



MEMORANDUM

SOLE SOURCE DECLARATION

TO: Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court

FROM: Ignacio Amezcua MBA, CTCM, CTCD ^{IA}_{IA}

DATE: January 07, 2025

RE: Sole Source Declaration for Astrophysics Inc "XIS line of X-ray inspection systems and warranty service provider"

The Hidalgo County Health and Human Services, in conjunction with the Hidalgo Urban County Program seeks to procure the purchase of XIS line of X-ray inspection systems, warranty services, parts, repair services and travel fees from Astrophysics Inc.

- Astrophysics Inc. is the manufacturer and sole source supplier and warranty service provider of the XIS line of X-ray inspection systems in the United States. The XIS systems are sold only as a direct transaction between Astrophysics Inc. and the end-user.

In Accordance with the Texas Local Government Code Chapter 262.024 (a)(7)(A),

(a) A contract for the purchase of any of the following items is exempt from the requirement established by section 262.023 if the commissioners court by order grants the exemption:

(7) Any item that can be obtained from only one source, including:

(A) Items for which competition is precluded because of the existence of patents, copyrights, secret processes, or monopolies.

Therefore, for the reason stated herein, we humbly request that the Hidalgo County Commissioners' Court declare a Sole Source Vendor, for the purpose of procuring the purchase with Astrophysics Inc. This sole source declaration will remain in effect through the life term of the contract, unless otherwise revoked by the Hidalgo County Commissioners Court.






Sole Source Declaration

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