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**JUSTIFICATION AND APPROVAL
 FOR USE OF SOLE SOURCE**

1. Identification of Agency and Contracting Activity.

The requiring activity is the U.S. Navy Exchange Service Command (NEXCOM). The contracting activity is the U.S. Navy Naval Supply Systems Command Fleet Logistics Center, Norfolk, VA (NAVSUP FLC Norfolk).

2. Description of the Action Being Approved.

The Government intends to modify commercial firm fixed price indefinite delivery requirements contract N00189-15-D-G001 on a sole source basis with Propper International Sales, Inc., 17 Research Park Drive, Suite 100, Weldon Spring MO 63304-8621 (Propper) for the provisioning of cold weather parkas.

3. Description of Supplies/Services.

Contract N00189-15-D-G001 was awarded to Propper on a sole source basis on 13 May 2015 for the provisioning of cold weather parkas to NEXCOM to be sold in NEXCOM's uniform shops. The current contract and its orders are summarized as follows:

Period	Dates	Estimated Quantity	Unit Price	Estimate	# of Orders	Amount
Base	13 May 2015 - 30 November 2015	150				
Option 1 – Exercised	01 December 2015 - 30 November 2016	150				
			Subtotal			
Option 2 - Unexercised	01 December 2016 - 30 November 2017	150				
			Total			

This justification and approval documents the Government's intention to modify the current contract to exercise its Option 2 ordering period early, add Option 3 and Option 4 ordering periods and increase the estimated value of the contract as follows:

Period	Dates	Estimated Quantity	Unit Price	Estimate	# of Orders	Amount
Base	13 May 2015 - 30 November 2015	150				
Option 1 – Exercised	01 December 2015 - 30 November 2016	150				
			Current Subtotal			
Option 2 - Exercised	01 August 2016 - 31 July 2017	600				
Option 3 - Unexercised	01 August 2017 - 31 July 2018	700				
Option 4 - Unexercised	01 August 2017 - 30 November 2018	700				
			Increase Subtotal			
			Total			

Source Selection Information – See FAR 2.101 and 3.104

Based on the information above, the estimated value of this justification and approval is [REDACTED] (The increase from the original contract's estimated value of [REDACTED] to the new estimated value of [REDACTED])

The ordering office under the contract will remain NEXCOM and the contract will continue to utilize non-appropriated funds for the placement of orders.

4. Statutory Authority Permitting Sole Source.

41 USC 1901(e)(2) - a sole source acquisition under the authority of the test program for certain commercial items, as implemented by Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 13.501(a).

5. Rationale Justifying Use of Cited Statutory Authority.

Popper is the only source certified by the U.S. Navy Clothing, Textile and Research Facility (NCTRF) to manufacture the cold weather parka uniform item for the U.S. Navy and NCTRF certification is required for all Navy uniform items.

6. Description of Efforts Made to Solicit Offers from as Many Offerors as Practicable.

The Government intends to make this justification publicly available in accordance with the requirements of FAR 5.102(a)(6) and FAR 13.501(a)(1)(iv).

7. Determination of Fair and Reasonable Cost.

The contracting officer will determine that the price for the cold weather parkas is fair and reasonable prior to contract award.

8. Actions to Remove Barriers to Future Competition.

NEXCOM has conducted extensive market research to identify potential sources for the cold weather parkas. This market research has concluded that Popper is the only source for these parkas.

9. Contracting Point of Contact.

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