## 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 If you believe your company meets the required procurement. experience and qualification criteria stated below, please e-mail the Purchasing Division Buyer at <a href="mailto:roberta.a.wagner@wv.gov">roberta.a.wagner@wv.gov</a> with a copy to michael.w.sheets@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 \_12/20/2010\_

**Requisition Number:** LBS11073

**Department/Agency:** WVDHHR/BPH/Office of Laboratory Services

**Detailed Description of Project:** Provide an open end contract to purchase the NeoBase Non-derivatized MSMS reagent kits for neonatal screening of amino acids, acylcarnitines and succinylacetone on dried blood spot specimens.

**Proposed Sole Source Vendor:** Perkin Elmer Health Sciences, Inc.

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**Specific Eligibility Criteria:** The NeoBase Non-derivatized MSMS reagent kit is uniquely designed and manufactured by Perkin Elmer. Perkin Elmer does not utilize distributors or dealers in the sale or servicing of the kit within the US.

**Specific Qualification Criteria:** Perkin Elmer is the only company that provides the NeoBase Non-derivatized MSMS reagent kit. There is no other source of dried blood spot NeoBase controls, Amino Acids Internal standards or Acylcarnitines Internal standards that are FDA cleared for Newborn Screening. Sole source documentation is attached.