

SOLE SOURCE DETERMINATION

The Purchasing Division has been requested to approve a sole source purchase for the commodity or service described below. Pursuant to West Virginia Code 5A-3-10c, the Purchasing Division is attempting to determine whether the commodity or service is a sole source procurement. If you believe your company meets the required experience and qualification criteria stated below, please e-mail the Purchasing Division Buyer at jo.a.adkins@wv.gov with a copy to Karen.Q.Byrd@wv.gov to express your interest in the project. Please forward any and all information that will support your company's compliance with required qualification and eligibility criteria along with any other pertinent information relative to this project to the Purchasing Division no later than September 26, 2008.

Requisition Number:LADPLAT09 (Statewide Contract)

Detailed Description of Project: Platform step of ladders

Proposed Sole Source Vendor: Ladder Platforms International

Specific Eligibility Criteria: 3 years in business

Specific Qualification Criteria: US Patent DES353469,

Tensile Strength, break	1.80×10^4	1.27×10^3
Flexural Str Yield	3.80×10^4	2.67×10^3
Flexural Modules	9.00×10^5	6.33×10^4
Hardness	M101(Rockwell)	
Dielectric Strength	530	2.08×10^4

Platform to hold approximately 437# per square inch as a dead weight.