# REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS (RFQ) RFQ (Enter RFQ Number)

To: All Prospective GSA Contractors:

From: The (Agency)

Subject: Request for Quote (RFQ) 70CMSW21Q00000017, Remove and replace existing R-22 AC units on the Jail and Pod buildings.

(Agency) is issuing this competitive RFQ under GSA Schedule for the purpose of awarding a single firm fixed price task order in accordance with Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 8.405. This is a competitive Small Business Set-Aside solicitation utilizing NAICS 238220- Plumbing, Heating, and Air-Conditioning Contractors.

(Agency) is seeking price reductions from the awarded Schedule pricing according to FAR 8.405-4. Contractor shall pass along any applicable manufacturer and installer warranty to the Government.

**REQUIREMENT:** All work is detailed in the Statement of Work (SOW)

**PLACE OF PERFORMANCE:** Place of performance is detailed in the SOW. The Government intends to award a Firm-Fixed Priced (FFP) Purchase Order from this solicitation. The period of performance for this award is Not to Exceed **6 Months**.

Please submit your response in accordance with the following instructions.

You are not encouraged to take exceptions to this solicitation and the Statement of Work (SOW), attachment 1.

Additionally, an (electronic) copy listing the applicable labor categories and fixed rates shall be part of the submission.

### **RFQ DUE DATE**

Responses to this RFQ must be received no later than 2:00pm Eastern Time, <u>Monday 5</u> <u>July 2021, emailed directly to (Agency POC) and (Agency POC).</u>

Emailed Quotes should reference the solicitation number RFQ: 70CMSW21Q00000017 and be sent to both (Agency POCs)

If you have questions regarding this requirement, please submit your inquiries immediately via email but no later than 1 July 2021, 2:00pm Eastern Time to (Agency POCs).

The Government reserves the right not to respond to any questions received concerning this solicitation after the date above. Contractors are encouraged to carefully review all solicitation requirements and submit questions to the Government early.

### SITE VISIT

A site visit will be conducted starting at 10:00 AM Local Time (MST) on Wednesday, June 30<sup>th</sup> 2021. Interested parties are limited to two (2) attendees and must contact (Agency POC), no later than noon on Friday June 25th, 2021.

The vendor will have to clear the entrance for the Federal Building, subject to screening, must wear a mask (face covering), and show proper ID.

### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

The contractor must provide all required documents to demonstrate their capability to satisfactorily perform the effort. The Government will focus on the Contractor's technical understanding and proposed cost to perform the full scope of work in accordance with (IAW) the SOW, and other pertinent attachments or exhibits.

TITLE	PAGE LIMIT
FACTOR I:	N/A
TECHNICAL APPROACH	
FACTOR II:	N/A
PRICE	

# **Factor I: Technical Approach**

1) Provide a Technical Quote that addresses the requirements of the SOW under section 6.0- Scope of Work:

Remove and replace Jail Units - (4ea) 7.5-ton, (2ea) 4-ton, and (2ea) 5-ton package gas electric units and adapter curbs.

Remove and replace Pod Units A,B,C,D,E – (10ea) 7.5-ton package gas electric 2 stage high efficiency units and adapter curbs.

The Jail units 3 & 4 need to be re-configured to avoid intake and discharge of air into each other.

Relocate and replace the POD disconnects to the outside of the surrounding wall and replace all other disconnects.

Install new A/C whips to each unit.

Install new gas flex to each unit where applicable.

Check conduit for good condition and reuse. Replace if necessary.

Install energy management controllers with discharge air sensors, fan/compressor stats, tie into the existing system to BMS, install Wi-Fi routers and hard wire units on roof with new space temp stainless steel plates. The existing BMS is Niagara by Tritium Bacnet to interface. The final integration of this system must be coordinated by onsite ICE staff and local servicing contractors.

#### Factor II: Price

Provide a full list of all equipment to include manufacturer, unit pricing, quantities and extended totals as well as information for Labor.

**BASIS FOR AWARD**: The award will be a firm-fixed-price (FFP) Purchase Order using the "Best Value" evaluation criteria.

Factor 1- Technical Approach
Factor 2- Price

Weight of Factors- Factor 1 is significantly more important than Factor 2.

