

Procurement List Additions

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

ACTION: Additions to the Procurement List.

SUMMARY: This action adds to the Procurement List commodities and services to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 7, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On April 5, June 21, 28, July 26, 1996, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notices (61 F.R. 15225, 31927, 33710 and 39118) of proposed additions to the Procurement List.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the commodities and services and impact of the additions on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the commodities and services listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-2.4.

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 commodities and services to the Government.

2. The action will not have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the commodity and services.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the commodities and services to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the commodities and services proposed for addition to the Procurement List. Accordingly, the following commodities and services are hereby added to the Procurement List:

Commodities

Tool Box and Kit

5140-01-424-9917 (box)

5180-01-423-6468 (kit)

Services

Grounds Maintenance, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois

Janitorial/Custodial, Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse, 46 E. Ohio Street, Indianapolis, Indiana

Janitorial/Grounds Maintenance, Calexico East Border Station, Calexico, California

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options that may be exercised under those contracts.

Beverly L. Milkman,

Executive Director.

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Procurement List Addition

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

ACTION: Addition to the Procurement List.

SUMMARY: This action adds to the Procurement List a commodity to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

EFFECTIVE DATE: October 7, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On May 24, 1996, the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled published notices (61 FR 26266) of proposed addition to the Procurement List. Comments were received from the current contractor for the typewriter ribbon in response to a request for sales data. The contractor indicated that the Government contract for this ribbon represented a significant portion of the company's sales, and that loss of the contract would require personnel layoffs which would have adverse effects on the small community where the contractor is located. In order to mitigate this impact, the Committee decided to add only 40 percent of the Government requirement for the ribbon to the Procurement List rather than the 100 percent originally contemplated. The impact of this reduced addition on the contractor is below the percentage which the Committee considers to be severe adverse impact and should not

result in the level of impact predicted by the contractor.

After consideration of the material presented to it concerning capability of qualified nonprofit agencies to provide the commodities and impact of the addition on the current or most recent contractors, the Committee has determined that the commodity listed below are suitable for procurement by the Federal Government under 41 U.S.C. 46-48c and 41 CFR 51-2.4.

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 commodity to the Government.

2. The action will not have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the commodity.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the commodity to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the commodity proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Accordingly, the following commodity is hereby added to the Procurement List:

Ribbon, Typewriter

7510-01-219-2309

(40% of the Government's requirement)

This action does not affect current contracts awarded prior to the effective date of this addition or options that may be exercised under those contracts.

Beverly L. Milkman,

Executive Director.

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Proposed Addition and Deletions

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

ACTION: Proposed addition to and deletions from procurement list.

SUMMARY: The Committee has received proposals to add to the Procurement List a service to be furnished by nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities, and to delete commodities previously furnished by such agencies.

COMMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE: October 7, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, Crystal Square 3, Suite 403, 1735 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia 22202-3461.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Beverly Milkman (703) 603-7740.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice is published pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 47(a)(2) and 41 CFR 51-2.3. Its purpose is to provide interested persons an opportunity to submit comments on the possible impact of the proposed actions.

Addition

If the Committee approves the proposed addition, all entities of the Federal Government (except as otherwise indicated) will be required to procure the service listed below from nonprofit agencies employing persons who are blind or have other severe disabilities.

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 to the Government.

2. The action does not appear to have a severe economic impact on current contractors for the service.

3. The action will result in authorizing small entities to furnish the service to the Government.

4. There are no known regulatory alternatives which would accomplish the objectives of the Javits-Wagner-O'Day Act (41 U.S.C. 46-48c) in connection with the service proposed for addition to the Procurement List.

Comments on this certification are invited. Commenters should identify the statement(s) underlying the certification on which they are providing additional information.

The following service has been proposed for addition to Procurement List for production by the nonprofit agency listed:

Disposal Support Services, Gunter Air Force Base and Fort Rucker, Alabama
NPA: Goodwill Industries of Central Alabama, Inc., Montgomery, Alabama

Deletions

The following commodities have been proposed for deletion from the Procurement List:

Bag, Urine Collection
6530-01-074-6600
Bandage, Gauze

6510-00-582-7992
6510-00-582-7993
Seat Cover
P.S. #054-B
Seat Assembly, Complete
P.S. #054-A
Splint, Wood
6515-00-372-1200
Hood, Extreme Cold Weather
8415-00-472-4695
Gown, Operating, Surgical
6532-00-083-6534
6532-00-083-6535
6532-00-083-6536
Chest, Lighting Equipment
6210-00-382-9173
Apron, Protective
6532-00-935-9765
Lacquer
8010-00-085-0559
Beverly L. Milkman,
Executive Director.
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COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Agenda and Notice of Public Meeting of the Indiana Advisory Committee

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, that a meeting of the Indiana Advisory Committee to the Commission will convene at 9:00 a.m. and adjourn at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 24, 1996, at the Radisson Hotel City Centre, 37 W. Ohio Street, Indianapolis, Indiana. The purpose of the meeting is to hold a press conference to release the report, The Enforcement of Affirmative Action Compliance in Indiana Under Executive Order 11246, discuss civil rights issues, and plan future activities.

Persons desiring additional information, or planning a presentation to the Committee, should contact Committee Chairperson Paul Chase, 317-920-3190, or Constance Davis, Director of the Midwestern Regional Office, 312-353-8311 (TDD 312-353-8362). Hearing-impaired persons who will attend the meeting and require the services of a sign language interpreter should contact the Regional Office at least five (5) working days before the scheduled date of the meeting.

The meeting will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the Commission.

Dated at Washington, DC, August 27, 1996.
Carol-Lee Hurley,
Chief, Regional Programs Coordination Unit.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

[I.D. 082996B]

Endangered Species; Permits

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of application for modification 1 to scientific research permit 943 (P430A).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that Thomas Savoy of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection (P430A) has applied in due form for modification 1 to scientific research permit 943 to take listed shortnose sturgeon.

DATES: Written comments or requests for a public hearing on this modification request must be received on or before October 7, 1996.

ADDRESSES: The application, permit, and related documents are available for review by appointment in the following offices:

Office of Protected Resources, F/PR8, NMFS, 1315 East-West Hwy., Room 13307, Silver Spring, MD 20910-3226 (301-713-1401); and

Director, Northeast Region, NMFS, One Blackburn Drive, Gloucester, MA 01930-2298 (508-281-9250).

Written comments, or requests for a public hearing on this application should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Thomas Savoy (P430A) requests modification 1 under the authority of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (ESA) (16 U.S.C. 1531-1543) and NMFS regulations governing listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 217-227). The applicant is currently authorized to collect, handle, and tag 800 shortnose sturgeon (*Acipenser brevirostrum*) per year in the Connecticut River, within the boundaries of the State of Connecticut. These sturgeon are captured using gillnets, trammel nets, and trawls; then measured, weighed, sexed when possible, and examined for condition, deformities, and previous tags. All fish that do not already have a PIT tag receive one in the musculature on the left side under the dorsal fin. Ten fish may receive a radio or sonic transmitter. The purpose of the research is to determine current numbers, locations, and movement patterns of shortnose sturgeon within the Connecticut River..