



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

Request for Quotation

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MICHAEL AUSTIN 304-558-2402

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CABLE GUARDRAIL REPAIR PARTS						
OPEN END CONTRACT						
TO PROVIDE CABLE GUARDRAIL REPAIR PARTS FOR THE WEST VIRGINIA DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS PER THE ATTACHED DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS.						
EXHIBIT 3						
LIFE OF CONTRACT: THIS CONTRACT BECOMES EFFECTIVE ON AND EXTENDS FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR OR UNTIL SUCH "REASONABLE TIME" THEREAFTER AS IS NECESSARY TO OBTAIN A NEW CONTRACT OR RENEW THE ORIGINAL CONTRACT. THE "REASONABLE TIME" PERIOD SHALL NOT EXCEED TWELVE (12) MONTHS. DURING THIS "REASONABLE TIME" THE VENDOR MAY TERMINATE THIS CONTRACT FOR ANY REASON UPON GIVING THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING 30 DAYS WRITTEN NOTICE.						
UNLESS SPECIFIC PROVISIONS ARE STIPULATED ELSEWHERE IN THIS CONTRACT DOCUMENT, THE TERMS, CONDITIONS AND PRICING SET HEREIN ARE FIRM FOR THE LIFE OF THE CONTRACT.						
RENEWAL: THIS CONTRACT MAY BE RENEWED UPON THE MUTUAL WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE SPENDING UNIT AND VENDOR, SUBMITTED TO THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING THIRTY (30) DAYS PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION DATE. SUCH RENEWAL SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE						

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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. Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125 fee.
4. All services performed or goods delivered under State Purchase Order/Contracts are to be continued for the term of the Purchase Order/Contracts, 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.
5. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
6. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
7. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the *West Virginia Code*.
8. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
9. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller.
10. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division shall govern the purchasing process.
11. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties.
12. **BANKRUPTCY:** In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, the State may deem this contract null and void, and terminate such contract without further order.
13. **HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM:** The West Virginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, is available online at www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm and is hereby made part of the agreement. Provided that the Agency meets the definition of a Cover Entity (45 CFR §160.103) and will be disclosing Protected Health Information (45 CFR §160.103) to the vendor.
14. **CONFIDENTIALITY:** The vendor agrees that he or she will not disclose to anyone, directly or indirectly, any such personally identifiable information or other confidential information gained from the agency, unless the individual who is the subject of the information consents to the disclosure in writing or the disclosure is made pursuant to the agency's policies, procedures, and rules. Vendor further agrees to comply with the Confidentiality Policies and Information Security Accountability Requirements, set forth in <http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/privacy/noticeConfidentiality.pdf>.
15. **LICENSING:** Vendors must be licensed and in good standing in accordance with any and all state and local laws and requirements by any state or local agency of West Virginia, including, but not limited to, the West Virginia Secretary of State's Office, the West Virginia Tax Department, and the West Virginia Insurance Commission. The vendor must provide all necessary releases to obtain information to enable the director or spending unit to verify that the vendor is licensed and in good standing with the above entities.
16. **ANTITRUST:** In submitting a bid to any agency for the State of West Virginia, the bidder offers and agrees that if the bid is accepted the bidder will convey, sell, assign or transfer to the State of West Virginia all rights, title and interest in and to all causes of action it may now or hereafter acquire under the antitrust laws of the United States and the State of West Virginia for price fixing and/or unreasonable restraints of trade relating to the particular commodities or services purchased or acquired by the State of West Virginia. Such assignment shall be made and become effective at the time the purchasing agency tenders the initial payment to the bidder.

I certify that this bid is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, limited liability company, partnership, or person or entity submitting a bid for the same material, supplies, equipment or services and is in all respects fair and without collusion or Fraud. I further certify that I am authorized to sign the certification on behalf of the bidder or this bid.