For Factor 1, the Government will evaluate offers based on the following:

Excellent	The quote <u>exceeds</u> all minimum requirements in the SOW by providing more than one added benefit(s) to the Government.
Good	The quote meets all minimum requirements in the SOW and provides one added benefit to the Government.
Acceptable	The quote meets all minimum requirements in the SOW. No added benefits are identified.
Unacceptable	The quote fails to demonstrate an understanding of the objectives of the acquisition and fails to meet all minimum requirements in the SOW. Major revision(s) are required for minimum acceptability. The quote is unawardable.

#### Factor 2-

Price will be evaluated with respect to completeness based on information submitted in the contractor's price quote. The Government's price evaluation will assess the accuracy and completeness for the quotation, which will involve verification that prices and/or discounts are

included, figures are correctly calculated, and prices are presented in the adequate format. Consideration shall be given to the mix of labor proposed under the contractor's quote.

The contractor's price quote will be evaluated for price reasonableness to prevent the Government from paying too much for the services outlined in the SOW. Additionally, a price realism analysis will be performed to determine whether an offeror's price is unrealistically low. An unrealistically low quote may question whether a contractor fully understands the scope of services outlined in the SOW. An unrealistic price quote may serve as a rejection for the quote.

#### Attachments

Attachment 1- Statement of Work Attachment 2- Wage Determination

### Clauses (FAR, HSAR, DHS and ICE specific)

# <u>CLAUSES - GSA:</u> All GSA Schedule Clauses included in the vendor's GSA Schedule contract will be incorporated by reference at award.

#### Clauses - Referenced:

52.204-13 System for Award Management Maintenance (Oct 2018)

52.212-4 -- Contract Terms and Conditions -- Commercial Items (Jan 2017)

52.219-1 -- Small Business Program Representations (Oct 2014)

52.224-1 -- Privacy Act Notification (APR 1984)

52.224-2 -- Privacy Act (APR 1984)

52.233-1 -- Disputes (May 2014

### **FAR Deviation Clauses incorporated by Full Text:**

# 52.204-23 Prohibition on Contracting for Hardware, Software, and Services Developed or Provided by Kaspersky Lab and Other Covered Entities (DEVIATION 2020-05)

(APRIL 10, 2020)

- (a) Definitions. As used in this clause—
  - "Covered article" means any hardware, software, or service that-
  - (1) Is developed or provided by a covered entity;
  - (2) Includes any hardware, software, or service developed or provided in whole or in part by a covered entity; or
  - (3) Contains components using any hardware or software developed in whole or in part by a covered entity.

"Covered entity" means-

- (1) Kaspersky Lab;
- (2) Any successor entity to Kaspersky Lab;
- (3) Any entity that controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with Kaspersky Lab; or
- (4) Any entity of which Kaspersky Lab has a majority ownership.
- (b) *Prohibition*. Section 1634 of Division A of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018 (Pub. L. 115-91) prohibits Government use of any covered article. The Contractor is prohibited from—
  - (1) Providing any covered article that the Government will use on or after October 1, 2018; and
  - (2) Using any covered article on or after October 1, 2018, in the development of data or deliverables first produced in the performance of the contract.
- (c) Reporting requirement.
  - (1) In the event the Contractor identifies a covered article provided to the Government during contract performance, or the Contractor is notified of such by a subcontractor at any tier or any other source, the Contractor shall report, in writing via email, to the Contracting Officer, Contracting Officer's Representative, and the Enterprise Security Operations Center (SOC) at NDAA\_Incidents@hq.dhs.gov, with required information contained in the body of the email. In the case of the Department of Defense, the Contractor shall report to the website at <a href="https://dibnet.dod.mil">https://dibnet.dod.mil</a>. For indefinite delivery contracts, the Contractor shall report to the Enterprise SOC, Contracting Officer for the indefinite delivery contract and the Contracting Officer(s) and Contracting Officer's Representative(s) for any affected order or, in the case of the Department of Defense, identify both the indefinite delivery contract and any affected orders in the report provided at <a href="https://dibnet.dod.mil">https://dibnet.dod.mil</a>.
  - (2) The Contractor shall report the following information pursuant to paragraph (c)(1) of this clause:
    - (i) Within 1 business day from the date of such identification or notification: the contract number; the order number(s), if applicable; supplier name; brand; model number (Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) number, manufacturer part number, or wholesaler number); item description; and any readily available information about mitigation actions undertaken or recommended.
    - (ii) Within 10 business days of submitting the report pursuant to paragraph (c)(1) of this clause: any further available information about mitigation actions undertaken or recommended. In addition, the Contractor shall describe the efforts it undertook to prevent use or submission of a covered article, any reasons that led to the use or submission of the covered article, and any additional efforts that will be incorporated to prevent future use or submission of covered articles.
- (d) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (d), in all subcontracts, including subcontracts for the acquisition of commercial items. (End of clause)

