

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES



Contracts and Procurement Division

DETERMINATION AND FINDINGS
FOR A
SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT

CAPTION:	Olympus SZ61 Stereo Microscope on STX floor stand
PROPOSED CONTRACTOR:	Olympus America, Inc.
PROGRAM AGENCY:	Office of the Chief Medical Examiner
AUTHORIZATION:	D.C. Official Code §2-354.04, 27 DCMR 4718

1. MINIMUM NEED:

The Office of the Chief Medical Examiner needs an Olympus SZ 61 Stereo Microscope on STX floor stand.

2. ESTIMATED REASONABLE PRICE:

The estimated reasonable cost for the portable screens is \$29,463.30

3. FACTS WHICH JUSTIFY SINGLE AVAILABLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT:

See Attached justification dated 10/15/12 from Michael Coleman Jr., Network Engineer/Lead IT Specialist for the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner for the District of Columbia for the facts which justify the sole source procurement.

4. CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACT SPECIALIST:

I hereby certify that the above findings are true, correct and complete.

10/23/12

Date

Kimberly Gray

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Contract Specialist

DETERMINATION

Based on the above findings and in accordance with the cited authority, I hereby determine that it is not feasible or practical to invoke the competitive solicitation process under either Section 402 or 403 of the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Reform Act of 2010 (D.C. Law 18-371; D.C. Official Code § 2-354.02 or 2-354.03). Accordingly, I determine that the District is justified in using the sole source available source method of procurement.

10/23/12
Date



JW Lanum
Associate Director



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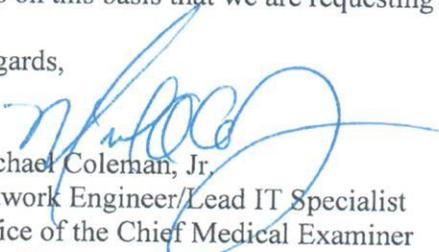
15 October 2012

To Whom It May Concern:

Olympus Corporation of the Americas has long provided a multitude of biological microscopes, accessories, and support services that facilitate the unique forensic needs of the OCME. The products and services referenced in CFL PR-0085, 0086, 0087, 0088, and 0089 are new proprietary instrumentation and software provided solely by Olympus Corporation of the Americas.

It is on this basis that we are requesting these requisitions be considered sole source.

Regards,



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