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division. Complete all sections of the quotation form.
2. 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. Unit prices shall prevail in case of discrepancy. All quotations are considered F.O.B. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
4. 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: Department of Administration, Purchasing Division, 2019 Washington Street East, P.O. Box 50130, Charleston, WV 25305-0130
5. Communication during the solicitation, bid, evaluation or award periods, except through the Purchasing Division, is strictly prohibited (W.Va. C.S.R. §148-1-6.6).



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<p>ORIGINAL CONTRACT AND SHALL BE LIMITED TO TWO (2) ONE (1) YEAR PERIODS.</p> <p>CANCELLATION: THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CANCEL THIS CONTRACT IMMEDIATELY UPON WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE VENDOR IF THE COMMODITIES AND/OR SERVICE SUPPLIED ARE OF AN INFERIOR QUALITY OR DO NOT CONFORM TO THE SPECIFICATIONS OF THE BID AND CONTRACT HEREIN.</p> <p>OPEN MARKET CLAUSE: THE DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING MAY AUTHORIZE A SPENDING UNIT TO PURCHASE ON THE OPEN MARKET, WITHOUT THE FILING OF A REQUISITION OR COST ESTIMATE, ITEMS SPECIFIED ON THIS CONTRACT FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY IN EMERGENCIES DUE TO UNFORESEEN CAUSES (INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO DELAYS IN TRANSPORTATION OR AN UNANTICIPATED INCREASE IN THE VOLUME OF WORK.)</p> <p>QUANTITIES: QUANTITIES LISTED IN THE REQUISITION ARE APPROXIMATIONS ONLY, BASED ON ESTIMATES SUPPLIED BY THE STATE SPENDING UNIT. IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED THAT THE CONTRACT SHALL COVER THE QUANTITIES ACTUALLY ORDERED FOR DELIVERY DURING THE TERM OF THE CONTRACT, WHETHER MORE OR LESS THAN THE QUANTITIES SHOWN.</p> <p>ORDERING PROCEDURE: SPENDING UNIT(S) SHALL ISSUE A WRITTEN STATE CONTRACT ORDER (FORM NUMBER WV-39) TO THE VENDOR FOR COMMODITIES COVERED BY THIS CONTRACT. THE ORIGINAL COPY OF THE WV-39 SHALL BE MAILED TO THE VENDOR AS AUTHORIZATION FOR SHIPMENT, A SECOND COPY MAILED TO THE PURCHASING DIVISION, AND A THIRD COPY RETAINED BY THE SPENDING UNIT.</p> <p>BANKRUPTCY: IN THE EVENT THE VENDOR/CONTRACTOR FILES FOR BANKRUPTCY PROTECTION, THE STATE MAY DEEM THE CONTRACT NULL AND VOID, AND TERMINATE SUCH CONTRACT</p>						

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<p>WITHOUT FURTHER ORDER.</p> <p>THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS CONTAINED IN THIS CONTRACT SHALL SUPERSEDE ANY AND ALL SUBSEQUENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS WHICH MAY APPEAR ON ANY ATTACHED PRINTED DOCUMENTS SUCH AS PRICE LISTS, ORDER FORMS, SALES AGREEMENTS OR MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS, INCLUDING ANY ELECTRONIC MEDIUM SUCH AS CD-ROM.</p> <p>REV. 05/26/2009</p> <p>EXHIBIT 10</p> <p>REQUISITION NO.:</p> <p>ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT</p> <p>I HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE FOLLOWING CHECKED ADDENDUM(S) AND HAVE MADE THE NECESSARY REVISIONS TO MY PROPOSAL, PLANS AND/OR SPECIFICATION, ETC.</p> <p>ADDENDUM NO.'S:</p> <p>NO. 1</p> <p>NO. 2</p> <p>NO. 3</p> <p>NO. 4</p> <p>NO. 5</p> <p>I UNDERSTAND THAT FAILURE TO CONFIRM THE RECEIPT OF THE ADDENDUM(S) MAY BE CAUSE FOR REJECTION OF BIDS.</p>						

