitted based on services rendered. Please refer to page 8, section 3.2.9 of the IFB.***
8. May we clarify the terms and condition: Price to be valid for 90 day.  
***GDOE Response: Please refer to Page 6, section 3.1.7 of the IFB speaks about irrevocable bid prices and that pricing should remain valid for at least 90 days after the deadline for submission and once awarded, throughout the term of the bid.***

9. Delivery and installation for one year and can extend for 3 more months?

**GDOE Response:** *GDOE will be denying the request to extend the delivery of goods for a total of 15 months.*

**Benson Guam Ent. Inc.**

10. For Item 1. Bottle Filling Station & Single ADA Cooler: Are all the 191 units to be installed on location with existing water fountain; with working water and drainage currently available?

**GDOE Response:** *Yes, the 191 units will be installed on location with existing water fountain with working water and drainage currently available.*

11. And no new water line or drainage line need to be installed? If there is, please advise how many and which schools.

**GDOE Response:** *No new water line or drainage line will need to be installed. Retrofit installation is expected to connect new units to the existing lines.*

12. Is it correct that the contractor will just remove the existing unit and install the new bottle filling stations in its place, and turn over the removed units to each respective school?

**GDOE Response:** *This statement is correct.*

13. For Item 3. In Wall Carrier (Single) Mounting System: Are these wall carrier to be installed only as needed and those not in used will be turn over to the GDOE central warehouse?

**GDOE Response:** *All units will be installed at the 40 identified GDOE Schools.*

14. For Item 4. Elkay Wall Mounted Hand Washing Station: Are all the 141 units need new water and drainage line? If not all, please advise which schools. Can you provide a map of each school identifying the source of water where the new water line can be connected and also where the closest drainage connecting point will be?

**GDOE Response:** *No new water or drainage lines needed. Retrofit installation is expected to connect new units to the existing lines therefore no maps are necessary.*

15. For Item 9. Tri-fold paper towel dispenser: Do you need the contractor to install these dispensers?

**GDOE Response:** *Yes, the contractor will need to install the paper towel dispensers.*

16. We would like to request for site visit to the schools, please advise a schedule and contact persons.

**GDOE Response:** *Please refer to page 4, section 2.3 Site Visits and Attachments A – School Directory and Distribution List that is provided with the IFB.*

All else remains the same.

Sincerely,



CARMEN T. CHARFAUROS  
Supply Management Administrator