

**DETERMINATION AND FINDINGS
FOR A
SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT**

CONTRACT NO.: CW30593
CAPTION: Inspection, Maintenance and Repair of Defibrillators
PROPOSED CONTRACTOR: Physio-Control, Inc.
PROGRAM AGENCY: Fire and Emergency Medical Services

FINDINGS

1. AUTHORIZATION:

27 DCMR 1702.3

2. MINIMUM NEED:

The District has a continued need for an authorized service provider to furnish all of the labor, supervision, and material to inspect, maintain and repair Medtronic LifePak defibrillators.

3. ESTIMATED REASONABLE PRICE:

\$244,675.65 based on the current inventory of equipment.

4. FACTS WHICH JUSTIFY SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT:

Medtronic, Inc. is the original equipment manufacturer of the LifePak Monitor/Defibrillators currently being used by FEMS. Physio-Control, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Medtronic, Inc., sells directly to government clients and does not go through a distributor. Physio-Control, as indicated in the attached letter, is the only company that can provide the required service.

5. CERTIFICATION BY AGENCY HEAD:

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

Date

Director,

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 certify that the sole source notice of Intent to Award a Sole Source Contract was posted on the OCP website and no valid responses were received regarding the posting. I recommend that the Assistant Director of Procurement approve the use of the sole source procurement method for this proposed contract.

Date

Contracting Officer

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.

Date

James D. Staton, Jr.
Chief Procurement Officer