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<p>VENDOR MUST CLEARLY UNDERSTAND THAT ANY VERBAL REPRESENTATION MADE OR ASSUMED TO BE MADE DURING ANY ORAL DISCUSSION HELD BETWEEN VENDOR'S REPRESENTATIVES AND ANY STATE PERSONNEL IS NOT BINDING. ONLY THE INFORMATION ISSUED IN WRITING AND ADDED TO THE SPECIFICATIONS BY AN OFFICIAL ADDENDUM IS BINDING.</p> <p>..... SIGNATURE</p> <p>..... COMPANY</p> <p>..... DATE</p> <p>NOTE: THIS ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SHOULD BE SUBMITTED WITH THE BID.</p> <p>REV. 09/21/2009</p> <p>NOTICE</p> <p>A SIGNED BID MUST BE SUBMITTED TO:</p> <p>DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PURCHASING DIVISION BUILDING 15 2019 WASHINGTON STREET, EAST CHARLESTON, WV 25305-0130</p>						

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<p>THE BID SHOULD CONTAIN THIS INFORMATION ON THE FACE OF THE ENVELOPE OR THE BID MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED:</p> <p>SEALED BID</p> <p>BUYER: 33</p> <p>RFQ. NO.: 6610C029</p> <p>BID OPENING DATE: 06/16/2010</p> <p>BID OPENING TIME: 1:30 PM</p> <p>PLEASE PROVIDE A FAX NUMBER IN CASE IT IS NECESSARY TO CONTACT YOU REGARDING YOUR BID:</p> <p>-----</p> <p>CONTACT PERSON (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY):</p> <p>-----</p> <p>***** THIS IS THE END OF RFQ 6610C029 ***** TOTAL: _____</p>						

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1. **BIDDING INSTRUCTIONS**

The purpose of this contract is to provide cable guardrail repair parts to the West Virginia Division of Highways per the attached description or specifications and drawings.

Vendors shall bid on all cable guardrail systems they propose to furnish.

Any qualification of bids or modification of the specifications, design, or conditions governing the bids may be cause to reject bids.

2. **CONTRACT AWARD**

Contract will be awarded to the qualified vendor who submits the low bid per system.

In the event a Vendor fails to conform to the requirements set out in this contract document, the State Contract Order or the governing specifications, the Contract may be cancelled and awarded to the next lowest bidder.

3. **DELIVERY**

Materials under this contract are to be shipped prepaid FOB delivery to West Virginia Division of Highways District Storerooms as follows:

District One	Charleston
District Two	Huntington
District Three	Parkersburg
District Four	Clarksburg
District Five	Burlington
District Six	Moundsville
District Seven	Weston
District Eight	Elkins
District Nine	Lewisburg
District Ten	Princeton

Materials should be shipped to the location and in the quantity specified in State Contract Purchase Orders (SCO's) within 30 days after the SCO is issued by the Division of Highways.

4. **VENDOR'S INVOICE**

Vendor's invoices must be submitted in original and one (1) copy and contain the following:

- a. Division of Highways' State Contract Order (SCO) number, and this contract number.
- b. Total quantity and unit price.

NOTE: Under no circumstances will the West Virginia Division of Highways accept, or pay for, quantities of material in excess of the quantity stated on the State Contract Order.

5. **PURSHASING CARD ACCEPTANCE**

The State of West Virginia currently utilizes a VISA Purchasing Card Program which is issued through a bank. The successful vendors must accept the State of West Virginia VISA Purchasing Card for payment of all orders placed by State DOT agency for orders as a condition of award.

