

**DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS**

**FAR 8 – Justification for Limiting Sources (LSJ)  
For  
Limiting Sources (<SAT)**

**Acquisition Plan Action ID: 483-20-1-4404-0001**

- 1. Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 6, *Durham VA* Medical Center
- 2. Description of Action:** FY20 CYBERFEDS SUBSCRIPTION RENEWAL (1 base year plus 4 option years)

Order against: ☒ FSS Contract Number: GS-35F-0404K

Name of Proposed Contractor: LRP PUBLICATIONS INC  
Street Address: 360 HIATT DRIVE  
City, State, Zip: PALM BEACH GARDENS, FL 33418-7106  
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**3. Description of Supplies or Services:**



The service acquisition being procured is renewal of seventy-two (72) licenses for CyberFEDS, an online resource for Human Resources personnel **FY20** CyberFEDS Web subscription Renewal 1 base year plus 4 option years. LRP Publications Inc. is a small business GSA contract holder and sole source provider for the continued procured web-based subscription of CyberFEDS. CyberFEDS is a analytical tool that provides case decision, statutes, regulations, manuals, and guides, pay tables, bulletins and newsgroups.

**4. Authority:**

**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:

☐ **An urgent and compelling need exists**, and following the procedures would result in unacceptable delays([FAR 8.405-6\(a\)\(1\)\(i\)\(A\)](#));

☒ **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\(a\)\(1\)\(i\)\(B\)](#));

☐ In the interest of economy and efficiency, the new work is a **logical follow-on** to an original Federal Supply Schedule order and the original order was placed in accordance with the applicable Federal Supply Schedule ordering procedures. **The original order was not previously issued under sole-source or limited-sources procedures** ([FAR 8.405-6\(a\)\(1\)\(i\)\(C\)](#)); or

☐ **Items peculiar to one manufacturer.** An item peculiar to one manufacturer can be a particular brand name, product, or a feature of a product, peculiar to one manufacturer). A brand name item, whether available on one or more schedule contracts, is an item peculiar to one manufacturer ([FAR 8.405-6\(b\)](#)).

**5. Rational/explanation to support cited authority:**

LRP Publications Inc. is the sole source Provider GSA contract holder (GS-35F-0404K), and has an established parent contract to exclusively provide cyberFEDS web subscription. No, other vendor is authorized to provide this renewal and perform maintenance and repairs.

6. BRAND NAME ONLY: This buy is estimated to exceed \$25,000 and this documentation will be posted along with the RFQ on e-Buy, as required by [FAR 8.405-1\(e\)](#).
7. 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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