

JUSTIFICATION FOR SOLE SOURCE (SAP <\$100k)

Ref: FAR 13.106 and NAVSUP 4200.85D Chapter 5 Para. 2.b.(5)

The service or material listed on (PR number) 1300459999 and (Document number) N5014115PR00003 is sole source and competition must be restricted to one source, or to only one brand name for reasons indicated below. There are no substitutes available for this material.

Restricted to the following source or brand name. Provide original manufacturer's name. (If a sole source manufacturer distributes via dealers, ALSO provide dealer information.)

Manufacturer: PITNEY BOWES INC
Manufacturer POC & Phone Nr. GOVERNMENT CUSTOMER SUPPORT, (518)-285-6802
Mfr. Address 1 ELMCROFT RD, STAMFORD CT 06926-0700
Manufacturers Dealer/Rep VAL CUCCURULLO
Dealer/Rep Address/Phone Number 1 ELMCROFT RD, STAMFORD CT 06926-0700, (757)-963-5086

X Description of the item or service required, the estimated cost, and required delivery date.

Equipment Maintenance Agreement (EMA) with Pitney Bowes to provide service or emergency repair, parts on an as needed basis for any Pitney Bowes equipment not covered under our Service Level Agreement (SLA). PR amount (b) (5) Required Delivery Date: 25 OCT 2014. Period of Performance 25 OCT 14-11 DEC 14.

X Specific characteristics of the material or service that limit the availability to a sole source or particular brand name (unique features, function of the item, etc.). Describe in detail why only this suggested source can furnish the requirements to the exclusion of other sources.

Pitney Bowes is authorized to service OEM Equipment.

X The requested material or service represents the minimum requirements of the government

CHECK & FILL IN ALL APPLICABLE BLANKS BELOW

X The material/service must be compatible in all aspects (form, fit and function) with existing systems presently installed. Describe the equipment you have now and how the new item/service must coordinate, connect, or interface with the existing system. This EMA is from the same source and company as our current Mail Metering and processing equipment vendor used in our Consolidated Mail Facility, NBK Bangor, NS Everett and NAS Whidbey Island mailrooms. The vendor has technicians and parts support available for Pitney Bowes Equipment.

 A patent, copyright, or proprietary data limits competition. The proprietary data is:

X These are "direct replacements" parts/components for existing brand name equipment.

X Other information to support a sole-source buy:
All of the NAVSUP FLCPS Code 400PM mail metering and processing equipment was purchased from Pitney Bowes. Pitney Bowes provides the labor/technical support, replacement of defective parts, maintenance and updates to the software on our equipment.

I CERTIFY THAT STATEMENTS CHECKED, AND INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE, ARE COMPLETE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE PROCESSING OF THIS SOLE-SOURCE JUSTIFICATION PRECLUDES THE USE OF FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION.

(b) (6)
Signature _____ Activity NAVSUP FLCPS CODE 400PM
Title POSTAL OPERATIONS MANAGER Date 21 OCTOBER 2014

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Contracting Officer Signature _____ Date 10-30-14
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