JUSTIFICATION FOR OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION

Pursuant to the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 6.302-1(ii) and the Bureau of Prisons Acquisition Policy (BPAP) Part 6.304(b) and AGD 06-006, the Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP) has determined that the procurement of Outside Medical Services for the United States Penitentiary, located in Jonesville, Virginia, meets the criteria established for other than full and open competition. This limitation on competition is justified as supported by the following information:

- 1. IDENTIFICATION OR THE AGENCY AND THE CONTRACTING ACTIVITY:
 Department of Justice
 Federal Bureau of Prisons
 United States Penitentiary
 Hickory Flats Road
 Jonesville, VA 24263
- 2. NATURE AND/OR DESCRIPTION OF ACTION BEING APPROVED:
 This action is for the acquisition of emergency outside medical services through Wellmont Health System for our Health Services Department for the United States Penitentiary LEE, located in Jonesville, Virginia. The emergency services are necessary to maintain care for inmates here at USP Lee.
- 3. DESCRIPTION OF SUPPLIES AND SERVICES REQUIRED TO MEET THE AGENCY NEEDS (INCLUDING ESTIMATED VALUES):

 The USP has a requirement to purchase the outside service from Wellmont Health System. The total amount is \$24,509.21.
- 4. IDENTIFICATION OF STATUTORY AUTHORITY PERMITTING OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION:
- This justification and approval is being submitted for approval in accordance with 41 U.S.C. Sec. 253 (c) (1) and FAR 6.302-2, "Urgency."
- 6. <u>DETERMINATION THAT PROPOSED CONTRACTOR'S UNIQUE</u>

 <u>QUALIFICATIONS OR THE NATURE OF THE ACQUISITION REQUIRES USE</u>

 OF THE AUTHORITY CITED:

This procurement will be outside medical services from Wellmont Health System. This is deemed to be highly-specialized service.

7. <u>EFFORTS TO ENSURE THAT OFFERS ARE SOLICITED FROM AS MANY</u> POTENTIAL SOURCES AS PRACTICAL:

Competition was not sought due to emergency medical services required.

8. <u>DETERMINATION THAT THE ANTICIPATED COST TO THE GOVERNMENT</u>
WILL BE FAIR AND REASONABLE:

The Contracting Officer anticipates the cost to the Government will be fair and reasonable.

9. DESCRIPTION OF MARKET RESEARCH:

Due to the urgency of this procurement no market research was conducted.

10. OTHER FACTS SUPPORTING THE USE OF OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION:

This procurement was for an inmate that needed immediate outside medical care.

11. SOURCES THAT EXPRESSED, IN WRITING, AN INTEREST IN THE ACQUISITION:

None

ACTIONS, IF ANY, THE AGENCY MAY TAKE TO REMOVE OR OVERCOME
ANY BARRIERS TO COMPETITION BEFORE ANY SUBSEQUENT
ACQUISITION FOR THE SUPPLIES OR SERVICES REQUIRED:
At the time of services, a RCA packet was submitted to FAO for comprehensive medical services. The medical services being requested on this JOFOC will be covered under the comprehensive medical contract once it's awarded.

13. CONTRACTING OFFICER CERTIFICATION:

I, Jennifer Matlock, hereby certify that this justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Jennifer Watlock05-21-2021Contract SpecialistDate