NOTE: Vendor should type Bid Schedule

CASS SYSTEM PARTS LIST			
CASS TL-3, 3-CABLE DRAWING #SS-730			
CABLE LINE POST			
PART #	DESCRIPTION	ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION	PRICE
5700B	Cass Cable Spacer TL3	Spacer Non-Reflective	\$ _____
5701B	Cass CBL Spacer TL3 REFLYEL	Spacer Reflective - Yellow	\$ _____
5707T	Cass Post Strap S4 TL ¾	Stainless Post Strap	\$ _____
5708B	Cass Dust Cover S4 Post	Sleeve Dust Cover	\$ _____
5724B	Cass Post Cap S4 X 7.7	Optional Plastic Post Cap	\$ _____
5836B	Cass #3 Rebar 8" ID	Footer Rebar Reinforcing Ring	\$ _____
33953G	Cass-TL3 SPost 3'-11 ¼	Line Post	\$ _____
33982G	Cass SLV S4 27" 11G CON	Line Sleeve	\$ _____
5757G	Cass CBL SPL SCT RT 100'	100' Cable Section	\$ _____
CABLE SPLICE			
Part #	Description	Additional Description	Price
4099G	CBL SPL w/Wedge C2207	Torpedo Cable Splice	\$ _____
5633G	Cass TRNBCKL Stud Assy 1"	Turnbuckle/Cable Stud Assy	\$ _____
TERMINAL ANCHOR POST			
Part #	Description	Additional Description	Price
3240G	5/16" Round Washer		\$ _____
3245G	5/16" Hex Nut A563		\$ _____
4211G	5/16"X1.75 HXBTA307 1-1/18	Hook Bolt	\$ _____
5851B	Cass REFL SHT 5X24 Y/B LT	Terminal Anchor Post Reflective Sheet	\$ _____
33909G	Cass-CBL BRKT for CRP PST	Cable Bearing Bracket @ Terminal Anchor POS	\$ _____
33934A	Cass-CRP-Lower Post 2"-0	Terminal Anchor Post Lower # 1-3	\$ _____

The "Bid Schedule" is available for download on Purchasing's Web site at www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase

SAFENCE SYSTEM			
Part #	Description	Additional Description	Price
CBD041MDG	C Post 4ft		\$ _____
CBD040HDG	Steel Socket		\$ _____
CBD041HDG	C-Post 4ft		\$ _____
CBD012	Plastic Socket		\$ _____
CBD009	Socket Cover		\$ _____
CBD011	Stiffening Frame		\$ _____
CBD010	Post Cap		\$ _____
CBD043HDG	Stiffening Plate		\$ _____
CBD042	Hook C		\$ _____
CBD020	Plastic Hardware		\$ _____
CBREBAR	Rebar Ring		\$ _____
CBD024HDG	Tensioning Device (complete)		\$ _____
3X7 Cable	Cable		\$ _____
CBD018HDG	Anchor & Fittings		\$ _____
CBD028	Check Rope		\$ _____
CBD028HDG	Shackle		\$ _____
CBD023	Cable Swedged Ends		\$ _____

Nucor System

Part #	Description	Additional Description	Price
	Line Post		\$ _____
	Small Hook Bolts		\$ _____
	Large Hook Bolts		\$ _____
	CRP posts		\$ _____
	Turnbuckles		\$ _____
	Cable Anchor Ends		\$ _____
	Cable Spool		\$ _____
			\$ _____
			\$ _____
			\$ _____

Generic System			
(See Attached Drawings)			
Part #	Description	Additional Description	Price
	End Assembly, Turnbuckle Cable		\$ _____
	End Assembly, spring cable (compensating device)		\$ _____
	Cable Splice		\$ _____
	Intermediate Post, G/R 5'10" galvanized		\$ _____
	Wedge, (for splice and cable fittings)		\$ _____
	End Assembly, Cable Rod (cable to anchor)		\$ _____
	Breakaway anchor angle		\$ _____
	J-hooks (hook bolts for post)(4 ½ ") J-hook (hook bolt for post (1- ¾"))		\$ _____ \$ _____
	Keeper Rods 3/16"Φ Brass Rod		\$ _____
	Keeper Plates (bottom of anchor post)		\$ _____
	Rod, All thread ¾"(end of cable assembly) (1' – 6")		\$ _____
	Post G/R Anchor (Top & Bottom Complete)		\$ _____
	Clamp, Rod (fits into cable) (Brass U)		\$ _____
	Cable, G/R Wire		\$ _____
	Post G/R Anchor ea. (Top only)		\$ _____
	Post G/R Anchor ea. (Bottom only)		\$ _____
	End Post (5' – 10") w/bearing plate		\$ _____
	Cross Over End Post (5' – 10") w/bearing Plate		\$ _____
	3"Reflector w/bolt, nut & spacer		\$ _____