52.204-25 PROHIBITION ON CONTRACTING FOR CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT (DEVIATION 20-05) (DEC 2020)

"Backhaul" means intermediate links between the core network, or backbone network, and the small subnetworks at the edge of the network (e.g., connecting cell phones/towers to the core telephone network). Backhaul can be wireless (e.g., microwave) or wired (e.g., fiber optic, coaxial cable, Ethernet).

"Covered foreign country" means The People's Republic of China.

"Covered telecommunications equipment or services" means—

- (1) Telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities);
- (2) For the purpose of public safety, security of Government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities);
- (3) Telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment; or
- (4) Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a covered foreign country.

"Critical technology" means-

- (1) Defense articles or defense services included on the United States Munitions List set forth in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations under subchapter M of chapter I of title 22, Code of Federal Regulations;
- (2) Items included on the Commerce Control List set forth in Supplement No. 1 to part 774 of the Export Administration Regulations under subchapter C of chapter VII of title 15, Code of Federal Regulations, and controlled-
  - (i) Pursuant to multilateral regimes, including for reasons relating to national security, chemical and biological weapons proliferation, nuclear nonproliferation, or missile technology; or
  - (ii) For reasons relating to regional stability or surreptitious listening;
- (3) Specially designed and prepared nuclear equipment, parts and components, materials, software, and technology covered by part 810 of title 10, Code of Federal Regulations (relating to assistance to foreign atomic energy activities);
- (4) Nuclear facilities, equipment, and material covered by part 110 of title 10, Code of Federal Regulations (relating to export and import of nuclear equipment and

material);

- (5) Select agents and toxins covered by part 331 of title 7, Code of Federal Regulations, part 121 of title 9 of such Code, or part 73 of title 42 of such Code; or
- (6) Emerging and foundational technologies controlled pursuant to section 1758 of the Export Control Reform Act of 2018 (50 U.S.C. 4817).

"Interconnection arrangements" means arrangements governing the physical connection of two or more networks to allow the use of another's network to hand off traffic where it is ultimately delivered (e.g., connection of a customer of telephone provider A to a customer of telephone company B) or sharing data and other information resources.

"Reasonable inquiry" means an inquiry designed to uncover any information in the entity's possession about the identity of the producer or provider of covered telecommunications equipment or services used by the entity that excludes the need to include an internal or third-party audit.

"Roaming" means cellular communications services (e.g., voice, video, data) received from a visited network when unable to connect to the facilities of the home network either because signal coverage is too weak or because traffic is too high.

"Substantial or essential component" means any component necessary for the proper function or performance of a piece of equipment, system, or service.

### (b) Prohibition.

- (1) 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. The Contractor is prohibited from providing to the Government 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, unless an exception at paragraph
- (c) of this clause applies or the covered telecommunication equipment or services are covered by a waiver described in FAR 4.2104.
- (2) Section 889(a)(1)(B) 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, 2020, from entering into a contract, or extending or renewing a contract, with an entity that uses 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, unless an exception at paragraph (c) of this clause applies or the covered telecommunication equipment or services are covered by a waiver described in FAR 4.2104. This prohibition applies to the use of covered telecommunications equipment or services, regardless of whether that use is in performance of work under a Federal contract.

- (c) Exceptions. This clause does not prohibit contractors 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.

