

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

**Justification for Single Source Awards IAW [FAR 13.106-1](#)
For
Over Micro-Purchase Threshold but Not Exceeding the SAT (\$250K)**

Acquisition Plan Action ID:VA249-18-AP-5091

- 1. Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 09, Nashville VA Medical Center, 626-18-3-2995-0017.
- 2. Brief Description of Supplies/ Services required and the intended use/Estimated Amount:** This is a brand name requirement for Medivators brand EndoDry Cabinet.
- 3. Unique characteristics that limit availability to only one source, with the reason no other supplies or services can be used:** THVS utilizes Medivators Advantage Plus endoscope reprocessing equipment. The EndoDry Cabinet is compatible with the Advantage Plus hook-ups. This will allow for utilization of reprocessing trays within the endoscope re-processor and transfer to the endoscope drying cabinet. This will eliminate the need to make physical contact with the endoscope during transport thus decreasing the chances of scope contamination.
- 4. Description of market research conducted and results or statement why it was not conducted:** Market research has determined the Medivator brand is available through Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) distributors. A combined synopsis/solicitation will be posted to FBO set aside for SDVOSB opportunities along with this justification.
- 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.*

Crystal Baird
Contracting Officer

Date