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# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PURCHASING DIVISION

2019 WASHINGTON STREET, EAST P.O. BOX 50130 CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA 25305-0130 ROBERT W FERGUSON, JR. CABINET SECRETARY

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TO:

Vendors

FROM:

Jo Ann Adkins, Senior Buyer

**Purchasing Division** 

RE:

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DATE:

March, 15, 2007

The "Request for Quotation" for Debt Collection Services, will not be scanned on the Internet due to the volume. Vendors may view the "Request for Quotation" at the office of the WV State Purchasing Division, 2019 Washington Street, East, Charleston, WV 25311 You may call me for an appointment at (304) 558-8802, fax: (304) 558-4115 or e-mail joadkins@wvadmin.gov

Request for Quotations received for the following:

Affiliated Group Alliance One **CBCS** Continental Services Group Creditors Interchange **CCA** General Revenue Corp Healthcare Financial – CAMC Municipal Services United Collection Value Recovery Holding Joseph Mann & Creed Penncro Associates Windham Professionals OSI Collection Service NCO Group Inc NRA Group

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#### Request for Quotation

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AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS
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TYPE NAME/ADDRESS	HERE
Windham Professionals, Inc	
380 Main Street	
Salem, NH 03079	

TERMS OF SALE DATE PRINTED SHIP VIA F.O.B. FREIGHTTERMS 01/23/2007 BID OPENING DATE: 02/22/2007 BID OPENING TIME 01:30PM CAT; LINE QUANTITY UOP ITEM NUMBER UNITPRICE AMOUNT REQUEST FOR QUOTATION FOR A BLANKET OPEN-END STATEWIDE CONTRACT TO COLLECT DEBTS ON BEHALF OF THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR ALL STATE AGENCIES AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS. INQUIRIES WRITTEN QUESTIONS SHALL BE ACCEPTED THROUGH CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2007. QUESTIONS MAY BE SENT VIA USPS, FAX, COURIER AND EMAIL. IN ORDER TO ASSURE NO VENDOR RECEIVES AN UNFAIR ADVANTAGE, NO SUBSTANTIVE QUESTIONS WILL BE ANSWERED ORALLY. IF POSSIBLE, E-MAIL QUESTIONS ARE PREFERRED. ADDRESS INQUIRIES TO: JO ANN ADKINS DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PURCHASING DIVISION 2019 WASHINGTON STREET, EAST CHARLESTON, WV 25305 FAX: 304-558-4115 EMAIL: JOADKINSƏWVADMIN.GOV ATTACHMENTS: 1. SPECIFICATIONS DATED 1/22/2007, 7 PAGES 2. PRICING PAGE, 1 PAGE. BIDDERS MUST USE THIS PRICING PAGE WHEN BIDDING ON THIS RFQ. SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS SIGNATURE TELEPHONE 800-969-0059 FEIN 04-2775058 ADDRESS CHANGES TO BE NOTED ABOVE

### GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) AND REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

- 1. Awards will be made in the best interest of the State of West Virginia
- 2. The State may accept or reject in part, or in whole, any bid.
- 3. All quotations are governed by the West Virginia Code and the Legislative Rules of the Purchasing Division.
- 4. Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125.00 registration fee.
- 5. All services performed or goods delivered under State Purchase Orders/Contracts are to be continued for the term of the Purchase Order/Contract, contingent upon funds being appropriated by the Legislature or otherwise being made available. In the event funds are not appropriated or otherwise available for these services or goods, this Purchase Order/Contract becomes void and of no effect after June 30.
- 6. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
- 7. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the West Virginia Code.
- 8. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the West Virginia Code,
- 9. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
- 10. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller
- 11. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division shall govern all rights and duties under the Contract, including without limitation the validity of this Purchase Order/Contract.
- 12. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties.
- 13. BANKRUPTCY: In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, this contract is automatically null and void, and is terminated without further order.
- 14. HIPAA Business Associate Addendum The West Viginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, and available online at the Purchasing Division's web site (http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm) is hereby made part of the agreement. Provided that, the Agency meets the definition of a Covered Entity (45 CFR §160.103) and will be disclosing Protected Health Information (45 CFR §160.103) to the vendor

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

- 1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division.
- 2. SPECIFICATIONS: Items offered must be in compliance with the specifications. Any deviation from the specifications must be clearly indicated by the bidder. Alternates offered by the bidder as EQUAL to the specifications must be clearly defined. A bidder offering an alternate should attach complete specifications and literature to the bid. The Purchasing Division may waive minor deviations to specifications.
- 3. Complete all sections of the quotation form
- Unit prices shall prevail in cases of discrepancy.
- 5. All quotations are considered FOB. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
- 6. BID SUBMISSION: All quotations must be delivered by the bidder to the office listed below prior to the date and time of the bid opening. Failure of the bidder to deliver the quotations on time will result in bid disqualifications.

#### SIGNED BID TO:

Department of Administration Purchasing Division 2019 Washington Street East Post Office Box 50130 Charleston, WV 25305-0130

#### **DEBT07 PRICING PAGE**

#### VENDOR MUST COMPLETE THIS SCHEDULE

## THE FEE STRUCTURE SUBMITTED TO THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA IS AS FOLLOWS:

AGENCY	TYPE OF ACCOUNT	% OF AMOUNT COLLECTED
1. Colleges & Universities	Per Debt	23 % + 5 %
2. Workers' Compensation:	Delinquent Account	17 % 17%
	Default Account	
3. WV Department of Tax and Revenue:	New accounts	33 %
	Levy Account – where our employee is instrumental in the preparation of the levies.	30 %
4. Division of Environmental Protection:	Per Debt	33 %
5. Other Spending Units:	Per Debt	33 %
6. Rate of Second Placement	Per Debt Colleges	30 % 33 % + 5%

#### BIDDER CONTACT INFORMATION

VENDOR: Windham Professionals Inc.
BIDDER NAME(PRINT) Patrick Hamilton
CONTACT NAME(PRINI) Patrick Hamilton
PHONE NUMBER: 800-969-0059
FAX NUMBER: 603-251-0419
E-MAIL: phamilton@windhampros.com
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