



Hidalgo County Purchasing Department Sole Source Affidavit

THIS IS AN OFFICIAL PURCHASING DOCUMENT – RETAIN WITH PURCHASE ORDER

Before me, the undersigned official, on this day, personally appeared Francois Tawk a person known to me to be the person whose signature appears below, whom after being duly sworn upon his/her oath deposed and said:

1. My name is Francois Tawk. I am over the age of 18, have never been convicted of a crime, and am competent to make this affidavit.
2. I am an authorized representative of the following company or firm: Astrophysics Inc.
3. The above-named company or firm is the sole source for the following item(s), product(s), or service(s):
Supply and maintenance of XIS line of X-ray inspection systems
4. Competition in providing the above-named item(s), product(s), service(s) is precluded by the existence of a patent, copyright, secret process, or monopoly as stated under Section 262.024(a)(7)(A), of the Local Government Code. Also, attached hereto is a sole source letter, which sets forth the reasons why this Vendor is a sole source provider (dated and signed).
5. There is/are no other like item(s) or product(s) available for purchase that would serve the same purpose or function.
6. Note: This Vendor understands that by providing false information on this Sole Source Affidavit, it may be considered a non-responsible Vendor on this and future purchases and may result in discontinuations of any/all business with Hidalgo County.

Signature: *Francois Tawk*

SWORN AND SUBSCRIBED TO under oath before me on _____ day of _____, 2024

Notary Public

Printed Name

My Commission Expires

see attached California Surat

Company Name: Astrophysics Inc.

Address, City, State & Zip Code: 21481 Ferrero Parkway, City of Industry, CA 91789

Phone Number: (909) 598-5488

Fax: _____

Contact Name and Title: Francois Tawk, Director of Service

WEB Address: _____

Email: FTawk@astrophysicsinc.com

Federal Tax ID Number: 20-2078464

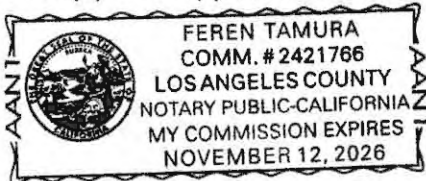
Texas Sales Tax Number: _____

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California
County of LOS ANGELES

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 10
day of OCTOBER, 2024, by FRANCOIS TAWK

proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the
person(s) who appeared before me.



(Seal)

Signature

Feren Tamura

