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To: NCI Bid Board

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Subject: NCI Bid Board Posting – Maintenance/Service agreement for three (3) GE Healthcare Life Sciences Protein Purification systems (AKTA Pure 25 L1, AKTA Purifier UPC 100, AKTA Pure 25 L1)

The Laboratory of Metabolism (LM) consists of five principal investigators. Members of the LM are international leaders in drug and carcinogen metabolism, mechanisms of chemical carcinogenesis, nuclear receptors, mammalian developmental biology, chromosomal proteins and chromatin biology, studies on B-ZIP transcription factors, and the control of mitosis by protein kinases, and cell cycle regulation. We have distinct but overlapping research interests focusing on areas that include 1) drug and carcinogen metabolism, 2) chemical carcinogenesis and chemoprevention, 3) mechanisms of carcinogenesis, 4) signal transduction and cell cycle control, 5) developmental biology, 6) epigenetic gene regulation and chromatin biology.

The LM has a comprehensive research program that aims to translate basic biological findings into experimental systems used for the development of drugs and the determining the risk assessment of chemicals affecting carcinogenesis and developmentally related abnormalities leading to tumors.

Sole Source Justification:

Cytiva (formerly GE Healthcare Life Sciences) is the only manufacturer which has all the required documents and schematics necessary to service GE Healthcare Life Sciences protein purification products so that they are maintained at design specifications. The specifications necessary to manufacture spare parts are proprietary to GE Healthcare Life Sciences.

Attached Documents:

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Statement of Work

FAR Clause 52.204-24 Representation Regarding Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment.

FAR Clause 52.213-4 Simplified Acquisitions Terms and Conditions (AUG 2019) is applicable and available in full text upon request

REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (THIS IS NOT AN ORDER)	THIS RFQ <input type="checkbox"/> IS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IS NOT A SMALL BUSINESS SET-ASIDE	PAGE 1 OF 1 PAGES 1
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1. REQUEST NO. 21-009475	2. DATE ISSUED 12/9/2020	3. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQUEST NO.	4. CERT. FOR NAT. DEF. UNDER BDSA REG. 2 AND/OR DMS REG. 1	RATING
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5a. ISSUED BY
NCI CCR Purchasing Administrative Resource Center

5b. FOR INFORMATION CALL (NO COLLECT CALLS)

NAME Tanika Crossen, Program Analyst	TELEPHONE NUMBER AREA CODE NUMBER 301 480-0602	7. DELIVERY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOB DESTINATION <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (See Schedule)
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8. TO: NIH, NCI

a. NAME	b. COMPANY Cytiva Global Life Sciences Solutions	b. STREET ADDRESS
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c. STREET ADDRESS	c. CITY Bethesda
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d.. CITY	e.. STATE MD	f.. ZIP CODE 20892	d.. STATE MD	e. ZIP CODE 20892
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10. PLEASE FURNISH QUOTATIONS TO THE ISSUING OFFICE IN BLOCK 5a ON OR BEFORE CLOSE OF BUSINESS (Date)
11/6/2020 11:30 EST

IMPORTANT: This is a request for information, and quotations furnished are not offers. If you are unable to quote, please indicate on this form and return it to the address in Block 5a. This request does not commit the Government to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of the submission of this quotation or to contract for supplies or services. Supplies are of domestic origin unless otherwise indicated by quoter. Any representations and/or certifications attached to this Request for Quotations must be completed by the quoter.

11. SCHEDULE (Include applicable Federal, State and local taxes)

ITEM NO. (a)	SUPPLIES/SERVICES (b)	QUANTITY (c)	UNIT (d)	UNIT PRICE (e)	AMOUNT (f)
	<p>Maintenance/Service agreement for three (3) GE Healthcare Life Sciences Protein Purification systems (AKTA Pure 25 L1, AKTA Purifier UPC 100, AKTA Pure 25 L1), 1-year</p> <p>Notice of Intent: If submitting a capability statement, please e-mail only 1 copy of the technical capability statement to Tanika Crossen @ crossent.mail.nih.gov</p> <p>See attached statement of work</p> <p>This will be awarded as a Firm-Fixed Price Contract.</p>				

12. DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT	a. 10 CALENDAR DAYS (%)	b. 20 CALENDAR DAYS (%)	c. 30 CALENDAR DAYS (%)	d. CALENDAR DAYS NUMBER PERCENTAGE
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NOTE: Additional provisions and representations are are not attached.