# (d) Reporting requirement.

- (1) In the event the Contractor identifies covered telecommunications equipment or services used as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system, during contract performance, or the Contractor is notified of such by a subcontractor at any tier or by any other source, the Contractor shall report the information in paragraph (d)(2) of this clause in writing via email to the Contracting Officer, Contracting Officer's Representative, and the Network Operations Security Center (NOSC) at NDAA Incidents@hq.dhs.gov, with required information in the body of the email. In the case of the Department of Defense, the Contractor shall report to the website at <a href="https://dibnet.dod.mil">https://dibnet.dod.mil</a>. For indefinite delivery contracts, the Contractor shall report to the NOSC, Contracting Officer for the indefinite delivery contract and the Contracting Officer(s) and Contracting Officer's Representative(s) for any affected order or, in the case of the Department of Defense, identify both the indefinite delivery contract and any affected orders in the report provided at <a href="https://dibnet.dod.mil">https://dibnet.dod.mil</a>.
- (2) The Contractor shall report the following information pursuant to paragraph (d)(1) of this clause
  - (i) Within one business day from the date of such identification or notification: the contract number; the order number(s), if applicable; supplier name; supplier unique entity identifier (if known); supplier Commercial and Government Entity (CAGE) code (if known); brand; model number (original equipment manufacturer number, manufacturer part number, or wholesaler number); item description; and any readily available information about mitigation actions undertaken or recommended.
  - (ii) Within 10 business days of submitting the information in paragraph (d)(2)(i) of this clause: any further available information about mitigation actions undertaken or recommended. In addition, the Contractor shall describe the efforts it undertook to prevent use or submission of covered telecommunications equipment or services, and any additional efforts that will be incorporated to prevent future use or submission of covered telecommunications equipment or services.
- (e) Subcontracts. The Contractor shall insert the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (e) and excluding paragraph (b)(2), in all subcontracts and other contractual instruments, including subcontracts for the acquisition of commercial items.

(End of clause)

# **52.232-40** Providing Accelerated Payments to Small Business Subcontractors. (DEC 2013) (DEVIATION APR 2020)

- (a)(1) In accordance with 31 U.S.C. 3903 and 10 U.S.C. 2307, upon receipt of accelerated payments from the Government, the Contractor shall make accelerated payments to its small business subcontractors under this contract in accordance with the accelerated payment date established, to the maximum extent practicable and prior to when such payment is otherwise required under the applicable contract or subcontract, with a goal of 15 days after receipt of a proper invoice and all other required documentation from the small business subcontractor if a specific payment date is not established by contract.
- (2) The Contractor agrees to make such payments to its small business subcontractors without any further consideration from or fees charged to the subcontractor.
- (b) The acceleration of payments under this clause does not provide any new rights under the Prompt Payment Act.
- (c) Include the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (c), in all subcontracts with small business concerns, including subcontracts with small business concerns for the acquisition of commercial items. (End of clause)

# **HSAR Deviation Clauses incorporated by Full Text:**

# HSAR 3052.222-72 Combating Race and Sex Stereotyping (DEVIATION 21-01) (NOV 2020)

(a) Definition. As used in this clause.

Race or sex stereotyping means ascribing character traits, values, moral and ethical codes, privileges, status, or beliefs to a race or sex, or to an individual because of his or her race or sex. Race or sex scapegoating means assigning fault, blame, or bias to a race or sex, or to members of a race or sex because of their race or sex.

- (b) Exemptions. The exemptions that apply to Executive Order (E.O.) 11246 (see FAR 22.807) also apply to E.O. 13950 and the requirements of this clause.
- (c) Compliance with E.O. 13950 Combating Race and Sex Stereotyping. Unless exempted under paragraph (b) of this clause, the Contractor shall not use any workplace training the inculcates in its employees any form of race or sex stereotyping or any form of race or sex scapegoating, including the concepts that—
- (1) One race or sex is inherently superior to another race or sex;
- (2) An individual, by virtue of his or her race or sex, is inherently racist, sexist, or oppressive, whether consciously or unconsciously;
- (3) An individual should be discriminated against or receive adverse treatment solely or partly because of his or her race or sex;
- (4) Members of one race or sex cannot and should not attempt to treat others without respect to race or sex;
- (5) An individual's moral character is necessarily determined by his or her race or sex;
- (6) An individual, by virtue of his or her race or sex, bears responsibility for actions committed in the past by other members of the same race or sex;
- (7) Any individual should feel discomfort, guilt, anguish, or any other form of psychological distress on account of his or her race or sex; or
- (8) Meritocracy or traits such as a hard work ethic are racist or sexist, or were created by a particular race to oppress another race.
- (d) Notice. The Contractor shall send, to each labor union or representative of workers with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, the notice provided below advising the labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's

commitments under this clause, and post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

### **NOTICE**

**Employers Holding Federal Contracts or Subcontracts** 

Contractors shall not use any workplace training that inculcates in its employees any form of race or sex stereotyping or any form of race or sex scapegoating, including the following concepts that—

