

SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION

Single Source Justification (Simplified Acquisition)

Section A: General Contract Information

Is this a Bridge Action as defined in the [AF Bridge Action Reduction Plan](#)? Yes No

Contracting Activity: 81st Contracting Squadron

Project/Program Name: Remote Keyboard Display Units

Purchase Request / Local ID Number: F2J5823215AW01

Estimated Contract Cost (including Options): [REDACTED]

Section B: Description of the Supplies/Services Required

338 TRS requests a sole source procurement from L3 Harris Technologies Inc, for Remote Keyboard display units that provide remote control of a single Harris Airborne Multi-Channel Radio.

Section C: Justification for Soliciting from a Single Source or Brand Name

The remote keyboard display units are solely produced by L3 Harris for their proprietary PRC-117 and PRC-160 communication radios. The only other option is a wireless device that would incur additional costs, equipment and creates a security vulnerability. The new training curriculum requires training on remote operation of the PRC-117/PRC-160, without these display units the 338TRS will be unable to provide the required training.

Section D: Efforts to Obtain Competition

A sources sought was posted on SAM.gov and no responses were received. L3 Harris Technologies inc, stated they are the sole manufacturer and have no authorized resellers.

Section E: Steps to Preclude Future Single Source or Brand Name Awards

The 338 TRS and 81 CONS will continue to monitor the market for any other suitable Remote Units that are capable of meeting the Government's requirement.

Section F: Contracting Officer's Determination

I have determined, in accordance with [FAR 13.106-1\(b\)\(1\)](#), that the circumstances of this contract action deem only a single source is reasonably available.

Date	Typed Name and Rank/Grade of Contracting Officer	Signature of Contracting Officer
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