

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

**FAR 8 – Justification for Limiting Sources (LSJ)
For
Limiting Sources (<\$150K)**

Acquisition Plan Action ID: VA257-17-AP-10563

- 1. Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 17, Audie L. Murphy Medical Center. Network Contracting Office for the South Texas Veterans Health Care System (STVCHS), 5440 Babcock Rd, Ste 302, San Antonio, TX 78240.

2237: 671-18-1-121-0048

- 2. Description of Action:** This action being reviewed and approved is for software service and maintenance with Data Innovation, LLC. This will be awarded as a new requirement against their GSA FSS Contract.

Order against: ☒ FSS Contract Number: GS-35F-389DA

Name of Proposed Contractor:	Data Innovation, LLC
Street Address:	120 Kimball Avenue Suite 100
City, State, Zip:	South Burlington, VT 05403 USA
Phone:	802-658-2850

3. Description of Supplies or Services:

The estimated value of the proposed action is 

The STVHCS will renew their software support and maintenance for the Instrument Manager software currently being utilized. Data Innovations, LLC, owns all intellectual property rights in the Instrument Manager Software and does not support third-party technical services.

SPECIFIC SUPPORT INFORMATION:

- Upgrade existing IM to v8.15 on DI provided server
- Install New Hot Backup on DI provided server
- Install Test IM on DI Provided PC
- Upgrade IM License 333849 to v8.15 (currently it has 16 connections in use, with the Vista and analyzers)
 - Move 11 Instruments from IM License 333847 to IM License 333849
 - IM License 333847 will be retired after the 11 instruments are moved off. IM License 333847 will be converted into upgrading IM

License 333849 to include Hot Backup

- Setup Hot Backup for IM License 333849 and go live support

4. Authority: In accordance with FAR 8.405-6(a)(1)(i)(B)

ORDER AGAINST FSS: Authority of the Multiple Award Schedule Program, Title III of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (41 USC 251, et seq.); Title 40 USC 501, Services for Executive Agencies; and Section 803 of the National Defense Authorization Act of 2002 (PL 107-107) and implemented by FAR 8.405-6. Mark the applicable exception:

☒ **Only one source** is capable of providing the supplies or services required at the level of quality required because the supplies or services are unique or highly specialized;
(FAR 8.405-6(a)(1)(i)(B));

- 5. Rational/explanation to support cited authority:** Data Innovations LLC is the manufacturer and sole provider of Instrument Manager Software which is installed and currently used by the South Texas Veterans Health Care System. Data Innovations owns all intellectual property rights in the Instrument Manager Software and does not support third-party technical services.
- 6. Note that this determination satisfies the requirements of FAR 8.405-6. The requirement to prepare a written justification IAW FAR 6.303 does not apply to Federal Supply Schedules.**



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Date: March 5, 2018