

SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION  
(ACQUISITIONS >MICRO-PURCHASE THRESHOLD/<SIMPLIFIED ACQUISITION  
THRESHOLD)

1. REQUISITION NUMBER: N62306-9089-9E85
2. ESTIMATED VALUE: \$25,000.00
3. A description of requirement (include detail of individual items, along with quantities): **To maintain existing 2020/3030 AUV sidescan sonar and imagery processing Software used to process, analyze, and display environmental and oceanographic data.**
4. Proposed contractor: Highland Solutions, Inc..
5. A discussion as to why only one source or one product is reasonably available to provide the Navy's requirements due to the nature and circumstances of this proposed acquisition (i.e. statements such as "only known source" or "only source which can meet the required delivery date" are insufficient to support a sole source purchase). In the event there is urgency associated with the requirement, provide details of the urgency, including required delivery/performance date, impact if delivery/performance schedule is not met, why was there not sufficient time allowed to preclude processing requirement on an urgent basis: **The original software was purchased from Highland Solutions, Inc., and the maintenance for the software can only be purchased through Highland Solutions, Inc., the developer of**  
*software.*
6. A description of the market survey conducted and the results or a statement of the reasons a market survey was not conducted: **An internet market survey search was conducted. Due to proprietary nature of software, no other software maintenance support is available.**
7. A statement of the actions, if any, the NAVOCEANO may take to remove or overcome any barriers to competition before any subsequent acquisition for the supplies or services required:

Technical Cognizance (Program Manager)

 <u>John James</u>	<u>N94/689-8094</u>	<u>30 March 2009</u>
NAME	CODE/Phone	DATE

Division Director

<u>Randy White</u>	<u>N94</u>	<u>30 March 2009</u>
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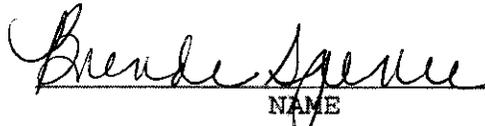
Competition Advocate

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CONCUR Yes  NO  (If no, provide rationale or exceptions)

APPROVAL

Contracting Officer

 <u>Brenda Spence</u>	<u>N12</u>	<u>2 April 2009</u>
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