

Recommend APPROVAL based on
Follow-on compatibility AND training on
Vendor's current equipment on site. *Per 3/1/12*

FEDERAL SUPPLY SCHEDULE (FSS) REQUEST FOR WAIVER (Federal Supply Class (FSC) 65 and Cost-Per-Test in FSC 66)		1. DATE OF REQUEST 01-17-12	
		2. LOG NUMBER 572-12-0001	
3. NATIONAL ACQUISITION CENTER (NAC) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO: Mr. Craig Robinson VA National Acquisition Center (649A1N1) PO Box 76 Hines, IL 60141		4. VA MEDICAL CENTER - PROGRAM OFFICE FROM: Tom Buettemann Edward Hines Jr. VA Hospital 5000 South 5th Ave. Hines, IL 60141	
5. ITEM DESCRIPTION OF THE REQUIRED ITEM(S) (Descriptive literature such as cuts, illustrations, drawings, and brochures that explains the characteristics and/or construction. Include the corresponding schedule part number or NSN for comparison.) AMS GREEN LIGHT XPS SYSTEM TO REPLACE EXISTING PREVIOUS GENERATION AMS GREEN LIGHT HPS SYSTEM			
5A. PRICE OF REQUESTED ITEM \$ 99,500.00		5C. INADEQUACIES OF THE SCHEDULE ITEM TO PERFORM VersaPulse device is currently used for stone procedures and may be used to BPH outlet procedures. However, holmium laser enucleation is a complex procedure that has a very high learning curve (up to 100 cases) and requires preceptor presence for several initial procedures.	
5B. PRICE OF SCHEDULE ITEM \$ 129,017.29			
5D. TECHNICAL, ECONOMIC, OR OTHER ADVANTAGES OF THE ITEM REQUESTED New model is the only model of laser BPH devices that is compatible with the AMS MOXY Tibur and VA attending urology staff has been trained and certified to use AMS XPS model. Learning curve of BPH procedures using XPS model is shorter than other BPH laser devices.		5E. QUANTITY REQUIRED 1	
		5F. ESTIMATED ANNUAL USAGE N/A	
7A. ACTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CONCUR <input type="checkbox"/> DO NOT CONCUR	7B. TYPED NAME OF SUPERVISOR Prasanth Bale	7C. SIGNATURE OF SUPERVISOR <i>[Signature]</i>	7D. DATE 1/23/2012
7A. COMMENTS FROM CHIEF, ACQUISITION AND MATERIEL MANAGEMENT/FACILITY LOGISTICS MANAGER I approve this request. Ronald Cherry, Acting Chief, Logistic 01-18-12			
8B. NAME OF CHIEF LOGISTICS OFFICER (CLO) NMM VIGNI 2 Robby A. Schopen for Carla Brees		8C. SIGNATURE OF CLO <i>[Signature]</i>	8D. DATE 2/2/12
8A. TYPED NAME OF CHIEF OF STAFF (COS) Jack M. Bulmash, MD		8B. SIGNATURE OF COS <i>[Signature]</i>	8C. DATE 1/18/12
8D. RECOMMENDATIONS AND/OR REMARKS FROM CHIEF OF STAFF I approve the procurement of this particular device. Our staff have the required training and it is compatible with our other equipment. Procuring this device also reduces the amount of time needed to implement the technology fully, because our Urologist are familiar with it and allows us to provide our patients a high level of care in short order.			
10A. NAME OF VHA CHIEF PROCUREMENT AND LOGISTICS OFFICER (10NAB) NORBERT DOYLE		10B. NAME OF VHA CHIEF PROCUREMENT AND LOGISTICS OFFICER (10NAB) <i>[Signature]</i>	10C. DATE 2/16/12
10D. ACTION TAKEN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAIVER APPROVED <input type="checkbox"/> WAIVER DISAPPROVED			
10E. NAME OF NAC EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR Craig Robinson, ADAS		10F. SIGNATURE OF NAC EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR <i>[Signature]</i>	10G. DATE 3/1/12

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* PER NORBERT DOYLE EMAIL OF 3/1/12, he meant to check the "waiver approved" BOX.