DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

NAVSUP WSS

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Sole Source Justification for Commercial Items using FAR 13.5

1. Contracting Activity

Contracting Activity	NAVSUP WSS - Mechanicsburg	**Type**	Sole Commercial
Folder #	25255-0008	**PD #**	N0010425X8721

Item Manager	Halula, Robert	**Work Function**	Planner	**Phone**	[redacted]	**Code** [redacted]
Technician	Kauffman, Phillip	**Work Function**	Reprocurement Technician	**Phone**	[redacted]	**Code** [redacted]
Buyer	Benes, James	**Work Function**	Contract Specialist	**Phone**	[redacted]	**Code** [redacted]

2. Description of the Action Being Approved

Description Negotiation and award of a contract through other than full and open competition.

3. Description of Supplies/Servies

Nomenclature	TAPE,NUCLEAR ET GR	**Quantity**	[redacted]
NSN	1HM 5640 014779415 X3	**Cage Code**	
P/N	OB357NET-3	**Unit Price**	[redacted]

Required Delivery Date	02/16/2027	**Option**	N	**Option %**	**Days**

Estimated Value [redacted]

Ship To

Period of Performance: Expected Final Delivery Date

Line of Accounting [redacted]

List of Items/Item Description TAPE,NUCLEAR ET GR

4. Statutory Authority Permitting Other Than Full & Open Competition

This justification is based upon the statutory authority of 41 U.S.C. 1901, as implemented by Federal Acquisition Regulation Subpart 13.5

5. Rationale Justifying Use of Cited Authority

A/RMC 1

Suitable for competitive acquisition for the second or subsequent time.

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The Government does not own the data or the rights to the data needed to purchase / contract repair of this part from additional sources. It has been determined to be uneconomical to buy the data or rights to the data. It is uneconomical to reverse engineer the part. This code is used when the Government did not initially purchase the data and/or rights. If only one source has the rights or data to manufacture/repair this item, A/RMCs 3, 4, or 5 are valid. If two or more sources have the rights or data to manufacture/repair this item, A/RMCs 1 or 2 are valid.

This acquisition will be negotiated with

[redacted] and/or their authorized distributors have the sufficient data, technical expertise, and/or the necessary supplies to satisfy this requirement. Since the Navy does not possess sufficient rights to information such as any drawings, specifications, test equipment/procedures, a full and open competitive solicitation cannot be supported.

6. Description of Efforts Made To Solicit Offers From as Many Offerors as Practicable

The proposed contract action was synopsized in the government-wide point of entry on [redacted]

The following sources have expressed an interest, in writing, in this acquisition

[redacted]

7. Determination of Fair And Reasonable Cost

The contracting officer determines that the anticipated cost to the Government of the supplies covered by this J&A will be fair and reasonable.

8. Actions to Remove Barriers to Future Competition

To promote competition, NAVSUP WSS will continue to encourage vendors with the expertise to manufacture/repair the subject item to submit a complete technical data package for review and source approval by the appropriate engineering source approval authority per the (WSS) guidelines. Also, future requirements will be advertised on the government-wide point of entry. For reasons set forth in Paragraph (5 & 6), NAVSUP WSS has no plans at this time to compete future contracts for the subject item covered by this document. If another potential manufacturing source emerges, NAVSUP WSS will assess whether competition for future requirements is feasible. Also, future requirements will be advertised on the government-wide point of entry.

History

Created By	James Benes [redacted]	**Work Function**	Contract Specialist	**Created Date**	11/20/2025 20-NOV-25

I certify that the facts and representations under my cognizance which are included in this J&A are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief

Requirements Cognizance Signature	Robert Halula [redacted]	**Work Function**	Planner	**Requirements Cognizance Signature Date**	11/20/2025

I certify that the facts and representations under my cognizance which are included in this J&A are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief

Technical Cognizance Signature	Phillip Kauffman [redacted]	**Work Function**	Reprocurement Technician	**Technical Cognizance Signature Date**	11/20/2025

As of this date, I confirm KO has reviewed the information contained in this J&A and determined sufficient for purposes of processing/ completing Small Business Coordination Record DD2579

KO Review for Small Business Concurrence	Peter Masters [redacted]	**Work Function**	Contract Specialist	**KO Review for Small Business Concurrence Date**	12/16/2025

I certify that this J&A is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief

Contracting Officer Certification Signature	Elena Geiger [redacted]	**Work Function**	Supervisor	**Contracting Officer Certification Signature Date**	02/06/2026

I certify that the facts and representations under my cognizance which are included in this J&A are complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief

Competition Advocacy Review And Concurrence Signature	Adam Johnson [redacted]	**Work Function**	Competition Advocate	**Competition Advocacy Review And Concurrence Signature Date**	03/06/2026

I certify that this J&A is legally sufficient to the best of my knowledge and belief

Legal Sufficiency Review Signature	Jonathan Bach [redacted]	**Work Function**	Attorney	**Legal Sufficiency Review Signature Date**	03/06/2026

I certify that this J&A is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief

Approval Required By Far 6.304 Signature	Elena Geiger [redacted]	**Work Function**	Supervisor	**Approval Required By Far 6.304 Signature Date**	03/06/2026