

JUSTIFICATION FOR SOLE SOURCE (SAP <\$150k)

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

The service or material listed on (Document number) 6081-9590/9591 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: A&A Company
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Manufacturers Dealer/Rep N/A
Dealer/Rep Address/Phone Number N/A Phone: N/A

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

This requirement is for A&A Company to perform plasma spraying of a Seawolf Class retractable bow plane (RRP) extend/retract cylinder rod per NAVSEA approved procedure (LAR SWPY 4260 refers), in support of (b) (7)(F) Work to be performed at vendor's site. Total cost is approximately (b) (5) Required Date: 9/1/16

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.

The process for plasma spraying these components is complex and the A&A company was the company who developed this process in conjunction with Pennsylvania State University and NAVSEA. This procedure is currently a proprietary process. They are currently the only company with a NAVSEA-approved procedure qualification.

XX The requested material or service represents the minimum requirements of the Government.

CHECK & FILL IN ALL APPLICABLE BLANKS BELOW

XX 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 component will be a direct drop-in replacement for the existing rod. Currently, A&A is the only company approved to apply the coating procedure required by LAR SWPY 4260, which will provide acceptable bond strengths and suitable lifespan.

-A patent, copyright, or proprietary data limits competition. The proprietary data is: Being Utilized by A & A to accomplish these repairs.

XX These are "direct replacements" parts/components for existing equipment.

-Other information to support a sole-source buy: None

I CERTIFY THAT STATEMENTS CHECKED, AND INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE, ARE COMPLETE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND DO NOT CONTAIN CLASSIFIED INFORMATION. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE PROCESSING OF THIS SOLE-SOURCE JUSTIFICATION PRECLUDES THE USE OF FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION.

Sig (b) (5), (b) (6) Activity PSIS-1MF C/260V
Tit (b) (6) Date 6/16/16

Contracting Officer's Signature (b) (6) Date 6/20/16
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