

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

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

Acquisition Plan Action ID: 36C26119AP6455

- 1. Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 21, VA Palo Alto Health Care System.

PR No. 593-20-1-968-0017

- 2. Description of Action:** *This acquisition is conducted under the authority of the Multiple-Award Schedule Program (41 U.S.C. 251 and 40 U.S.C. 501).*

Contract #:
GS-07F-5531R V797D-40235

Contractor: SYSMEX AMERICA, INC.
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- 3. Description of Supplies or Services:**

The estimated value of the proposed action is \$ 242,334.62

The proposed sole source task order against FSS Contract V797D-40235 with Sysmex.

The facility currently using Sysmex instruments. Sysmex is the only company that provides reagents and CPRR/CPR testing for their analyzer.

- 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\(a\)\(1\)\(i\)\(A\)](#));

x **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

x **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\(b\)](#)).

The additional purchase of Omnicell product will integrate with existing Omnicell pharmacy equipment and provide remaining licensing and integration requirements between Omnicell and Vista.

5. Rational/explanation to support cited authority:

As referenced in FAR 8.404, orders placed against the Federal Supply Schedule are considered to be issued using full and open competition.

6. BRAND NAME ONLY: This buy is estimated to be below \$250,000.00

This is a task order against FSS Contract V797D-40235 with Sysmex.

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.

Contracting Officer/Designee

Date: _____