

**TO: Workforce Investment Board**

**DATE: 5/23/02**

**FROM: WIB Staff**

- For Action**
- For Information**
- Meeting Notes**

**SUBJECT: Business Education Alliance Update**

**PROPOSED MOTION(S): Information**

**DISCUSSION: On March 26, 2002, the Merced County Board of Supervisors approved a contract in the amount of \$58,500 between the WIB and Merced College. The contract called for a joint effort between the Motorola Corporation and the Merced County Business and Education Alliance, with Merced College serving as the fiscal agent for the Alliance.**

**On April 25, 2002, the Director, Private Industry Training Department received a letter from Dr. Allen Grimsby, Vice President Student Personnel Services, Merced College, which is quoted in part".... As a result of the alliance decision to terminate its relationship with Mortorola, the terms of the contract cannot be met. Therefore, I am requesting that action be taken by the Board of Supervisors to cancel the contract as written...."**

**The contract is currently pending cancellation by the Board of Supervisors.**

**ATTACHMENT(S):**