

JUSTIFICATION FOR SOLE SOURCE (Simplified Acquisitions <\$150K)

The service or material listed on **1300524181** is sole source and competition is precluded for reasons indicated below. There are no substitutes available for this material or service.

Restricted to the following source. Provide *original manufacturer's* name. (If a sole source manufacturer distributes via dealers, *ALSO* provide dealer information.)

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Dealer / Rep: N/A

Dealer / Rep address / phone nr.: N/A

X Description of the item or service required, the estimated cost, and required delivery date.

The Microsoft Premier Support Services will provide an Information Technology (IT) package for Microsoft Service Delivery Management, US National Support Assistance, dedicated Support Engineering for platform and system centers, US National Problem Resolution Support and on-site resource visits to support NAVSUP's standard architectural operating systems and mission essential applications.

The Independent Government Estimate (IGE) for this procurement is ; Period of Performance (POP) 9/30/15 – 9/29/16; Funding NAVSUP BSC FY15 ITS SIP Navy Working Capital Fund (NWCF) and Information Technology Procurement Request (ITPR) 117181 apply.

X Specific characteristics of the material or service that limit the availability to a sole source (unique features, function of the item, etc.). Describe in detail why only this suggested source can furnish the requirements to the exclusion of other sources.

Pursuant to FAR 6.302-1(a)(2)(iii), this authority is appropriate when, for DOD, NASA, and the Coast Guard, services may be deemed to be available only from the original source in the case of follow-on contracts for the continued provision of highly specialized services when it is likely that award to any other source would result in substantial duplication of cost to the Government that is not expected to be recovered through competition, or unacceptable delays in fulfilling the agency's requirements.

Microsoft is the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) and owner of the source code information of the Microsoft software licenses and software assurance being utilized within the NAVSUP claimancy. Premier Support Services covers all Microsoft products and technologies providing 24/7 deep-rooted expertise in 1) IT problem resolution for specific symptoms encountered while using Microsoft products; 2) proactive workshops and events for technical information to assist in the design, development or deployment of Microsoft technologies; 3) support assistance that provide short-term advice and guidance for problems not covered with problem resolution support as well as requests for consultative assistance; 4) on-site support that allows two site visit depending on the situation, environment and business impact of the issue; 5) Designated Engineering Support for platform and system centers providing deeper technical expertise along a specific Microsoft technology such as Exchange, Windows, SharePoint, SQL server or other Microsoft technologies specific to NAVSUP's environment and 6) Management services to help build and maintain relationships with Microsoft Service Delivery Staff to coordinate the support and services for problem resolution, workshops and support assistance services.

The purchase of Microsoft Premier Support services is required to receive accelerated; extensive technical support services not available under NAVSUP's Microsoft Enterprise Licensing Agreement (ELA) N66001-15-A-0001.

 X The requested material or service represents the minimum requirements of the government.

CHECK & FILL IN ALL APPLICABLE BLANKS BELOW

The material/service must be compatible in all aspects (form, fit and function) with existing systems presently installed/performing. Describe the equipment/function you have now and how the new item/service must coordinate, connect, or interface with the existing system.

A patent, copyright or proprietary data limits competition. The proprietary data is:

Microsoft is the Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) and owner of the source code information of the Microsoft licenses being utilized by the NAVSUP claimancy. Therefore, Microsoft is the only vendor that can provide the expertise available under Premier Support Services.

These are "direct replacements" parts/components for existing equipment.

Other information to support a sole source buy:

I CERTIFY THAT STATEMENTS CHECKED, AND INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE, ARE COMPLETE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE PROCESSING OF THIS SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION PRECLUDES THE USE OF FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION.

Technical Cognizance:

Digitally signed by

WILLIAM CLARK

Signature

Name (Printed)

Phone No.

8/24/15

Date

Requirements Cognizance:

Signature

Name (Printed)

Phone No.

8/26/15

Date

Contracting Officer Signature:

Date:

9/17/15

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