Gibraltar System		
Part #	Description	Price
	LENGTH OF NEED PARTS	
4-HPIN	TL-4 Hairpin (7/16" X 33")	\$ _____
4-LOCK	TL-4 Lockplate (1/8 X 1 1/2" X 21 3/8")	\$ _____
4-LNP-S	TL-4 Line Post/Socketed (2.5" X 3.25" X 4'9")	\$ _____
4-BPP-42	Base Plate Post/Surface Mount (2.5" X 3.25" X 3'6")	\$ _____
4-BPP-72	Base Plate Post/Low fill (2.5" X 3.25" X 6'0")	\$ _____
	TERMINAL PARTS	\$ _____
4-Term	Terminal Section (Complete Unit)	\$ _____
J-BLT	J-Bolt (3/4" J-Bolt)	\$ _____
TP1	Terminal Post No. 1/Weak (2.5" X 3.25" X 40)	\$ _____
TP2	Terminal Post No. 2/Weak (2.5" X 3.25" X 4'0")	\$ _____
TP3-4	Terminal Post No. 3/Standard (2.5" X 3.25" X 4'9")	\$ _____
TP4-4	Terminal Post No. 4/Standard (2.5" X 3.25" X 4'9")	\$ _____
CRP	Cable Release Post	\$ _____
AP	Anchor Post	\$ _____
ATF	Anchor Terminal Fitting (3/4" X 30")	\$ _____
TKW	Terminal Keeper Wire (12-Ga.X12"long)	\$ _____
	Dual Unit Parts	\$ _____
CBL-PRE	TL-4 Pre-stretched Cable (3/4" 3/7 Cable – 2,000 ft Spool)	\$ _____

State of West Virginia

VENDOR PREFERENCE CERTIFICATE

Certification and application* is hereby made for Preference in accordance with West Virginia Code, §5A-3-37. (Does not apply to construction contracts). West Virginia Code, §5A-3-37, provides an opportunity for qualifying vendors to request (at the time of bid) preference for their residency status. Such preference is an evaluation method only and will be applied only to the cost bid in accordance with the West Virginia Code. This certificate for application is to be used to request such preference. The Purchasing Division will make the determination of the Resident Vendor Preference, if applicable.

- 1. Application is made for 2.5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked: Bidder is an individual resident vendor and has resided continuously in West Virginia for four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or, Bidder is a partnership, association or corporation resident vendor and has maintained its headquarters or principal place of business continuously in West Virginia for four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or 80% of the ownership interest of Bidder is held by another individual, partnership, association or corporation resident vendor who has maintained its headquarters or principal place of business continuously in West Virginia for four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or, Bidder is a nonresident vendor which has an affiliate or subsidiary which employs a minimum of one hundred state residents and which has maintained its headquarters or principal place of business within West Virginia continuously for the four (4) years immediately preceding the date of this certification; or,
2. Application is made for 2.5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked: Bidder is a resident vendor who certifies that, during the life of the contract, on average at least 75% of the employees working on the project being bid are residents of West Virginia who have resided in the state continuously for the two years immediately preceding submission of this bid; or,
3. Application is made for 2.5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked: Bidder is a nonresident vendor employing a minimum of one hundred state residents or is a nonresident vendor with an affiliate or subsidiary which maintains its headquarters or principal place of business within West Virginia employing a minimum of one hundred state residents who certifies that, during the life of the contract, on average at least 75% of the employees or Bidder's affiliate's or subsidiary's employees are residents of West Virginia who have resided in the state continuously for the two years immediately preceding submission of this bid; or,
4. Application is made for 5% resident vendor preference for the reason checked: Bidder meets either the requirement of both subdivisions (1) and (2) or subdivision (1) and (3) as stated above; or,
5. Application is made for 3.5% resident vendor preference who is a veteran for the reason checked: Bidder is an individual resident vendor who is a veteran of the United States armed forces, the reserves or the National Guard and has resided in West Virginia continuously for the four years immediately preceding the date on which the bid is submitted; or,
6. Application is made for 3.5% resident vendor preference who is a veteran for the reason checked: Bidder is a resident vendor who is a veteran of the United States armed forces, the reserves or the National Guard, if, for purposes of producing or distributing the commodities or completing the project which is the subject of the vendor's bid and continuously over the entire term of the project, on average at least seventy-five percent of the vendor's employees are residents of West Virginia who have resided in the state continuously for the two immediately preceding years.

