DETERMINATION AND FINDINGS
FOR A
SINGLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT

CONTRACT NO.: RQ744712
CAPTION: Gas Trainer Package
PROPOSED CONTRACTOR: Bull-Ex Digital Safety
PROGRAM AGENCY: District of Columbia Fire and
                   Emergency Medical Services

FINDINGS

1. AUTHORIZATION:

   D.C. Official Code § 2-303.05(a), 27 DCMR 1702

2. MINIMUM NEED:

   The District of Columbia Fire and Emergency Medical Services has
   identified a need to support the training of Fire and Emergency Medical
   Services Operations Division in the training of mitigating Hazmat incident
   scene. This training equipment will be used to facilitate providing a
   resource for practicing the skills needed to detect Immediate Danger to Life
   and Health. (IDLH) atmosphere.

   ESTIMATED REASONABLE PRICE: $11,590.00

3. FACTS WHICH JUSTIFY SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT:

   BullEx Digital Safety, Inc is the exclusive manufacturer of the Gas Trainer
   Package. There is no need for competition as they are the sole manufacture.
Therefore, it is in the best interest of the District to award a sole source contract to BullEx Digital Safety, Inc to procure the necessary equipment to discuss the training.

5. CERTIFICATION BY AGENCY HEAD:

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

[Signature]
Date
Kenneth B. Ellerbe

6. CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACTING OFFICER

I have reviewed the above findings and certify that they are sufficient to justify the use of the sole source method of procurement under the cited authority. I recommend the Interim Assistant Director for Procurement approve the use of the sole source procurement method for his proposed contract.

[Signature]
Date
John R. Dean

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 bidding process under Section 303 of the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Act of 1985 (D.C. Law 6-85, D.C. Official Code § 2-303.03). Accordingly, I determine that the District is justified in using the sole source method of procurement.

[Signature]
Date
Courtney Lattimore
Commodity Manager