- (1) One race or sex is inherently superior to another race or sex;
- (2) An individual, by virtue of his or her race or sex, is inherently racist, sexist, or oppressive, whether consciously or unconsciously;
- (3) An individual should be discriminated against or receive adverse treatment solely or partly because of his or her race or sex;
- (4) Members of one race or sex cannot and should not attempt to treat others without respect to race or sex;
- (5) An individual's moral character is necessarily determined by his or her race or sex;
- (6) An individual, by virtue of his or her race or sex, bears responsibility for actions committed in the past by other members of the same race or sex;
- (7) Any individual should feel discomfort, guilt, anguish, or any other form of psychological distress on account of his or her race or sex; or
- (8) Meritocracy or traits such as a hard work ethic are racist or sexist, or were created by a particular race to oppress another race.

For use in this notice—

"Race or sex scapegoating" means assigning fault, blame, or bias to a race or sex, or to members of a race or sex because of their race or sex; and

"Race or sex stereotyping" means ascribing character traits, values, moral and ethical codes, privileges, status, or beliefs to a race or sex, or to an individual because of his or her race or sex. Any person who believes a contractor has violated its nondiscrimination or affirmative action obligations under this notice should immediately contact the Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs (OFCCP) Complaint Hotline to Combat Race and Sex Stereotyping at 202-343-2008 or via email at OFCCPComplaintHotline@dol.gov. (End of notice)

- (e) Noncompliance. In the event it is determined that the Contractor is not in compliance with this clause or any rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part, and the Contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts, under the procedures authorized in E.O. 11246, as amended. In addition, sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked against the Contractor as provided in
- E.O. 11246, as amended; in the rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor; or as otherwise provided by law.
- (f) Subcontracts. (1) The Contractor shall include the substance of this clause, including this paragraph (f), in all subcontracts that exceed \$10,000 and are not exempted by the rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued under E.O. 11246, as amended, so that these terms and conditions will be binding upon each subcontractor.
- (2) The Contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract as the Director of OFCCP may direct as a means of enforcing these terms and conditions, including sanctions for noncompliance, provided, that if the Contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor as a result of such direction, the Contractor may request the United States to enter into the litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

(End of clause

## **HSAR Clauses incorporated by Reference:**

[Contracting Officer check as appropriate.]

3052.203-70, Instructions for Contractor Disclosure of Violations (Sep 2012)X3052.204-71 Contractor Employee Access.

3052.205-70, Advertisements, Publicizing Awards, and Releases (Sep 2012)

3052.209-71, Reserve Officer Training Corps and Military Recruiting on Campus (Dec 2003)

### **FAR Provision Incorporated in Full Text:**

# 52.204-24 Representation Regarding Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment. (Oct 2020)

The Offeror shall not complete the representation at paragraph (d)(1) of this provision if the Offeror has represented that it "does not provide covered telecommunications equipment or services as a part of its offered products or services to the Government in the performance of any contract, subcontract, or other contractual instrument" in paragraph (c)(1) in the provision at 52.204-26, Covered Telecommunications Equipment or Services—Representation, or in paragraph (v)(2)(i) of the provision at 52.212-3, Offeror Representations and Certifications-Commercial Items. The Offeror shall not complete the representation in paragraph (d)(2) of this provision if the Offeror has represented that it "does not use covered telecommunications equipment or services, or any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services" in paragraph (c)(2) of the provision at 52.204-26, or in paragraph (v)(2)(ii) of the provision at 52.212-3.

### (a) Definitions. As used in this provision—

Backhaul, covered telecommunications equipment or services, critical technology, interconnection arrangements, reasonable inquiry, roaming, and substantial or essential component have the meanings provided in the clause 52.204-25, Prohibition on Contracting for Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment.

# (b) Prohibition.

- (1) 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. Nothing in the prohibition shall be construed to—
- (i) Prohibit the head of an executive agency from procuring with an entity to provide a service that connects to the facilities of a third-party, such as backhaul, roaming, or interconnection arrangements; or

