JUSTIFICATION FOR OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION FOR SOLE SOURCE AND LIMITED COMPETITION

1. Agency: United States Air Force Contracting Activity: DLA Aviation at Oklahoma City

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☒ FAR 15 ☐ FAR 12 ☐ FAR 13.5

2. The action being approved is the acquisition of supplies/services on other than a full and open competition basis.

☒ New Action ☐ Amendment:

3. The supplies/services required to meet the using activity's needs are described as follows:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION	NSN/PN	MAX QTY	EST. UNIT PRICE	ESTIMATED VALUE
Turbine, Aircraft Co	1660-01-394-2481 / 571545-8-1	05 EA	$[redacted]	$[redacted]
				$[redacted]
				$[redacted]

*If too numerous, attach list of NSNs and AMSC codes.

This Acquisition: Budget Code 9711X8242

Type of Contract (may include number of base years) Firm-Fixed-Price, Fixed Quantity Base Year(s) N/A

☒ Will not include an option.

☐ will include option for increased quantity. Total estimated dollar value of option quantity is $_____.

☐ will include an option to extend the term of the contract for a period of months, exercisable in increments of months. Total estimated dollar value of all option periods is $_____.

The total estimated dollar value of this acquisition is: (inclusive of any options) $ [redacted]

4. The statutory authority permitting other than full and open competition is 10 U.S.C. 2304(c)(1) – Available from only one or limited number of sources.

5. The acquisition is restricted to the only source(s) of supply known to have the capability of furnishing the required supplies/services. Source(s) are:

CAGE	COMPANY NAME
70210	Honeywell International Inc.

The use of authority 10 U.S.C. 2304(c)(1) is based on:

- ☐ AMC 1. Suitable for competitive acquisition for the second or subsequent time.
- ☐ AMC 2. Suitable for competitive acquisition for the first time.
- ☒ AMC 3. Acquire, for the second or subsequent time, directly from the manufacturer.
- ☐ AMC 4. Acquire, for the first time, directly from the manufacturer.
- ☐ AMC 5. Acquire directly from the sole source contractor, who is not the manufacturer.
- ☐ AMSC A. The Government's right to use data in its possession is questionable. This code is under review and will be updated when the review is complete.
- ☐ AMSC B. This must be acquired from a manufacturing source(s) specified on a source control drawing.
- ☐ AMSC C. This part required engineering source approval by the design control activity in order to maintain the quality of the part.
- ☒ AMSC D. The data needed to acquire this part is not economically available.
- ☐ AMSC H. The Government does not have sufficient, accurate, or legible data to purchase this part from other than the current source. This code is under review and will be updated when the review is complete.
- ☐ AMSC K. This part must be produced from class 1 castings under MIL-STD-2175.
- ☐ AMSC L. The annual buy value of this part falls below the screening threshold established by DoD.
- ☐ AMSC M. Manufacture of this part requires use of master or coordinated tooling.
- ☐ AMSC N. Manufacture of this part requires special test and/or inspection facilities to maintain function or system integrity
- ☐ AMSC P. The rights to use the data needed to purchase this part from additional source(s) are not owned by the Government and cannot be purchased, developed, or otherwise obtained.
- ☐ AMSC Q. The Government does not have adequate data, lacks rights to data, or both. It is not economical to buy the data or rights to the data.
- ☐ AMSC R. The Government does not own the data or rights to the data needed to purchase this part from another source. It is not economical to procure the data or rights to the data
- ☐ AMSC S. Acquisition of this item is restricted to Government approved source(s) because the item involves military sensitive technology.
- ☐ AMSC U. The cost to the Government to breakout this part and acquire it competitively has been determined to exceed the projected savings over the life span of the part.
- ☐ AMSC V. This part has been designated a high reliability part. Probability of failure would be unacceptable. The engineering activity has determined that data to define and control reliability limits cannot be obtained.
- ☐ AMSC Z. The design of this part is unstable. Engineering, manufacturing, or performance characteristics indicate that the required design objectives have not been achieved.
- ☐ Other: Additional Information/Explantion as Specified Below. (Info usually found in Section V of 13 part standard J&A)

The data needed to procure this part competitively is not physically available. It cannot be obtained economically, nor is it possible to draft adequate specifications or any other adequate, economical description of the material for a competitive solicitation. Honeywell International Inc. (Cage: 70210) is the only known source that has the necessary data needed to manufacture this item.

The development of an additional source to produce this item is not feasible within the allowable time-frames and would result in unacceptable delays in fulfilling the FMS customer's requirements. Delays in new procurement have the potential for disrupting availability of F-15 aircraft, leaving the FMS customer unable to meet critical mission requirements. For this reason, Honeywell is currently the only known source that can satisfy the Government's requirement for this item.

