

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 Roberta.A.Wagner@wv.gov with a copy to William.M.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 7/25/2011.

Requisition Number: LBS12016

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

Detailed Description of Project:

To purchase two FilmArray instruments to detect pathogens associated with respiratory disease outbreaks.

Proposed Sole Source Vendor: Idaho Technology, Inc.
390 Wakara Way
Salt Lake City, UT 84108

Specific Eligibility Criteria:

The FilmArray system by Idaho Technologies is a multiplex polymerase chain reaction (PCR) assay. It is the only system on the market capable of performing DNA/RNA extraction, purification and highly multiplexed PCR in one sample vessel. It is also the only system on the market that can test the FilmArray Respiratory Virus panel pouches.

Specific Qualification Criteria:

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