

## **HUD-24013 INSTRUCTION COVER PAGE**

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# Limited Source Justification - Federal Supply Schedule Orders Exceeding the Simplified Acquisition Threshold

U.S. Department of Housing  
and Urban Development  
Office of the Chief Procurement Officer

## PART 1 – JUSTIFICATION *(to be completed by requesting office)*

This acquisition is conducted under the authority of the Multiple Award Schedule Program, the statutory authorities for which are Title III of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (41 U.S.C. 251, et seq.) and Title 40 U.S.C. 501, Services for Executive Agencies.

Services or supplies to be ordered [*describe*]:

Total estimated cost of this order [*include all costs of the proposed acquisition, e.g., options, systems life costs, etc. ; total will determine the approval level needed*]: \$

### Limiting Consideration from Required MAS Ordering Procedures (see FAR 8.405-1 & 8.405-2)

Consideration for this Federal Supply Schedule order should be limited to the following source(s) [*provide names, addresses and points of contact or attach separate sheet as needed*]:

Circumstances justifying restriction of sources for consideration [*select appropriate*]:

An urgent and compelling need exists, and following ordering procedures would result in unacceptable delays (see FAR 8.405-6(a)(1)(i)(A)).

Only one source is capable of responding due to the unique or specialized nature of the work (see FAR 8.405-6(a)(1)(i)(B)).

The new work is a follow-on to an original Federal Supply Schedule order that was placed in accordance with applicable Federal Supply Schedule procedures (Note: The original order must not have been previously issued under sole source or limited source procedures (see FAR 8.405-6(a)(1)(i)(C)).

Attachments [*provide the following information*]:

- ☐ A complete description of the circumstances that justify the above restriction.
- ☐ Demonstration/description of the proposed contractor's unique qualifications to provide the required supply or service (*if consideration is to be limited to one schedule contractor*).
- ☐ A description of the market research conducted among schedule holders and the results or a statement of the reason market research was not conducted.
- ☐ A statement of the actions, if any, the Department may take to remove or overcome any barriers that led to the restricted consideration before any subsequent acquisition for the supplies or services is made.

### Consideration Limited to Sources Providing Particular Brand, Product, or Product Feature

Sources to be considered for this order should be limited to those offering the following item(s) peculiar to one manufacturer (*e.g., a particular brand name, product, or a feature of a product, peculiar to one manufacturer*) [*list and describe fully, or attach detailed description of the product or critical characteristics of the product*]:

Attachments [*provide the following information*]:

- ☐ If brand name, product, or product feature is the basis for the restricted consideration, the program office must describe why it is essential to the Government's requirements, and demonstrate how the attached market research supports the determination that other companies' similar products, or products lacking the particular feature, do not meet, or cannot be modified to meet, the Department's need.
- ☐ A statement of the actions, if any, the Department may take to remove or overcome any barriers that led to the restricted consideration before any subsequent acquisition for the supplies or services is made.

If the order contains brand name specifications, the requirement has been posted unless one of the following exceptions applies (see FAR 8.405 [check applicable exception]):

- ☐ Disclosure would compromise the national security (e.g., would result in disclosure of classified information) or create other security risks. The fact that access to classified matter may be necessary to submit a proposal or perform the contract does not, in itself, justify use of this exception;
- ☐ The nature of the file (e.g., size, format) does not make it cost-effective or practicable for contracting officers to provide access through e-Buy; or
- ☐ The senior procurement executive has made a written determination that access through e-Buy is not in the Government's interest.

#### Program Office's Supporting Data

The following information has been provided to support the limitation of sources or specific brand name, product, or product feature (e.g., verification of the Government's minimum needs or requirements or other rationale for limited sources) [list and describe; attach additional pages if needed]

#### Program Office Official's Certification

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

Head of Program Office [name]

Title/Name of Office:

Signature:

Date:

For additional information contact:

X

### PART 2 – CONTRACTING OFFICER'S DETERMINATION AND CERTIFICATION

I hereby determine that:

The order represents the best value to HUD consistent with the requirements of FAR 8.404(d), 8.405-2, and 8.405-4 (price evaluation is attached); and,

If a particular brand name, product, or product feature is requested, I hereby determine that it is essential to the Government's requirements, and as demonstrated by the attached market research, other companies' similar products, or products lacking the particular feature, do not meet, or cannot be modified to meet, the Department's need.

I certify that the information contained in this justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. In accordance with FAR 8.405-6(d)(1), this certification serves as approval of this limited source justification for orders up to \$750,000.

Name:

Signature:

Date:

X

### PART 3 – APPROVALS

For orders greater than \$750,000 up to \$15 million – Competition Advocate

Name

Signature

Date

X

For orders of \$15 million to \$75 million – Deputy Chief Procurement Officer

Name

Signature

Date

X

For orders over \$75 million – Senior Procurement Executive

Name

Signature

Date

X

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**Instructions:**

**PART 1 – to be completed by the requesting office**

The office requesting the limited source consideration shall enter all information and provide all supplementary information and attachments.

The head of the office submitting the justification shall complete the certification and sign and date it.

**PART 2 – to be completed by the Contracting Officer**

The contracting officer shall attach the price evaluation and sign and date the form. If the order is less than \$750,000, stop here and place the completed justification in the order file.

**PART 3 – to be completed by the approving official**

If the order exceeds \$750,000, the contracting officer shall obtain the appropriate higher-level authority's name, signature, and date and place the completed justification in the order file.