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 COMMERCIAL ACQUISITION, BUILDING 11
 NAVAL UNDERSEA WARFARE CENTER DIVISION, NEWPORT
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 NEWPORT RI 02841-1708

IN REPLY REFER TO:

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 Control #: 130071
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**JUSTIFICATION AND APPROVAL
 FOR USE OF OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION**

JUSTIFICATION AND APPROVAL

1. Contracting Activity

The Naval Sea Systems Command, Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division Newport (NUWC DIVNPT), Commercial Acquisition, Newport, RI.

2. Description of Action Being Approved

Request approval to specify brand name products, no substitutions allowed, for IT hardware. This hardware is for use in the NUWC DIVNPT Submarine Local Area (SubLAN) lab.

3. Description of Supplies/Services

Estimated Dollar Value	
	Estimate (Single hardware delivery in early FY13)
NUWC CIP	

The SubLAN engineering team at NUWC DIVNPT has received additional tasking from the SubLAN Program Office, SPAWAR SYSCEN – Pacific, (San Diego). In response to the additional tasking, SubLAN engineering team has an immediate, critical requirement to expand and refresh the complement of shipboard model equipment racks in the SubLAN Development, Test, & Integration Lab facility, located in Bldg 1259 at NUWC DIVNPT. Accordingly, the SubLAN Lab requires the following hardware and software (the following are minimum requirements):

Manufacturer	Part Number	Description	QTY
1. CRYSTAL	CMS-00096	HIGH PERFORMANCE WORKSTATIONS	50

In the above configurations, items that are sole make and model with no substitutions allowed and each associated estimated price is as follows:

Component	Qty	Unit Cost	Extended Cost
CRYSTAL CMS-00096 HIGH PERFORMANCE WORKSTATIONS	50		
SHIPPING COSTS	1		
Total			

The Government’s minimum needs were verified by the certifying technical and requirements personnel.

4. Statutory Authority Permitting Other Than Full and Open Competition

10 U.S.C. 2304 (c) (1) - No Other Supplies or Services Will Satisfy Agency Requirements. – Specifically, Sole Make and Model particular to one manufacturer.

5. Rationale Justifying Use of Cited Statutory Authority

For all items in this procurement, the make and model numbers are vital. The Crystal workstations listed above are used in afloat SubLAN configurations, and so are the only acceptable high performance workstation model items for use in the SubLAN Development, Test, Build & Integration and In-Service-Engineering Support (ISEA) facility. These systems are SubLAN (AN/USQ-177(V) series) assets and support the development, testing fielding and sustainment of SubLAN capabilities fielded to the submarine community. These systems must be maintained in the Program of Record (PoR) managed configuration. Failure to maintain these systems in the PoR managed configuration compromises their value as test platforms and as Fleet support assets. The Crystal works stations being procured must be the identical models to shipboard workstations in order to support building software packages for shipboard systems that are carried to the submarines for installation, weekly certification of Information Assurance (IA) patches for submarine systems and to test and certify all network user systems and software applications. If the laboratory machines are not identical, these critical activities cannot be conducted.

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

This acquisition will be posted via Navy Enterprise Commerce Online (NECO) and Federal Business Opportunities (FedBizOpps) as a 100% small business set-aside (full and open competition after exclusion of sources).

7. Determination of Fair and Reasonable Costs

The Contracting Officer will determine the cost to the Government for the supplies/services covered by this J&A are fair and reasonable based on adequate price competition among resellers.

8. Actions to Remove Barriers to Competition

This acquisition is a one-time purchase of hardware, with no follow-on purchase anticipated. The compatibility requirements of this IT hardware do not allow for substitution of another manufacturer's products for the items listed as sole make and model items in paragraph 3, above.

III. IDENTITY OF NEGOTIATOR.

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IV. APPROVAL SIGNATURES:

A. CONTRACTING OFFICER CERTIFICATION REQUIRED BY FAR 6.303-2(a)(12)

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

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B. TECHNICAL AND REQUIREMENTS CERTIFICATION REQUIRED BY FAR 6.303-2(b)

I certify that the facts and representations under my cognizance, which are included in this justification and its supporting data, including Acquisition Plan (No. N/A) except as noted herein, are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(1) TECHNICAL COGNIZANCE

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(2) REQUIREMENTS COGNIZANCE

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C. LEGAL SUFFICIENCY REVIEW (NMCARS 5206.303(90))

I have determined this justification is legally sufficient



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D. COMPETITION ADVOCATE REVIEW AND APPROVAL (FAR 6.502 AND 6.304)

Upon the basis of the above justification, I hereby approve, the solicitation of the proposed procurement(s) using other than full and open competition, pursuant to the authority of 10 USC 2304(c)(1).

Denise Abraham NUWCDIVNPT Competition Advocate
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