6. Efforts to ensure that offers are solicited from as many sources as practicable are:

☐ The acquisition will be synopsized on or about_____and any firm requesting a solicitation copy will be provided one.

☒ A synopsis exception cited in FAR 5.202 applies: (Explain).

☐ Manufacturers of similar products identified in the market survey will be solicited.

☐ Dealers of the manufacturers will be solicited.

☒ Other: (Explain)

In accordance with FAR 5.202(a)(13), this requirement was not synopsized as the initial dollar threshold was under SAT. The Request for Quote (RFQ) was posted to the Federal Business Opportunities website on 01 February 2019. Government defined pre-award qualifications of new sources were not identified due to the unavailability of the necessary technical data. The OEM is the only entity capable of approving additional sources at this time.

The dollar threshold has now increased over SAT with Purchase Request FD2030-19-00939-01, however as a sole source proposal has already been received in response to the RFQ a synopsis will not be posted.

7. I hereby determine that the anticipated cost to the Government will be fair and reasonable. (Explain)

The Contracting Officer will ensure that the items described herein are negotiated at a fair and reasonable price to the Government. If the proposal exceeds the Truth In Negotiations Act threshold in accordance with FAR 15.403-4 (a), the contractor will be required to provide certified cost or pricing data. A detailed cost analysis and price analysis will be accomplished, as necessary. The Defense Contract Management Agency or Defense Contract Audit Agency may be contacted to provide assistance with analysis.

8. A market survey as defined by FAR 10:

☒ was conducted, and firms indicating an interest in the acquisition will be solicited. Market research efforts, include.

Market research, in accordance with FAR 10, was conducted by a multi-functional team consisting of the Item Manager, Equipment Specialist, Logistics Officer, and Engineer. This research included inquiries into internet sites including Google, the Thomas Register, Haystack, and similar item manufacturer's websites and was conducted on 25 March 2019. Other sources manufacture similar items but none have been identified as having access to the data necessary to meet the requirement. Further, this requirement cannot be modified nor be satisfied with a commercial or modified commercial item.

A Sources Sought Synopsis was posted to notify Honeywell's licensees, vendors, or other sources with rights to the necessary data of the pending acquisition. This posting was created on the Federal Business Opportunities website under PR FD2030-19-00939-01 on 07 March 2019 and closed 14 March 2019. No parties indicated interest in the acquisition.

Based on this market research, Honeywell was found to be the only source able to fulfill the requirement.

☐ was not conducted due to:

9. Additional facts supporting other than full and open competition are:

☒ Based upon the technical certification on file, technical data is not available and cannot be developed to permit full and open competition. The data presently available reflects the minimum needs of the Government.

☐ When FAR 6.302-1 is cited for follow-on acquisitions as described in 6.302-1(a)(2)(ii), an estimate if the cost to the Government that would be duplicated and how the estimate was derived.

☐ Other:

10. A listing of sources, if any, indicating an interest in writing in the acquisition are: (if none, state none)

CAGE	COMPANY NAME
	NONE

11. The actions, being taken to overcome barriers to competition before any subsequent acquisition are made: (Explain)

The 423 SCMS will continue to monitor the marketplace for potential sources. The Government will continue to synopsize requirements for potential sources and periodically screen the item for changes in data and source availability.

APPROVAL

APPROVAL LEVELS OF THE JUSTIFICATION – FAR 6.304

- [X] Not exceeding $700,000…… Contracting Officer
- [ ] Over $700,000 not exceeding $13,500,000…….. Competition Advocate

TECHNICAL/REQUIREMENTS PERSONNEL CERTIFICATION – FAR 6.302-2(c)

Supporting data that is the responsibility of technical or requirements personnel and which form the basis for this justification have been certified as complete and accurate by the cognizant technical/requirements Personnel. See attached signature page.

DLA COUNSEL AVIATION – DLAD 1.691(e)(ii)

DLA Counsel Aviation has reviewed this Form S53 and concluded it creates a legally sufficient justification for restricting competition pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304(c)(1) and FAR 6.302-1 in acquisitions for NSNs in the federal supply system.

CONTRACTING OFFICER – FAR 6.303-2(b)(12)

I hereby certify that the information contained in this justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief. If not exceeding $700,000, this signature serves as the approval.

Name and Title	Signature	Phone	Date
Tina Vinson / Contracting Officer	Tina Vinson	[redacted]	24-May-2019

COMPETITION ADVOCATE – FAR 6.304(a)(2)

The Competition Advocate for the procuring activity designated pursuant to FAR 6.501 has reviewed and approved this Justification for a proposed contract over $700,000, but not exceeding $13.5 million.

Name and Title	Signature	Phone	Date