

COMMITTEE FOR PURCHASE FROM PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR SEVERELY DISABLED

Procurement List; Proposed Additions and Deletions

AGENCY: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled.

ACTION: Proposed Additions to and Deletions from the Procurement List.

SUMMARY: The Committee is proposing to add product(s) to the Procurement List that will be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities, and deletes service(s) previously furnished by such agencies.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before: April 11, 2021.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, 1401 S. Clark Street, Suite 715, Arlington, Virginia, 22202-4149.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information or to submit comments contact: Michael R. Jurkowski, Telephone: (703) 603-2117, Fax: (703) 603-0655, or email CMTEFedReg@AbilityOne.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 8503 (a)(2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the proposed actions.

Additions

If the Committee approves the proposed additions, the entities of the Federal Government identified in this notice will be required to procure the product(s) listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

The following product(s) are proposed for addition to the Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agencies listed:

Product(s)

NSN(s)—Product Name(s):

MR 10795—Party Topper, Includes Shipper 20795

MR 10796—Dish Rack, Compact, Includes Shipper 20796

MR 11136—Tablecloth, 3 Pack

Designated Source of Supply: Winston-Salem Industries for the Blind, Inc., Winston-Salem, NC

Contracting Activity: Military Resale-Defense Commissary Agency

Deletions

The following service(s) are proposed for deletion from the Procurement List:

Service(s)

Service Type: Grounds Maintenance

Mandatory for: Defense Commissary Agency, China Lake Naval Air Weapons Station Commissary, China Lake, CA

Contracting Activity: DEFENSE

COMMISSARY AGENCY (DECA), DEFENSE COMMISSARY AGENCY

Service Type: Grounds Maintenance

Mandatory for: US Department of Energy, Western Area Power Administration, Bismarck, ND ND

Mandatory Source of Supply: Pride, Inc., Bismarck, ND

Contracting Activity: ENERGY, DEPARTMENT OF, WESTERN-UPPER GREAT PLAINS REGION

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DATES: Date added to and deleted from the Procurement List: April 11, 2021.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Additions

On 6/5/2020, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notice of proposed additions to the Procurement List. This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 8503 (a)(2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the service(s) and impact of the additions on the current or most recent

contractors, the Committee has determined that the service(s) listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 8501-8506 and 41 CFR 51-2.4.

Regulatory Flexibility Act Certification

I certify that the following action will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. The major factors considered for this certification were:

1. The action will not result in any additional reporting, recordkeeping or other compliance requirements for small entities other than the small organizations that will furnish the service(s) to the Government.
2. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the service(s) to the Government.
3. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 8501-8506) in connection with the service(s) proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

End of Certification

Accordingly, the following service(s) are added to the Procurement List:

End of Certification

Accordingly, the following service(s) are added to the Procurement List:

Service(s)

Service Type: Custodial Service

Mandatory for: US Air Force, USAF Space Command (AFSPC), Peterson Air Force Base and Cheyenne Mountain Air Force Station, Colorado Springs, CO

Designated Source of Supply: Professional Contract Services, Inc., Austin, TX

Contracting Activity: FA2517 21 CONS, PETERSON AFB, CO

The Committee finds good cause to dispense with the 30-day delay in the effective date normally required by the Administrative Procedure Act. See U.S.C. 553(d)(3). This addition to the Committee's Procurement List is effectuated because of the expiration of the U.S. Air Force Custodial Service, Peterson Air Force Base and Cheyenne Mountain Air Force Station, CO. The federal customer contacted, and has worked diligently with the AbilityOne Program to fulfill this Service need under the AbilityOne Program. To avoid performance disruption, and the possibility that the U.S. Air Force will refer its business elsewhere, this addition must be effective on March 28, 2021, to ensure lead times that are required by the U.S. Air Force for start-up to make a smooth transition for continuity of services while still allowing 17 days for comment. Pursuant to its own regulation, 41 C.F.R. § 51-2.4, the Committee determined that no adverse impact exists on the current contractor. The Committee also published a notice of proposed