

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: VA263-18-AP-2095

1. **Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 23, Minneapolis Medical Center

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

Provide services required to install additional Philips ICCA and Compurecord licenses, configure and interface devices into new Minneapolis VAMC OR and PACU construction.

2. **Unique characteristics that limit availability to only one source, with the reason no other supplies or services can be used:**
Philips Healthcare has been determined to be the only one responsible source to meet the Government's requirements. They are the manufacturer of the proprietary software that is having Licenses installed. They are the only source of the knowledge and experience working with VISN 23 ICCA systems for the past 5 years understanding the intricacy and complexity of all the integrated systems that this involves
3. **Description of market research conducted and results or statement why it was not conducted:** VIP and SAM were checked. There was no extensive market research done due to the proprietary nature of the software involved. The products and services itemize in this request are from Contract #GOVFSS0010 Expirations: 01/31/2018 (V797P-2238D)
4. **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.*

Donald R. Gilbert
Contracting Officer