



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
 NAVAL FACILITIES ENGINEERING COMMAND
 SPECIALTY CENTER ACQUISITIONS NAVFAC
 CODE AQ00/NAVAL BASE VENTURA COUNTY
 1205 MILL ROAD BUILDING 850
 PORT HUENEME CA 93043-4347

IN REPLY REFER TO:

JA-11-013

**JUSTIFICATION AND APPROVAL FOR OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN
 COMPETITION**

1. Contracting Activity.

The requiring activity is Naval Facilities Engineering Command Information Technology Center (NITC) Port Hueneme, CA. The contracting activity is Specialty Center Acquisitions, NAVFAC (SCAN), Port Hueneme, CA. The SCAN point of contact is [REDACTED] who can be reached at [REDACTED]

2. Description of the Action Being Approved.

Approval is sought to obtain authority to use other than full and open competition to procure Sun/Oracle Tape Drive expansion.

This authority would limit competition to authorized Oracle/Sun Resellers.

3. Description of Supplies/Services.

- Two (2), LTO4-IB4FCSL500-N – LTO4 Tape Drives
- One (1), SL500K-DEM-1/3 – Expansion module
- Two (2), SL500K-DEM SLOTS – Slot Upgrade
- One (1), EISSL500EXPMOD-E – Module Installation
- Two (2), EIS-LTO4TDRV-E – Drive Installation
- One (1) Q-PREM-SPRT-SYS Maintenance Support

Estimated Dollar Value:

	FY11	FY12	FY13	Total
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

4. Statutory Authority Permitting Other Than Full and Open Competition.

Authority for the use of a brand name when the supplies or services required by the agency are available from only one responsible source, from only one or a limited number of responsible sources and no other type of supplies or services will satisfy agency requirements, full and open competition need not be provided for is found at FAR 6.302-1(a)(2).

5. Rationale Justifying Use of Cited Statutory Authority.

FAR subpart 6.302-1(c) states an acquisition that uses a brand name description or other purchase description to specify a particular brand name, product, or feature for a product, peculiar to one manufacturer does not provide for full and open competition regardless of the number of sources solicited.

The NITC hosting center currently owns and maintains one Oracle/Sun Storage-Tek 5000 tape backup device controller that is used to support backup operations for all applications hosted at NITC. The backup throughput capacity of this device has reached capacity and must be expanded to meet backup requirements of all existing applications. NITC will meet resource requirements by expanding the number of tape drives loaded into the device controller. The Storage-Tek 5000 is currently covered by a maintenance agreement that would become void if Oracle/Sun parts are not used or unauthorized technicians perform this requirement. Oracle/Sun has determined that only the listed part numbers can be used to maintain both the warranty and existing operation of our processes. As a result, Oracle/Sun is the only available source to acquire the proper hardware. Attempts to acquire the same hardware support through open competition would likely result in substantial cost to the government. Because only Oracle/Sun tape drives are compatible with the existing Storage-Tek 5000, NITC must specify Oracle Sun as the required brand name. No other products meet the agency's need.

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

Competition would include at least three (3) Oracle/Sun Resellers.

7. Determination of Fair and Reasonable Cost:

The Contracting Officer will determine fair and reasonable proposed cost to the government of the supplies/services covered by this J&A using price analysis techniques described in FAR Part 15.

8. Actions to Remove Barriers to Future Competition:

For future requirements the Navy will reassess the market to determine whether or not another competitive source has emerged.

CERTIFICATIONS AND APPROVAL

TECHNICAL and REQUIREMENTS CERTIFICATION

I certify that the facts and representations under my cognizance which are included in this Justification and its supporting acquisition planning documents, except as noted herein are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.


Signature Name (Printed) Phone No. Date

CONTRACTING OFFICER

I certify that this Justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.


Signature Name (Printed)