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Decision: Procurement Authorization Amendments: Wheel-Trans Sedan Meter-Based and Accessible Taxi Services Contracts

At its meeting of July 12, 2017, the Board approved the recommendations in the staff report, amended as follows:

1. Authorize amendments to increase the upset limits of the two Sedan Meter-Based Taxi Service Contracts as follows:
  - a. Contract No. C34PZ14797, Associated Toronto Taxi-Cab Co-operative Limited, in the amount of \$26,000,000 inclusive of all applicable taxes, increasing the total upset limit from \$40,000,000 to \$66,000,000; and
  - b. Contract No. C34PZ14798, Beck Taxi Ltd., in the amount of \$41,000,000 inclusive of all applicable taxes, increasing the total upset limit from \$40,000,000 to \$81,000,000.
2. Authorize amendments to the upset limits of the four Wheel-Trans Accessible Taxi Services Contracts in the total amount of \$96,000,000 inclusive of all applicable taxes, increasing the total upset limit from \$120,000,000 to \$216,000,000 and delegate authority to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) to distribute the subject increases within the revised upset limit amount but such allocation shall not decrease the current service levels being provided by the contractors as of July 1, 2017.
3. Delegate authority to the CEO to negotiate the contractors' margin on the Accessible Taxi Service Contracts based on the revised upset limits and the capacity to redistribute funds between the Sedan Meter-Based Taxi Service Contracts and the Accessible Taxi Service Contracts if required.
4. Staff report back on the benefits of side-door loading versus back door loading accessible vehicles.