

**THE JUDICIARY, STATE OF HAWAII
NOTICE OF TO EXEMPTION
FROM HRS CHAPTER 103D**

TO: Chief Procurement Officer

FROM: Judiciary Administration - ITCD
Name of Requesting Division/Program

Pursuant to HRS § 103D ---102 (b)(4) and HAR Chapter 3---120, The Judiciary requests to amend an exemption for the following:

<p>1. Describe the goods, services or construction:</p> <p>Procure service to install, configure and migrate data from both Power 7 System (iSeries) and Power 8 System (R/S 6000) to Power 9 System.</p>	
<p>2. Vendor/Contractor/Service Provider:</p> <p>Sirius Computer Solutions</p>	<p>3. Amount of Request:</p> <p>\$47,225.11</p>
<p>4. Term of Contract From: 3/1/2019 To: 12/31/2019</p>	<p>5. Prior Judiciary Procurement Exemption No. (if applicable):</p>
<p>6. Explain in detail why it is not practicable or not advantageous for the Program/Division to procure by competitive means:</p> <p>It is not practicable or not advantageous for the Program/Division to procure by competitive means because The hardware for the IBM Power 9 system will be procured from Sirius via NASPO 15-04. Sirius is the vendor that installed, configured and migrated programs and data to the existing Power 7 and Power 8 System. Installation/replacement of the Power 7 and Power 8 to Power 9 system including the associated data migration that is needed requires a detailed understanding of the specific data, data structures, and their usage. The Power 9 installation/replacement also requires an in-depth understanding of the various computer applications that reside on the system. This knowledge/experience ensures a timely and problem-free implementation. No vendor other than Sirius possesses this knowledge. Therefore, it is not practical nor advantageous to obtain these services from another vendor since the additional ramp-up time they will require will lead to additional cost and will likely lead to a less optimal implementation. Sirius has the best knowledge and expertise of how the system works within our current environment at the Judiciary. Sirius Computer Solutions would be the most advantageous solution for the Judiciary for these reasons. In order to maintain the integrity of the existing Power 7 and new Power 9 systems, to solicit services from another vendor would not be time and cost effective for the Judiciary.</p>	
<p>7. Explain in detail, the process that will be or was utilized in selecting the vendor/contractor/service provider:</p> <p>Sirius Computer Solutions is the original vendor which installed and configured the existing Power 7 and Power 8 system; and as such, is the vendor most familiar with our installation, has extensive knowledge of the system and, therefore, is best positioned to provide a timely, effective and efficient implementation of the effort.</p>	

8. Identify the primary responsible staff person(s) conducting and managing this procurement. (Appropriate delegated procurement authority and completion of mandatory training required).

*Point of contact (Place asterisk after name of person to contact for additional information).

Name	Division/Program	Phone Number	email address
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All requirements/approvals and internal controls for this expenditure is the responsibility of the Division/Program. I certify that the information provided above is, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct.

/s/ David Maeshiro and Kevin G. Thornton

3/6/2019

Department/Division/Program Head Signature

Date

For Chief Procurement Officer Use Only

Date Notice Posted: _____

Inquiries about this request shall be directed to the contact named in Item 8. Submit written objection to this NOTICE OF EXEMPTION within seven (7) calendar days, or as otherwise allowed, from the Date Notice Posted to:

Chief Procurement Officer - The Judiciary
Financial Services Department
Contracts & Purchasing Office
1111 Alakea Street, 6th Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813---2807

Chief Procurement Officer (CPO) Comments:

Approved

Disapproved

No Action Required

Chief Procurement Officer Signature

Date