13. NAME AND ADDRESS OF QUOTER		14. SIGNATURE OF PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN QUOTATION	15. DATE OF QUOTATION
a. NAME OF QUOTER		16. SIGNER	
b. STREET ADDRESS		a. NAME (Type or print)	
c. COUNTY		b. TELEPHONE AREA CODE	
d. CITY	e. STATE	f. ZIP CODE	c. TITLE (Type or print)
			NUMBER

STATEMENT OF WORK

1. **SCOPE:** Contractor to provide all labor, material and equipment to provide preventive maintenance/repair service for government-owned Cytiva (formerly GE Healthcare Biosystems) FPLC systems listed here: AKTA Pure 25 L1 FPLC system (Serial # 29018225-1962862), AKTA Purifier UPC100 FPLC system (Serial # 28406271-1389954) and AKTA Pure 25 L1 FPLC system (Serial # 29018225-2226473). All maintenance/repair services shall be performed in accordance with the manufacturer's standard commercial maintenance practices.

2. **PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE:** Contractor shall perform **one** (1) preventive maintenance inspections (PMI) per system during the contract period. Service shall be performed by technically qualified OEM factory trained personnel. Service shall consist of a thorough cleaning, calibration, adjusting, inspection, lubrication and testing of all equipment in accordance with the manufacturer's latest established service procedures. All equipment shall be operationally tested through at least one (1) complete operating cycle at the end of the preventive maintenance inspection assure optimum and efficient performance. The service engineer will document each PM visit and provide a service report on completion of the visit.

3. **REPAIR SERVICE:** Emergency repair services shall be provided on an unlimited basis during the term of this contract at no additional cost to the government. Emergency service shall be provided during normal working hours, Monday thru Friday excluding Federal Holidays. Upon receipt of notice that any part of the equipment is not functioning properly the Contractor shall furnish a qualified factory-trained OEM service representative to inspect the equipment and perform all repairs and adjustments necessary to restore the equipment to normal and efficient operating condition. Emergency service calls shall not replace the necessity for scheduled PMIs. All parts and labor costs are covered under this contract.

4. REPLACEMENT PARTS:

The contractor shall furnish all required replacement parts at no additional cost to the Government, with the exception of consumable parts to include batteries. Parts shall be new OEM replacement parts specified to original equipment specifications. Contract does not cover normal consumable products (with the exception of lamps).

5. SOFTWARE UPDATES/SERVICE

The contractor shall provide Software Service in accordance with the manufacturer's latest established service procedures, to include telephone access to technical support for use of program software and trouble shooting of the operating systems, at no additional cost to the Government. The contractor shall receive advance approval for the installation of all software updates and revisions from the Government. Defective software shall be replaced at no additional cost to the government. All software updates and revisions are provided at no additional cost to the government.

6. SERVICE EXCLUSIONS

The contractor shall not be responsible for any repairs necessitated by abuse, neglect, vandalism, Acts of God, fire or water. These repairs shall be the subject of a separate purchase order and shall not be performed under this contract.

7. PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS

Personnel shall be OEM factory training and experience in the servicing the type of equipment covered by this contract. All primary service personnel shall have at least one backup support have at least the same level of expertise on the equipment covered by this contract.

8. PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Service shall be performed at the following location:

NCI/CCR/LM
9000 Rockville Pike
Blg 37 Room 3125
Bethesda, MD 20892
POC; Kris Krausz 240-760-7273

9. PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE

12/21/2020 thru 12/20/2021

52.204-24 Representation Regarding Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment.

As prescribed in 4.2105(a), insert the following provision:

REPRESENTATION REGARDING CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT (AUG 2019)

(a) Definitions. As used in this provision—

Covered telecommunications equipment or services, Critical technology, and Substantial or essential component have the meanings provided in clause 52.204-25, Prohibition on Contracting for Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment.

(b) Prohibition. Section 889(a)(1)(A) of the John S. McCain National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2019 (Pub. L. 115-232) prohibits the head of an executive agency on or after August 13, 2019, from procuring or obtaining, or extending or renewing a contract to procure or obtain, any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system. Contractors are not prohibited from providing—

(1) A service that connects to the facilities of a third-party, such as backhaul, roaming, or interconnection arrangements; or

(2) Telecommunications equipment that cannot route or redirect user data traffic or permit visibility into any user data or packets that such equipment transmits or otherwise handles.

(c) Representation. The Offeror represents that—

It [] will, [] will not provide covered telecommunications equipment or services to the Government in the performance of any contract, subcontract or other contractual instrument resulting from this solicitation.

(d) Disclosures. If the Offeror has responded affirmatively to the representation in paragraph (c) of this provision, the Offeror shall provide the following information as part of the offer—

(1) All covered telecommunications equipment and services offered (include brand; model number, such as original equipment manufacturer (OEM) number, manufacturer part number, or wholesaler number; and item description, as applicable);

(2) Explanation of the proposed use of covered telecommunications equipment and services and any factors relevant to determining if such use would be permissible under the prohibition in paragraph (b) of this provision;

(3) For services, the entity providing the covered telecommunications services (include entity name, unique entity identifier, and Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) code, if known); and

(4) For equipment, the entity that produced the covered telecommunications equipment (include entity name, unique entity identifier, CAGE code, and whether the entity was the OEM or a distributor, if known).

(End of provision)