

Rocio Villarreal

From: Salinas Espinosa Mercedes [msalinas@atlashall.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 15, 2009 11:45 AM
To: 'Rocio Villarreal'
Subject: FW: C-09-172-07-07-Contraceptives contract with Prescription Supply
Attachments: Prescription Supply Inc. correspondence.doc

See below.

-----Original Message-----

From: Salinas Espinosa Mercedes [mailto:msalinas@atlashall.com]
Sent: Tuesday, December 15, 2009 11:44 AM
To: 'Martha Salazar'
Subject: RE: C-09-172-07-07-Contraceptives contract with Prescription Supply

Marty, attached is a revised draft of the letter to Prescription Supply, Inc. I re-wrote it to terminate immediately by them. I don't think we need to be wasting any more time by giving them opportunities to comply. They aren't going to. We will take an email sent to Y. Velasquez dated December 1 in which the company states that they cannot honor the contract as their notice to terminate.

Please review and let me know if this is the route you want to go.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Martha Salazar [mailto:martha.salazar@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Monday, December 14, 2009 12:23 PM
To: 'Salinas Espinosa Mercedes'
Cc: 'Rocio Villarreal'
Subject: FW: C-09-172-07-07-Contraceptives contract with Prescription Supply
Importance: High

Ms. Mercedes:

Please review and comment on the demand letter to comply with awarded pricing to vendor for products for Health Dept.

We want to get it out.

Thanks,

Marty

PS Rocio drafted and I edited it a bit.

From: Rocio Villarreal [mailto:rocio.villarreal@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Monday, December 14, 2009 11:19 AM
To: 'Martha Salazar'
Subject: C-09-172-07-07-Contraceptives contract with Prescription Supply

Please review draft letter.

ROCIO VILLARREAL

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From: Yolanda Velasquez [yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2009 10:37 AM
To: Darlene ; 'Martha Salazar'
Cc: rocio.villarreal@co.hidalgo.tx.us
Subject: FW: Contract No 2009-172 "Contraceptive-Patch, Injection and Pill"

-----Original Message-----

From: wvanmetre@prescriptionsupply.com
[mailto:wvanmetre@prescriptionsupply.com]
Sent: Thursday, December 03, 2009 10:34 AM
To: Yolanda Velasquez
Subject: Re: Contract No 2009-172 "Contraceptive-Patch, Injection and Pill"

Yolanda,

First I want to apologize for the problems we have had with this contract. I

simply made the mistake of quoting you the 340B pricing not realizing that you did not qualify to receive it. I hope this proposal will help to clear up the problem.

Our cost from Teva is \$29.79 we will sell the product at this cost to you.

No
up charge or delivery expense. As soon as you reply that this is acceptable to you I can ship the item today.

Once again I do apologize and I hope this will allow us to continue to do business with you in the future.

Best regards,

William VanMetre

Quoting Yolanda Velasquez <yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us>:

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> Good afternoon Mr. VanMetre
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> Please be advised, Pursuant to the Contract entered into with Hidalgo
> County, we are demanding that you proceed to honor Purchase Order
> 629199 submitted to you on 09/18/2009 on behalf of the Health
> Department. We need your response by no later than 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 02, 2009.
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> Thank you
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> Yolanda Z. Velasquez, Buyer
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> Hidalgo County - Purchasing Department

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> Edinburg, TX 78539
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From: Darlene Betancourt [darlene.betancourt@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2009 11:59 AM
To: 'Yolanda Velasquez'; 'Rocio Villarreal'
Subject: FW: Contraceptive Price Increase
Attachments: ATT00157.txt

Yoli,

Either the vendor has to honor the pricing they had quoted on their original bid or even the increased pricing, but I don't think they can raise their pricing from \$ 1. Something to the new proposed pricing of \$13.00 something. Talk to Rocio, if they still cannot work with us, then we'll have to cancel the contract?

Darlene H. Betancourt, CPPB

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From: Yolanda Velasquez [mailto:yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2009 11:35 AM
To: Darlene
Subject: FW: Contraceptive Price Increase

Hi Ms. D

I just receive this from the Health Dept.

Bummer!

From: Rosie Bryan [mailto:rosie.bryan@hchd.org]
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2009 11:34 AM
To: yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us
Subject: FW: Contraceptive Price Increase

PLEASE NOTE BELOW REGARDING YOUR REQUEST...ROSIE

Rosie Bryan, PHE
1304 South 25th Avenue
Edinburg, Texas 78539
-----Original Message-----

From: Lydia Serna [mailto:lydia.serna@hchd.org]
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2009 11:08 AM
To: 'Rosie Bryan'
Cc: 'Yolanda Alafa'; 'Josie Escalante'
Subject: RE: Contraceptive Price Increase

We are not eligible for the 340B pricing. How ever else she can help in convincing this company to give us a good fair price for our contraceptive. Thanks.

Lydia Serna

Director of Nursing
Hidalgo County Health & Human Services Department
956-383-6221

-----Original Message-----

From: Rosie Bryan [mailto:rosie.bryan@hchd.org]
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2009 10:55 AM
To: 'LYDIA SERNA'; Reyna, Dan (HHS/OGHA); Yolanda Alafa
Cc: 'EDDIE OLIVAREZ'
Subject: FW: Contraceptive Price Increase

Yolanda Velasquez wants to know if we are organization eligible for the 340B discount. Rosie

Rosie Bryan, PHE
1304 South 25th Avenue
Edinburg, Texas 78539

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From: Yolanda Velasquez [mailto:yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2009 10:27 AM
To: rosie.bryan@hchd.org
Subject: FW: Contraceptive Price Increaase

From: Yolanda Velasquez [mailto:yolanda.velasquez@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Thursday, November 19, 2009 10:26 AM
To: 'rosiebryan@hchd.org'
Subject: Contraceptive Price Increaase

Please review attachment and advice.
Thanks

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From: Martha Salazar [martha.salazar@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Wednesday, November 04, 2009 12:25 PM
To: 'Darlene Betancourt'
Cc: 'Yolanda Velasquez'; 'Rocio Villarreal'
Subject: RE: purchase order 00162726 9-18-09

Ms. Darlene:

Have Ms. Yoli & Ms. Rocio communicate (via e-mail) with vendor regarding their desire to increase the pricing. Unless there exists a provision for a price escalation, then the price will need to be honored. We also need to see if there is a provision for purchasing the product from another vendor and charging the difference to this contractor.

Marty

-----Original Message-----

From: Darlene Betancourt [mailto:darlene.betancourt@co.hidalgo.tx.us]
Sent: Wednesday, November 04, 2009 11:31 AM
To: 'Martha Salazar'
Cc: 'Yolanda Velasquez'; 'Rocio Villarreal'
Subject: FW: purchase order 00162726 9-18-09
Importance: High

Ms. Marty

Yes, there is a contract in place for the Health Dept C-09-172-07-07 Prescription Supply, Inc. for CONTRACEPTIVES-PATCH-INJECTIONS AND PILL (expiration of contract 07/06/10 w/County's option to renew (1) additional year).

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Ms. Darlenee:

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Sent: Tuesday, November 03, 2009 10:55 AM
To: martha.salazar@co.hidalgo.tx.us
Subject: purchase order 00162726 9-18-09

Martha,

I recieved this purchase order and place the order with the manufacture.

When

the product arrived the invoice was for \$7.79 each. I have not been able to get them to honor the bid price. In order to cover my expenses I would need to charge \$8.49 per vial for shipping and handling. I feel the price quoted to me in March of 2009 was an error and it slipped through with out being noticed.

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