- (ii) Cover telecommunications equipment that cannot route or redirect user data traffic or cannot permit visibility into any user data or packets that such equipment transmits or otherwise handles.
- (2) Section 889(a)(1)(B) 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, 2020, from entering into a contract or extending or renewing a contract with an entity that uses 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. This prohibition applies to the use of covered telecommunications equipment or services, regardless of whether that use is in performance of work under a Federal contract. Nothing in the prohibition shall be construed to—
- (i) Prohibit the head of an executive agency from procuring with an entity to provide a service that connects to the facilities of a third-party, such as backhaul, roaming, or interconnection arrangements; or
- (ii) Cover telecommunications equipment that cannot route or redirect user data traffic or cannot permit visibility into any user data or packets that such equipment transmits or otherwise handles.
- (c) *Procedures*. The Offeror shall review the list of excluded parties in the System for Award Management (SAM) (https://www.sam.gov) for entities excluded from receiving federal awards for "covered telecommunications equipment or services".
  - (d) Representation. The Offeror represents that—
- (1) It  $\Box$  will,  $\Box$  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. The Offeror shall provide the additional disclosure information required at paragraph (e)(1) of this section if the Offeror responds "will" in paragraph (d)(1) of this section; and
- (2) After conducting a reasonable inquiry, for purposes of this representation, the Offeror represents that—

It  $\Box$  does,  $\Box$  does not use covered telecommunications equipment or services, or use any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services. The Offeror shall provide the additional disclosure information required at paragraph (e)(2) of this section if the Offeror responds "does" in paragraph (d)(2) of this section.

### (e) Disclosures.

- (1) Disclosure for the representation in paragraph (d)(1) of this provision. If the Offeror has responded "will" in the representation in paragraph (d)(1) of this provision, the Offeror shall provide the following information as part of the offer:
  - (i) For covered equipment—

- (A) The entity that produced the covered telecommunications equipment (include entity name, unique entity identifier, CAGE code, and whether the entity was the original equipment manufacturer (OEM) or a distributor, if known);
- (B) A description of all covered telecommunications equipment offered (include brand; model number, such as OEM number, manufacturer part number, or wholesaler number; and item description, as applicable); and
- (C) Explanation of the proposed use of covered telecommunications equipment and any factors relevant to determining if such use would be permissible under the prohibition in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.

### (ii) For covered services—

- (A) If the service is related to item maintenance: A description of all covered telecommunications services offered (include on the item being maintained: Brand; model number, such as OEM number, manufacturer part number, or wholesaler number; and item description, as applicable); or
- (B) If not associated with maintenance, the Product Service Code (PSC) of the service being provided; an explanation of the proposed use of covered telecommunications services and any factors relevant to determining if such use would be permissible under the prohibition in paragraph (b)(1) of this provision.
- (2) Disclosure for the representation in paragraph (d)(2) of this provision. If the Offeror has responded "does" in the representation in paragraph (d)(2) of this provision, the Offeror shall provide the following information as part of the offer:

### (i) For covered equipment—

- (A) 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);
- (B) A description of all covered telecommunications equipment offered (include brand; model number, such as OEM number, manufacturer part number, or wholesaler number; and item description, as applicable); and
- (C) Explanation of the proposed use of covered telecommunications equipment and any factors relevant to determining if such use would be permissible under the prohibition in paragraph (b)(2) of this provision.

### (ii) For covered services—

(A) If the service is related to item maintenance: A description of all covered telecommunications services offered (include on the item being maintained: Brand; model number, such as OEM number, manufacturer part number, or wholesaler number; and item description, as applicable); or

(B) If not associated with maintenance, the PSC of the service being provided; and explanation of the proposed use of covered telecommunications services and any factors relevant to determining if such use would be permissible under the prohibition in paragraph (b)(2) of this provision.

(End of provision)

### 52.204-26 Covered Telecommunications Equipment or Services-Representation. (Oct 2020)

- (a) Definitions. As used in this provision, "covered telecommunications equipment or services" and "reasonable inquiry" have the meaning provided in the clause 52.204-25, Prohibition on Contracting for Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment.
- (b) Procedures. The Offeror shall review the list of excluded parties in the System for Award Management (SAM) (https://www.sam.gov) for entities excluded from receiving federal awards for "covered telecommunications equipment or services".
- (c)(1) Representation. The Offeror represents that it  $\Box$  does,  $\Box$  does not provide covered telecommunications equipment or services as a part of its offered products or services to the Government in the performance of any contract, subcontract, or other contractual instrument.
- (2) After conducting a reasonable inquiry for purposes of this representation, the offeror represents that it  $\Box$  does,  $\Box$  does not use covered telecommunications equipment or services, or any equipment, system, or service that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services. (End of provision)

**End of Solicitation**