

Special Notice 12-SS-0018

Description: NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE

The Office of Naval Research (ONR) intends to issue a firm-fixed price award to a limited number of sources under the authority of FAR 6.302-1(a)(2)(iii), Only One Responsible Source and No Other Supplies or Services will Satisfy Agency Requirements, on or about June 22, 2012 under Contract Numbers N00014-12-M-0276, N00014-12-M-0279, N00014-12-M-0280, N00014-12-M-0283, N00014-12-M-0284, and N00014-12-M-0292. The period of performance for Contract Numbers N00014-12-M-0276, N00014-12-M-0279, N00014-12-M-0280, N00014-12-M-0283, N00014-12-M-0284 will be 22 June 2012 to 31 October 2013. The period of performance for Contract Number N00014-12-M-0292 will be 22 June 2012 to 31 January 2014

As Department of Defense (DoD) agencies work to develop jet noise mitigation solutions for existing propulsion systems, and quieter designs for the future, there is a need for consistent methods to measure and determine current noise emission levels and changes to noise emissions to evaluate progress of these efforts. The objective of the proposed effort is to support the development of a Noise Measurement Standard for uninstalled, military-aircraft engines. The prospective contractors shall advise a core team of Naval Air Systems Command (NAVAIR) and Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL) technical experts of their respective companies' supersonic jet-engine, noise-testing practices and procedures at core team meetings and a planned international workshop.

ONR intends to award this requirement to the following limited sources: Rolls Royce North American Technologies, Inc., Lockheed Martin Corporation, Williams International Co. LLC, The Boeing Company, Teledyne Technologies Inc., and Blue Ridge Research and Consulting LLC. These sources were selected because they retain the data rights to perform the effort. The core team requires the respective technical information in order to leverage prior and current noise measurement techniques to develop standard methods, guidelines, and best practices to be used by the noise measurement community.

The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) codes for this requirement are 541330 with the size standard of \$14,000,000, 336411 with the size standard of 1,500 employees and 336412 with the size standard of 1,000 employees. This notice of intent is not a request for proposals or quotes; however, all responsible sources may submit a quotation and technical capabilities, which, if received within fifteen calendar days of publication of this notice, shall be considered by ONR. All responses must be submitted to the Government point of contact at the email address shown below. A determination by the Government not to open the requirement to competition based upon the responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government.

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