"Sole Source Documentation – SAP" or "Limited Source Justification – FSS"

1. THE INTENDED USE OF THE MATERIAL OR SERVICE

The [redacted] has three (3) Low Pressure Air Compressor's onboard. The NR 1 LPAC has experienced a CATEGORY 2 Casualty and the other two LPAC's are degraded. All three of these LPAC's have a need to be repaired in the ships [redacted]. These casualties and degradations threaten the viability and redundancy of the entire low pressure air system that supplies vital low pressure air for boiler control, electrical generation and other required systems onboard ship. The current material condition of the LKPAC's reduces the material and mission readiness of the ship. The ship is currently operating at less than full capability and does not meet requirements of being fully operational in accordance with fleet requirements. This culminates in a potential for the ship to NOT be able to meet its operational commitments.

2. THE CRITICAL OR UNIQUE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE MATERIAL OR SERVICE WHICH ARE MANDATORY FOR THE INTENDED USE:

The [redacted] This short notice availability requires the services of the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) in CONUS to accomplish repairs. The OEM contractor shall provide all labor and tools to accomplish the rigging, repair and operational testing of the ships three LPAC's. Contractor shall perform this repair [redacted] during the availability period.

3. REASONS WHY ONLY THE SELECTED SOURCE CAN FURNISH THE REQUIREMENTS TO THE EXCLUSION OF ALL OTHER SOURCES. PLEASE INCLUDE PROPRIETARY STATEMENT FROM VENDOR OR PATENT NUMBER IF APPLICABLE:

In accordance with FAR part 13.106-1(b) Soliciting from a Single Source, RIX Industries of Benicia, California is the only source capable of accomplishing this requirement. This contractor is the sole RIX Industriesnd licensed service and repair facility that services the Asia Pacific region. RIX Industries has the immediate capacity, the requisite skill, experience, and familiarity with the depot level removal, overhaul and installation of RIX Industries manufactured air compressors used onboard U.S. Navy ships. RIX Industries is the sole contractor under contract to the United States Navy to service, repair and maintain both an on-hand supply of repair kits and a rotable pool of RIX Industries air compressors (low, medium and high pressure) of the same makes and models used onboard U.S. Navy vessels. They have the ability to respond on very short notice for mobilizing the material and labor requirements. They have the experience and past quality performance to complete this job. Under the above circumstances and the urgent nature of the repair work, it is impractical to compete this requirement. Therefore, it is recommended this action [redacted] be negotiated on a sole source basis with RIX Industries to ensure [redacted] can meet it's operational requirements.

4. ADDITIONAL JUSTIFICATION/COMMENTS: NONE

REQUIRING ACTIVITY DEPT. HEAD/COMMANDING OFFICER	~~NAVSUP FLC PUGET~~ CONTRACTING OFFICER
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Signature 28 JUL 11 Date	Signature 7/28/11 Date
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