

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Justification for Single Source Awards IAW FAR 13.106-1

For

Over Micro-Purchase Threshold but Not Exceeding the SAT (\$150K)

Acquisition Plan Action ID: VA262-17-AP-11061

1. **Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, NCO - 22, 4811 Airport Plaza Drive. Suite 600. Long Beach, CA. 90815

VA Loma Linda Healthcare System 11201 Benton Street. Loma Linda, CA. 92357 is requesting an: Extended Warranty for the Bard EnCor® Biopsy System under Purchase Request # 605-18-1-027-0016

2. **Brief Description of Supplies/ Services required and the intended use/Estimated Amount:**

VA Loma Linda Healthcare System is requesting a service contract to continue Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) support for the Bard Biopsy Systems – EnCor® Breast Biopsy. Bard Peripheral Vascular, Inc. can meet the required repair turnaround time tables established by the Loma Linda VA's Facilities Management Service. Bard Peripheral Vascular, Inc. can provide the proprietary parts necessary to meet its outlined manufacturer specifications. The estimated total dollar value of this acquisition is **\$4,319.00** which is not to exceed one (1) year. Due to the special nature of this requirement, it has been determined that it is in the best interest of the government to procure this requirement on a sole-source basis to the viable business that can meet this need for the government in the time requested.

3. **Unique characteristics that limit availability to only one source, with the reason no other supplies or services can be used:**

Bard Peripheral Vascular, Inc. is the Original Equipment Manufacturer. Currently Bard Peripheral, Inc. holds the extended warranty service agreement for maintenance/repairs/and testing of the EnCOR® Breast Biopsy System. It would be in the best interest of the government to maintain the available Annual Renewal Warranty for Model and Serial No. ENCSYSUS under item code# ECWARR: Bard Biopsy Systems – EnCor® Breast Biopsy System for the VA Loma Linda Healthcare System.

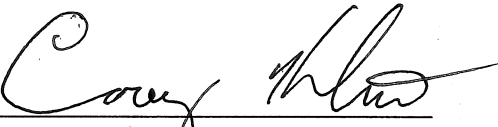
4. **Description of market research conducted and results or statement why it was not conducted:**

In accordance with FAR 10.001, market research was conducted on 11/06/2017 to determine the commercial availability of Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) maintenance and repair via Extended Warranty of the Bard Biopsy Systems – EnCor® Breast Biopsy System for the VA Loma Linda Healthcare System. A search of the Vendor Information Page (VIP) found zero (0) certified Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) that could meet this need. A Search of the

VHAPM Part 813.106 Simplified Acquisition Procedures: Soliciting from a Single Source
Attachment 1: Single Source Justification for SAP under \$150K

National Acquisition Center (CCST) MedSurg Catalog returned zero (0) active contracts for the requested service. Due to the special nature of this request, it would be in the best interest of the government, to award this request to Bard Peripheral Vascular, Inc. who has proven they can meet the need of the medical center.

5. **Contracting Officer's Certification:** *Purchase is approved in accordance with FAR13.106-1(b). I certify that the foregoing justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.*


Corey R. Kline
Contracting Officer, NCO - 22

11-7-2017
Date