SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION

FAR 8.401(b) (FAR Class Deviation 25-20 for FAR Part 8), GSAR 538.7104-3, HSAM 3008.401-71(a)

1. **Agency and Contracting Activity.**

   The Department of Homeland Security, United States Coast Guard (USCG), Polar Security Cutter (PSC) and Offshore Patrol Cutter (OPC) Offices proposes to enter into a Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA) Call Order on a basis other than full and open competition.

2. **Nature and/or Description of the Action being Approved.**

   (a) Name and address of the contractor:

   DLT Solutions
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   Herndon, VA 20171

   (b) Type of action: Firm Fixed-Price BPA Call Order to renew software licenses.
   (c) Estimated total value (including options): . Breakdown shown below:

PMO	Item	License Period	Quantity	Cost	Total
OPC	Navisworks Manage Government Single-user Annual Subscription Renewal	PoP: 8/12/2026 through 8/11/2027			
PSC	Navisworks Manage Government Single-user Annual Subscription Renewal	PoP: 8/12/2026 through 8/11/2027			
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				Total	

   (d) Type of funding:

   (e) Year of funding: Fiscal Year 2026

(f) Background information about the requirement: This is a Firm-Fixed Price requirement for the annual renewal of Navisworks Software License for the Offshore Patrol Cutter and Polar Security Cutter program offices (see chart above for quantity breakdown). In accordance with FAR Part 8.4 these licenses were previously procured by Department of War (DoW) Enterprise Software Initiative (ESI) Enterprise Agreement (EA) holder, Autodesk, Inc. Although, the EA was established competitively IAW FAR 8.405-3, DLT Solutions is the only authorized vendor to acquire Navisworks Software licenses under BPA N66001-19-A-0051. Currently BPA N66001-19-A-0051 expires on 31 MAR 2029 but Call Order 70Z02325F45900001 expires AUG 2026; therefore, a renewal is required. Call Order 70Z02325F45900001 incorporated Single Navisworks Software Licenses for a 12-month period of performance (PoP) for the OPC program office and Single Navisworks Software Licenses for an 11-month PoP for the PSC program office, and Multi-Navisworks Software Licenses for an approximately 8-month PoP.

3. **Description of Supplies/Services.** This requirement is for the annual renewal of existing Autodesk software licenses that are essential for the Offshore Patrol Cutter (OPC) and Polar Security Cutter (PSC) program offices. The specific products are:

- Navisworks Manage: This software is used for 3D model review, coordination, and clash detection, allowing project teams to holistically review integrated models and data to gain better control over project outcomes.

- Product Design & Manufacturing Collection: This is a suite of professional-grade software for product development and manufacturing planning. It includes tools like Inventor and AutoCAD, which are critical for detailed mechanical design, documentation, and product simulation.

4. **Identification of Statutory Exception and Rationale.**

The statutory exception is FAR RFO section 538.7104-3 Sole Source Justification. FAR RFO section 538.7104-3(a) Exceeding MPT, but not exceeding the SAT (e.g., urgency, exclusive licensing agreements, items particular to one manufacturer). The ordering activity Contracting Officer must determine in writing that the circumstance of the acquisition deems only one source reasonably capable of providing the products, services, or solutions. DLT Solutions is the sole authorized reseller for Autodesk products to the DoW under Enterprise Software Initiative (ESI) Blanket Purchase Agreement (BPA) N66001-19-A-0051. While Autodesk is the manufacturer, the DoW has mandated the use

of ESI agreements for acquiring commercial off-the-shelf software to leverage the government's buying power and streamline procurement. As the designated source for this ESI agreement, DLT is the only vendor capable of providing these specific licenses under the terms and pricing negotiated by the DoW.

5. Demonstration of the Proposed Contractor's Unique Qualifications to Provide the Requirement.

(a) The DoW established the ESI BPA with DLT Solutions as the exclusive source for Autodesk products to streamline acquisition for all DoW components. The EA was established competitively using the procedures under FAR 8.405-3 and designed to create reasonable pricing and terms for the government. The USCG is authorized to use this enterprise-wide agreement.

(b) Alternatives Considered: Autodesk Product Design & Manufacturing Suite is proprietary, and the USCG has no access to such code or hardware for alternatives. DLT Solutions is the only one approved and validated for the USCG network that guarantees compatibility and assurance of operability. Procuring from another reseller is not in accordance with the terms of the DoW ESI program and would not provide the pre-negotiated pricing available under the BPA. Direct procurement from the manufacturer, Autodesk, is also not permitted under this DoW-wide agreement.

(c) Impact if Not Approved: If this justification is not approved, USCG will be unable to renew its existing software licenses. This would cause a critical disruption to engineering, naval architecture, and maintenance operations. Key projects would be delayed, and the USCG would lose access to essential tools required for vessel design, modification, and lifecycle support. This would directly and negatively impact mission readiness and operational capability.

6. Contracting Officer's Certification.

I certify that the data supporting the recommended use of other than full and open competition is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and

Tanya Turner-Fells Date _____
Contracting Officer

7. Technical/Requirements Personnel Certification.

I certify that this requirement meets the Government's minimum need and that the supporting data, which forms a basis for the justification, is accurate and complete.

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Date

Tanya Turner-Fells
Contracting Officer

Date