Southern University Sole Source Justification Form

Items 1-4 for Department Use Items 5-7 for Vendor's Use

Department			
		1)	Identify items or services to be approved for Sole Source Treatment: (Use additional sheet if necessary)
		2)	Name of manufacturer of item(s):
3)	Identify single source supplier: A) Name of Supplier		
4)	If purchase related to compatibility with existing equipment, then identify the item(s) and applicable Tag number of State equipment:		
5)	 Sole Source Considerations (Place a check next to the one that best applies) A) [] Exclusive RightsItem under patent or copyright held by a single vendor and item possesses functions or capabilities critical to use B) [] Property DesignItem possesses a unique function or capacity critical in the use of the item and not available from any other C) [] Replacement EquipmentThe purchase is for equipment associated with use of the existing equipment where compatibility is essential for integrity of results D) [] Replacement PartsThe purchase is for replacement parts needed for repair of existing equipment where compatibility with equipment from the original manufacturer is paramount E) [] Replacement AccessoriesThe purchase is for accessories sought for enhancement of existing equipment where compatibility with equipment form the original manufacturer is paramount F) [] Technical ServiceThe purchase is for technical services associated with the assembly, installation or servicing of equipment of a highly technical or specialized nature G) [] Continuation or Prior WorkAdditional item, service or work required, but not known to have been needed when the original order was placed with vendor (need original purchase order#) H) [] Exclusive CapabilityOnly one vendor qualified (no other potential vendors) I) OtherProvide details 		
6)	 Replacement Equipment, Parts or Accessories (Place a check next to the one that best applies) A) [] The items is manufactured or produced by the supplier and the supplier solely distributes (sells) direct to the customer. B) [] The item is produced by the manufacturer, but not sold directly to the customer by the manufacturer, and the manufacturer solely distributes the item through a single supplier in the world, Unites States, region, Louisiana or identified market. 		
	If item is available from more than one supplier, the item can be treated as proprietary, but must be competitively solicited multiple sources of supply.		
7)	I thereby declare the information provided herein to be true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand any false or misleading information may be considered a violation under the Louisiana Procurement Code and can subject me to prosecution and penalty under LaR.S. 39:1679.		
Atta	ach: A letter from the vendor on letterhead stating why the service is a sole source.		
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