Bidder understands if the Secretary of Revenue determines that a Bidder receiving preference has failed to continue to meet the requirements for such preference, the Secretary may order the Director of Purchasing to: (a) reject the bid; or (b) assess a penalty against such Bidder in an amount not to exceed 5% of the bid amount and that such penalty will be paid to the contracting agency or deducted from any unpaid balance on the contract or purchase order.

By submission of this certificate, Bidder agrees to disclose any reasonably requested information to the Purchasing Division and authorizes the Department of Revenue to disclose to the Director of Purchasing appropriate information verifying that Bidder has paid the required business taxes, provided that such information does not contain the amounts of taxes paid nor any other information deemed by the Tax Commissioner to be confidential.

Under penalty of law for false swearing (West Virginia Code, §61-5-3), Bidder hereby certifies that this certificate is true and accurate in all respects; and that if a contract is issued to Bidder and if anything contained within this certificate changes during the term of the contract, Bidder will notify the Purchasing Division in writing immediately.

Bidder: _____ Signed: _____
Date: _____ Title: _____

*Check any combination of preference consideration(s) indicated above, which you are entitled to receive.

RFQ No. _____

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
Purchasing Division

PURCHASING AFFIDAVIT

West Virginia Code §5A-3-10a states: No contract or renewal of any contract may be awarded by the state or any of its political subdivisions to any vendor or prospective vendor when the vendor or prospective vendor or a related party to the vendor or prospective vendor is a debtor and the debt owned is an amount greater than one thousand dollars in the aggregate

DEFINITIONS:

"Debt" means any assessment, premium, penalty, fine, tax or other amount of money owed to the state or any of its political subdivisions because of a judgment, fine, permit violation, license assessment, defaulted workers' compensation premium, penalty or other assessment presently delinquent or due and required to be paid to the state or any of its political subdivisions, including any interest or additional penalties accrued thereon.

"Debtor" means any individual, corporation, partnership, association, Limited Liability Company or any other form or business association owing a debt to the state or any of its political subdivisions. "Political subdivision" means any county commission; municipality; county board of education; any instrumentality established by a county or municipality; any separate corporation or instrumentality established by one or more counties or municipalities, as permitted by law; or any public body charged by law with the performance of a government function or whose jurisdiction is coextensive with one or more counties or municipalities. "Related party" means a party, whether an individual, corporation, partnership, association, limited liability company or any other form or business association or other entity whatsoever, related to any vendor by blood, marriage, ownership or contract through which the party has a relationship of ownership or other interest with the vendor so that the party will actually or by effect receive or control a portion of the benefit, profit or other consideration from performance of a vendor contract with the party receiving an amount that meets or exceed five percent of the total contract amount.

EXCEPTION: The prohibition of this section does not apply where a vendor has contested any tax administered pursuant to chapter eleven of this code, workers' compensation premium, permit fee or environmental fee or assessment and the matter has not become final or where the vendor has entered into a payment plan or agreement and the vendor is not in default of any of the provisions of such plan or agreement.

Under penalty of law for false swearing (*West Virginia Code* §61-5-3), it is hereby certified that the vendor affirms and acknowledges the information in this affidavit and is in compliance with the requirements as stated.

WITNESS THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURE

Vendor's Name: _____

Authorized Signature: _____ Date: _____

State of _____

County of _____, to-wit:

Taken, subscribed, and sworn to before me this ____ day of December, 20__.

My Commission expires _____, 20__.

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