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

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Requisition/PD# N0038315X4204

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**1. CONTRACTING ACTIVITY:** DLA Aviation Strategic Acquisition at Philadelphia, PA

**2. DESCRIPTION OF THE ACTION BEING APPROVED:** Negotiation and award of a contract through other than full and open competition.

**3. DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES/SERVICES:** This J&A covers the acquisition of the following article(s):

Nomen: GEARBOX ASSEMBLY,AI Quantity: [REDACTED]  
NSN: 1680 01-492-1441 VH CAGE Code: 78286  
P/N: 70357-06300-044 Unit Price: [REDACTED]  
Estimated Value (include option): [REDACTED] The required delivery date is: [REDACTED]  
Ship To: DoDAAC Q90069  
Line of Accounting  
97 00 XX XX 4930 NC1A 000 85004 0 050120 7R 000000 7PPY00000000

**4. STATUTORY AUTHORITY PERMITTING OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION:** This J&A is based upon the authority of 10 USC 2304(c)(1), one source or limited sources, as implemented by FAR 6.302-1.

**5. RATIONALE JUSTIFYING USE OF CITED STATUTORY AUTHORITY:**

The current Acquisition Method Code/Acquisition Method Suffix Code (AMC/AMSC) is:    multiple codes see pg 2 for definitions

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AMC 3. Acquire, for the second or subsequent time, directly from the actual manufacturer.

AMSC C. This part requires engineering source approval by the design control activity in order to maintain the quality of the part. Existing unique design capability, engineering skills, and manufacturing knowledge by the qualified source(s) require acquisition of the part from the approved source(s). The approved source(s) retain data rights, manufacturing knowledge, or technical data that are not economically available to the Government, and the data or knowledge is essential to maintaining the quality of the part. An alternate source must qualify in accordance with the design control activity's procedures, as approved by the cognizant Government engineering activity. The qualification procedures must be approved by the Government engineering activity having jurisdiction over the part in the intended application.

This acquisition will be negotiated with: SIKORSKY AIRCRAFT CORPORATION

The subject item is a critical item, part, assembly, installation or production system with one or more critical or critical safety characteristics that if missing or not conforming to the design data, quality requirements or overhaul and maintenance documentation would result in an unsafe condition that could cause loss or serious damage to the end item or major components, loss of control, or death to personnel. Only NAVAIR can approve critical sources. The approval process involves inspection and review of manufacturing techniques, special skills, qualifications, and knowledge required to complete the complex procedures. NAVAIR engineering is responsible for this process. For these reasons NAVSUP WSS is presently unable to fully compete this item. At this time no other commercial facilities have the expertise, facilities or the test equipment necessary to produce this item other than Sikorsky Aircraft Corporation (78286) due to the proprietary drawing owned by Sikorsky Aircraft Corporation (78286) that are essential in the production of this item.

**6. DESCRIPTION OF EFFORTS MADE TO SOLICIT OFFERS FROM AS MANY OFFERORS AS PRACTICABLE:** The proposed contract action was synopsised and included a Sources Sought Notice on the FedBizOpps website for government-wide point of entry on

Aug 27, 2015

and as a result:

No interest was received for this part number.

Market Research was conducted in accordance with FAR part 10. The results of the Market Research conducted (or the reason market research was not conducted) is as follows:

The NAVSUP Weapon Systems Support (WSS) Source Development Department (SDD) has conducted a market research per the market research document. The subject Gearbox Assembly is a Critical Safety Item (CSI) and all alternate sources must qualify IAW the design control activity's procedures, as approved by NAVAIR prior to contract award. Available data including all publications, supporting test equipment availability and associated drawings and specifications required to manufacture the subject item are not available to purchase from other than the current approved source of supply Sikorsky Aircraft Corporation (78286). Data review discloses that all the manufacturing data including all manufacturing manuals, publications, associated drawings and specifications required to manufacture and maintain the quality of the subject item are not in Government possession and cannot be economically obtained. Without the manufacturing data it is not possible for any other source to manufacture the subject item. No other company has access to the manufacturing data that would enable them to manufacture the subject item. The government does not possess the manufacturing data necessary to support full and open competition. No other sources have currently expressed an interest in becoming an approved manufacturing source for the subject item to the Source Development Department. To promote competition the NAVSUP WSS will continue to encourage manufacturers with the expertise to manufacture the subject item to submit a complete technical data package for review and source approval by the appropriate engineering source approval authority per the (WSS) guidelines. Also future requirements will be advertised in the FedBizOpps website ([www.fedbizops.gov](http://www.fedbizops.gov)) in order to encourage potential suppliers to submit Source Approval Requests.

**7. DETERMINATION OF FAIR AND REASONABLE COST:** The contracting officer determines that the anticipated cost to the Government of the supplies covered by this J&A will be fair and reasonable.

**8. ACTIONS TO REMOVE BARRIERS TO FUTURE COMPETITION:**

For reasons set forth in Paragraph (5) & (6), NAVSUP WSS has no plans at this time to compete future contracts for the types of supplies/ services covered by this document. To promote competition the NAVSUP WSS will continue to encourage manufacturers with the expertise to manufacture the subject item to submit a complete technical data package for review and source approval by the appropriate engineering source approval authority per the (WSS) guidelines. Also future requirements will be advertised in the

FedBizOps website ([www.fedbizops.gov](http://www.fedbizops.gov)) in order to encourage potential suppliers to submit Source Approval Requests. If another potential manufacturing source emerges, NAVSUP WSS will assess whether competition for future requirements is feasible.

**9. REFERENCE TO THE APPROVED ACQUISITION PLAN:**

An informal / formal acquisition plan is / is not required for this acquisition.

Source Selection Information - See FAR 2.101 & 3.104

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**CERTIFICATIONS AND APPROVAL**  
**TECHNICAL/REQUIREMENTS CERTIFICATION**

I certify that the facts and representations under my cognizance which are included in this Justification and which form a basis for this justification are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief

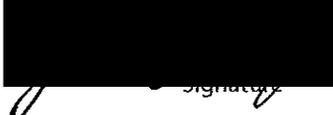
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 John P. Goss  
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 Erin Warren  
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Oct 6, 2015

**COMPETITION ADVOCATE REVIEW AND CONCURRENCE**

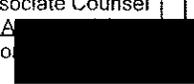
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**CONTRACTING OFFICER CERTIFICATION**

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

 D. M. HENDERSON  
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CONTRACTING OFFICER 12/2/2015

**LEGAL SUFFICIENCY REVIEW**

 Sharif T. Dawson, Esq.  
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DLA  12/2/15

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**Approval Levels:**

\$150,000 - \$700,000:	Contracting Officer
Over \$700,000 - \$13,500,000:	Competition Advocate
Over \$13,500,000 - \$93,000,000:	HCA
Over \$93,000,000:	DLA SPE