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and consultations by the Indian Education Committee(s), tribal representatives, Indian parents in the community, and by duly authorized representatives of the Federal and State Governments.

- (h) Outline procedures of administrative and fiscal management to be used by the contractor.
- (i) Contain justification for requesting funds for operational support. The public school district must establish in its justification that it meets the requirements given in §273.13(b). The information given should include records of receipt of local, State, and Federal funds.
- (j) Include budget estimates and financial information needed to determine program costs to contract for services. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:
- (1) State and district average operational cost per pupil.
- (2) Other sources of Federal funding the applicant is receiving, the amount received from each, the programs being funded, and the number of eligible Indian students served by such funding.
- (3) Administrative costs involved, total number of employees, and total number of Indian employees.
- (4) Costs which parents normally are expected to pay for each school.
- (5) Supplemental and operational funds outlined in a separate budget, by line item, to facilitate accountability.
- (6) Total number of employees for each special program and number of Indian employees for that program.
- (k) State the total enrollment of school or district, by age and grade
- (l) State the eligible Indian enrollment—total and classification by tribal affiliation(s) and by age and grade level.
- (m) State the total number of school board members and number of Indian school board members.
- (n) List Government equipment needed to carry out the contract.
- (o) State the period of contract term requested.
- (p) Include the signature of the authorized representative of applicant.
- (q) Provide written information regarding:

- (1) Program goals and objectives related to the learning needs of potential target students.
- (2) Procedures and methods to be used in achieving program objectives, including ways whereby parents, students and communities have been involved in determining needs and priorities.
- (3) Overall program implementation including staffing practices, parental and community involvement, evaluation of program results, and dissemination thereof.
- (4) Determination of staff and program effectiveness in meeting the stated needs of target students.

§ 273.19 Obtaining application forms.

Application forms, instructions, and related application materials are available from Agency Superintendents, Area Directors and the Commissioner. Use of standard application forms will facilitate processing of applications. However, they are not required if the information required by §273.20 is given in the application to contract.

§ 273.20 Content of application to contract.

An application for a contract under this part shall be in writing and shall contain the following:

- (a) Name, address, and telephone number of the proposed contractor.
- (b) Name, address, and telephone number of the tribe(s) to be served by the contract.
- (c) Descriptive narrative of the contract proposal.
- (d) The education plan required by §273.14.
- (e) A separate budget outlining the Johnson-O'Malley funds for operational support and/or supplemental programs, by line item, to facilitate accountability.
- (f) A clear identification of what educational needs the Johnson-O'Malley funds requested for operational support will address.
- (g) Documentation of the requirements for operational support in §273.13(b)(1).

§ 273.21 Tribal request for contract.

(a) An Indian tribal governing body(s) that desires that a contract be