

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: VA249-18-AP-5967, Transaction ID: 603-18-3-984-0211

1. **Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN09, TVHS (626), Murfreesboro Campus VA Medical Center, 626-18-3-313-0141.
2. **Brief Description of Supplies/ Services required and the intended use/Estimated Amount:**
This requirement is for brand-name only for one (1) Alcon Centurion Vision System. This system is a phacoemulsification platform for use in cataract surgery by VA Louisville. Total estimated cost is [REDACTED].
3. **Unique characteristics that limit availability to only one source, with the reason no other supplies or services can be used:** This requirement is a Brand Name only requirement and only one brand can meet the government need. The system is needed to supplement another Alcon Centurion Vision System already in use by VA Louisville. To mitigate costs of disposables and the need for storage of additional items as well as provide for continuity of use by medical personnel, the same system is required.
4. **Description of market research conducted and results or statement why it was not conducted:**
The manufacturer was contacted for potential distributors and they identified one SDVOSB who is authorized to resell these units. This would indicate that the specific requirement needed can be supplied by multiple distributors.
5. **Contracting Officer's Certification:** *Purchase is approved in accordance with FAR13.106-1(b)(1)(i). I certify that the foregoing justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.*

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